

Mayor's Young Leaders Advisory Council (MYLAC)

December 19th, 2020

Minutes

Proceedings of the Mayor's Young Leaders Advisory Council taken on December 19th, 2020 via Zoom and in-person commencing at 9:00 am.

Committee Members Attending

Sasha Blackshear, Jeanley Boursiquot, Maurice Chakour, Cameron Demery, Olivia Gills, Miles Johnson, Savannah LeNoble, Jaira Lunsford, Rae Merrifield, Nidhi Patel, La'Miracle Price, Rodney Wells, Claude Wright, Katie Carlson, Arianna Glover, Salma Soubai, Logan Smedley, Jennifer Zheng

Staff Attending

KK Cherney, Leah Lynch, Azolyn Wakefield-KHA, Mari Ganues-KHA
Johnesia Addison-DCPS Mental Health

(9:18) Rodney Wells calls meeting to order

- Nidhi Patel moved to accept the agenda
- Maurice Chakour seconded the motion

(9:21) Cameron Demery reads the meeting minutes

- Nidhi Patel moved to accept the minutes by consensus
- Maurice Chakour seconded the motion

(9:22)

- Azolyn Wakefield gives a brief review of Robert's Rules of Order
 - How to make motions
 - How to accept the agenda and minutes by general consensus
 - Importance of seconding motions and the correct process to do so
- Went through some examples of how and idea would be brought to the body and how someone would move to do something
 - "I ****your name**** move that MYLAC do _____"
 - Then someone would second "I ****your name**** second that motion"
 - President would say "It has been moved and properly seconded" and the idea would be up for brief discussion
- Reviewed making and voting on motions
- Reviewed tabling and postponing motions
- Should only be discussed for about 5 minutes before being tabled

(9:40) Roll Call

(9:45) Parliamentarian Maurice Chakour did a brief review of MYLAC Bylaws

- Highlights each article of the bylaws and the most important parts of each
- Any suggestions for Bylaws
- Discussed COVID Bylaw changes
- Importance of attending meetings regarding scholarships

- Questions/ clarifications of the bylaws

(10:24) Break

(10:41) Terrence Freeman

- Talks about himself/ life story/ personal mission
- Jax Journey- KHA
- Experience in education and politics
- Others will see where your potential is
- Outwork your problem
 1. Research
 2. Meet them
- Always ask:
 - “Is there any question that I didn’t ask that I should have asked”
 - “Are there 2 or 3 people that you would recommend, and can you make a call on my behalf”
- Ask for access

(11:07) Break into committees (see respective committee minutes)

(12:30) Return from committee meetings

- Each committee gave their reports

(12:36) Rodney Wells gives announcements

- Recognition of MYLAC members who get into colleges

Next meeting January 16

- Nidhi Patel moved to adjourn the meeting
- Maurice Chakour seconded the motion

(12:42) Meeting adjourned