

- Only Youth attendees are allowed to vote; Voting members are those youth who attended the previous meeting
- The YAB has a priority principle that recognizes the benefits of a balanced community of participation including, but not limited to the following: **Gender, Orientation, Ethnicity, Race, Economic Status, Education, Developmental Ability, Etc.**

**Date: 09/01/2023**

**5:30 PM to 7:30PM**

The Family Assistance Program's Facility at

15075 7th Street, Victorville, CA 92395

**SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD**  
**GENERAL MEETING**

**AGENDA**

**(ADULTS MUST Bring a YOUTH and youth get priority to talk)**

1. **Call to Order:** Welcome

**Chair: Eunice Abel**

**Staff Liaison: Christian T. Shaughnessy**

2. **Public Comment**
3. **Introduction and Icebreaker: What is 1 thing you could change about the world if you had the power?**
4. **Action Items**

- Approve the minutes of August 11, 2023- General Body
- YPITC Committee and Updates- Eunice
- VOCAL Updates- Jim Bolas/Christian
- September Youth Summit Agenda Setting-Jim Bolas/Christian
- Victorville and San Bernardino Public Comment Talking Points- Keith Benitez, Danzell Daniels, Jasmine Diwa
- ACLU SO CAL video progress-Christian
- JBI Community forum outreach updates-Christian
- ICH and COC Familiarization- Ruben Mendoza

5. **Adjournment**

**Thank You! Next General Meeting October 6, 2023**

“THE MEETINGS ARE ACCESSIBLE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. IF ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES OR OTHER AUXILIARY AIDS OR SERVICES ARE NEEDED IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC MEETING, REQUESTS SHOULD BE MADE THROUGH THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THE MEETING. THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES TELEPHONE NUMBER IS (909) 501-0610 AND THE OFFICE IS LOCATED AT 560 E. HOSPITALITY LANE, SUITE 200, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92408-0044.

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## San Bernardino County Youth Advisory Board August 11, 2023 Minutes

### **Call to Order:**

A meeting of the San Bernardino County Youth Advisory Board on Homelessness was held on August 11, 2023 in person at Family Assistance Program's "Open Arms" facility in San Bernardino, California. It was called to order at 5:20PM and was presided over by Chair Eunice Abel

### **Attendance:**

Members:

- Mikayla James
- Ollie Espinoza
- Ulysses Benitez
- Keith Benitez
- Deshaun Taylor
- Jayson Jones
- Leah Esqueda
- Eunice Abel
- Mykayah Mckenzie
- Danzell Daniels

### **Approval of Minutes:**

A motion to approve the previous minutes was made by Keith Benitez. Seconded by Ulysses Benitez. Passed unanimously.

### **Action Items:**

- Nomination of Eunice Abel as YAB Chair following Angus Comford's increased employment hours
  - Keith Mendoza motions for Eunice Abel
  - Ulysses Benitez seconds
  - Passed unanimously
- Virtual meeting times changed to 4:30 to 5:30PM every Wednesday and In Person Meetings changed to first Friday of the month from 5:30PM to 7:30PM
- Update on Youth Point in Time Count given by Eunice Abel and Christian T. Shaughnessy
- General body agreed in principle to YAB personal story telling event and awards for YAB allies

- General body unanimously approved 2 event collaboration with Justice Based Inc for community forum with youth with foster care experience
- Update on Public Comment Sessions given by Keith Benitez

## **Announcements:**

The next general meeting of the San Bernardino County Youth Advisory Board will take place September 1, 2023 at Family Assistance Program's "Open Arms" facility in San Bernardino.

## **Adjournment:**

With no further business to discuss meeting was adjourned by Chair Eunice Abel at 7:30 PM