



Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program (YNAPP) Grant Review Board Minutes

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Minutes:

CHAIR WILDER called the meeting to order at 3:39 p.m.

PRESENT: CHAIR WILDER and MEMBERS VIRGIL, SKOUSON, BONAVENTURA, FAJARDO (excused until 3:43 p.m.), SIERRA, RAMIREZ, ALVAREZ, CATARATA (excused at 5:18 p.m.), McNAIR, PARKER (excused until 3:43 p.m.), BOYD-WEATHERLY, GOURDET (excused until 4:00 p.m.), PRIEST, and THOMPSON

EXCUSED: MEMBERS WILLIAMS and RODRIGUEZ

ALSO PRESENT: JEFF DOROCAR, Assistant City Attorney, CANDACE BORING, Management Analyst I, and ASHLEY FOSTER, Deputy City Clerk

2. Announcement Regarding: Compliance with Open Meeting Law

Minutes:

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE: This meeting has been properly noticed and posted at the following locations in accordance with the noticing standards as outlined in NRS 241.020: City Hall, 495 South Main Street, 1st Floor; The City of Las Vegas website – www.lasvegasnevada.gov; and The Nevada Public Notice website – notice.nv.gov.

3. Public Comment: Comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters on the agenda for action. If you wish to be heard, come forward and give your name for the record. The amount of discussion, as well as the amount of time any single speaker is allowed, may be limited.

Minutes:

None.

4. Report on Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program Applications submitted by Las Vegas Light of the World Church - Care packages for Elders; LLDM Youth Volunteers - The Light of the World Youth Volunteers; Heroes & Hearts - The Blessing Project; Jobs for Nevada's Graduates - Operation Sibling; CC Ronnow Elementary School - One World, One Night; and Cheyenne High School Batteries Included/GEMS - Teddy Bears & Tees

Minutes:

This item was heard together with Item 5.

Prior to each presentation, CHAIR WILDER welcomed each of the groups and advised them they would be given five minutes for their presentation, followed by five minutes for the Board to ask questions. Subsequent to each presentation, she advised the Board would be voting on the recommended funding awards at a later meeting, and applicants were to contact CANDACE BORING, Management Analyst I, with any questions.

LLDM Youth Volunteers – The Light of the World Youth Volunteers – Through a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which was submitted for the record, ADI PEREZ and JEREMIAH RODRIGUEZ spoke about their project to make Mother's Day gift baskets. Residents at Arthur McCants Manor will receive gift baskets, which the group hoped will demonstrate their appreciation for mothers within the community. The project will include 27 youth volunteers, who will contribute approximately 45 volunteer hours. The group requested \$1,250 to purchase gift basket items, noting information about the project will be disseminated through community meetings, and the group's experience will be shared via social media.

In response to several questions from the Members, MS. PEREZ and MS. RODRIGUEZ informed the Board that they wished to assemble at least 45 gift baskets with 15 or more items, and they will provide flyers to the residents before the gift baskets are distributed at a small party. They believed 45 gift baskets were enough but hoped to make more. MEMBER CATARATA complimented the presentation and congratulated the presenters on their first application.

Las Vegas Light of the World Church – Care Packages for Elders – Utilizing a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which was submitted for the record, SIMRI PEREZ said he organized a group of youth members to create Father's Day gift baskets to give to residents at the Arthur McCants Manor, which was thought of during a group brainstorming session. This is the group's first time applying for funding. MR. PEREZ said \$1,508 was requested, which will be spent on supplies for 64 gift baskets. There will be 15 volunteers ranging in age from 12 to 19 years old, and 35 volunteer hours have been pledged. Social media and flyers will be utilized to share information about the project.

MR. PEREZ informed MEMBER BOYD-WEATHERLY and MEMBER BONAVENTURA that he planned to assemble and distribute the gift baskets on the same day. The gift baskets will be assembled at Light of the World Church, which he attends. MEMBER McNAIR loved the presentation and wondered if 64 gift baskets were enough, and MR. PEREZ said he hoped so. He told MEMBER VIRGIL and MEMBER SKOUSON that Father's Day was selected in honor of his grandfather, mentioning that his great grandparents live at the facility. MEMBER SKOUSON believed there is a mutual benefit when youth and seniors interact with each other.

Heroes & Hearts – The Blessing Project – JUSTYN BOUMAN, Founder and CEO (Chief Executive Officer) of Heroes & Hearts, said he is six years old. For the past two years, the Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program (YNAPP) Board has granted funding for The Blessing Project, which thanks community workers. This year, he requested \$1,250 to give thanks to more community workers, and he shared a video about the project.

MR. BOUMAN informed CHAIR WILDER that he planned to make 100 bags. MEMBER PARKER complimented the presentation and wondered what inspired MR. BOUMAN. He said he was inspired when he watched the news and wondered why sanitation workers were not thanked. He confirmed for MEMBER SKOUSON that this year's project will recognize clowns, gardeners, and pilots. He mentioned that the Urban Chamber of Commerce has already donated masks. MEMBER CATARATA also complimented MR. BOUMAN on his project and was happy to see him again this year.

Jobs for Nevada's Graduates – Operation Sibling – Through a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which was submitted for the record, KANISHA HARRELL, RAFAEL PENA, BRYAN ROMERO, CHRISTIAN CERNAS, and ELAINA CATILLON shared in presenting on Operation Sibling. The goal of Operation Sibling is to help make the transition from middle school to high school smoother by bringing awareness to the opportunities that high school provides. It will also help support students by offering biweekly tutoring at K.O. Knudson Middle School, and a tour of Valley High School will be given. They also planned to host a carnival to raise additional funds. The previous project, Project YAY (Youth Assisting Youth) in partnership with Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth, received \$1,250 for backpacks, which were donated to students. The group explained the items needed for this project, indicating that \$1,250 was requested this year. The biweekly tutoring will include over 30 volunteers with different specializations, and each volunteer will tutor one to two students. The group will take photos and videos during the events and will post them on social media. They concluded their presentation by stating that this project will help disadvantaged students, as 63 percent of high schoolers in Las Vegas are considered economically disadvantaged. More specifically, 73 percent of high schoolers at Valley

High School are economically disadvantaged, and 100 percent of students at K.O. Knudson Middle School are considered economically disadvantaged.

MEMBER THOMPSON wondered how the statistics for economically disadvantaged students were obtained. MS. CATILLON said most of the information was found on the school's website. In response to a question from CHAIR WILDER, MS. HARRELL stated that the group will host events with students where they will inform them of tutoring opportunities. MEMBER GOURDET wondered about COVID-19 protocols, to which MS. HARRELL said they will follow the protocols in place, such as capacity restrictions and require mask-wearing, as well as sanitizing all carnival stations and supplies. MEMBER FAJARDO asked if the tables in the budget will be purchased or rented, to which MR. CERNAS replied purchased. MEMBER SIERRA complimented the presentation and wondered how students would be chosen for tutoring. MS. HARRELL said the students will be part of the eighth grade, but the number of students will not be limited. MEMBER CATARATA also complimented the presentation and recommended the group continue to connect with the teachers and principal at K.O. Knudson Middle School. He wondered about the tutoring topics. MR. PENA said topics will include math, science, reading, and English. MEMBER SKOUSON was confused about the carnival and fundraising. MS. HARRELL said the carnival entrance fee will be used to help middle school students with high school fees. The carnival is open to everyone. MR. CERNAS informed MEMBER VIRGIL that flyers will be distributed, and the group will speak to 8th Grade teachers to disseminate information about the project.

CC Ronnow Elementary School – One World, One Night – Through a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which was submitted and attached as backup, ZARIAH CALAHAN, ITZEL SERRANO, REYNALDO CANO, and ELMER ALMAYA shared in presenting their project. MS. CALAHAN stated that C.C. Ronnow Elementary School has received a YNAPP grant in the past and explained that this project will encourage families to share culturally specific food at a family engagement night. At least six different cultures will be represented at the event, and funding will go towards food, crafts, and materials. Several meetings will be held to discuss and plan the event, and both students and adults will volunteer. To share the group's experiences with others, the students will post information on social media, through student announcements, and in the yearbook. Each event attendee will receive a passport and stamp from each country they visit.

MEMBER BOYD-WEATHERLY wondered how the group will determine what food to purchase. MS. CALAHAN was unsure but informed MEMBER VIRGIL that the food will be pre-made. MEMBER BONAVENTURA wondered how many people will help with arts and crafts and the event, as well as how the event will be promoted. ERIN WINDER, an advisor, said they will promote the event through the morning announcements, flyers, and ParentLink. She believed 20-25 people will volunteer, which will include AmeriCorps members, high school tutors, and staff. MEMBER GOURDET wondered what the hardest part of the project process was for the group. MS. CALAHAN said practicing their presentation. MEMBER PARKER wondered why it was important to promote cultural awareness. MS. CALAHAN said it helps people to feel good about themselves. MEMBER CATARATA complimented the presentation and wondered what the group was most excited about. MS. CALAHAN said traveling. MEMBER SIERRA thanked the group for their presentation and said it brought joy to his heart.

Coping Kids – Coping Skills for Kids – Utilizing a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which was submitted and attached as backup, ROBERT BARSEL, Team Captain for Coping Skills for Kids (Coping Kids), explained that Coping Kids was founded in 2017 by MR. BARSEL'S mother, KELLY, and himself. The four main goals of the organization are to educate children on healthy coping skills, to identify and articulate emotions, to build healthy relationships, and to improve self-compassion. This is the first time the group has applied for YNAPP funding, and \$1,250 was requested for color reproductions of the workbooks and manual and supplies for group activities. They will volunteer with three organizations, which are Nevada Youth Network, Project 150, and The Meadows School. Additionally, the group is seeking its 501(c)(3) status to establish a website, and MR. BARSEL is working on a bill to propose during the 2023 Legislative Session. He shared a personal story of his own therapy experience.

MR. BARSEL informed MEMBER GOURDET that the project is available to all students. He was unsure about a career as a therapist but told MEMBER SKOUSON that he would continue to volunteer. He confirmed that the recreational therapy supplies would be reused until they break and will be stored at the Nevada Youth Network. He informed MEMBER ALVAREZ that at the Nevada Youth Network, they average approximately 10-15

participants, at Project 150, they average approximately two to five participants, and at The Meadows School, they average approximately seven to 10 participants. MEMBER SIERRA complimented the presentation and asked about the project's implementation into middle and high school health curriculum. MR. BARSEL said his sister, PEYTON BARSEL, drafted a bill for the 2021 Legislative Session to require mental health training for teachers.

Kay Carl Student Council – Kay Carl Gratitude Gifts – OLIVIA ESPARAZA, SAMM STUCKI, SADIE McDOWELL, OWEN ANDERSON, SETH KRANZ, LIAM DOIDGE, and TIMBRE ZLOMKE shared in presenting about their project. They applied for the YNAPP grant to help purchase supplies to create gratitude boxes to recognize essential workers within the community. The project will help essential workers feel appreciated and supported. The group stated that \$1,250 was requested to purchase supplies for the gratitude boxes, which will be delivered to health care workers, first responders, and delivery drivers. With the help of the student council leaders, the group will write a reflective paper, which will explain how the project has inspired the students to do more for the community and how they are able to make a difference in the community.

MEMBER GOURDET thought this was a wonderful project but wondered why Tylenol was a needed item. SUMMER (no last name given) said it might help the essential workers who get headaches. MS. ESPARAZA informed MEMBER VIRGIL that they would make 50 gratitude boxes. MEMBER McNAIR wondered where the gratitude boxes would be distributed. MS. McDOWELL replied to daycare workers, police, firemen, and doctors. MEMBER BOYD-WEATHERLY asked the students to tell what they most looked forward to about this project. MS. ZLOMKE said she looked forward to giving back to those who have worked hard during the COVID-19 pandemic. MR. DOIDGE told MEMBER THOMPSON that the gratitude boxes will be made available to everyone. MR. ANDERSON confirmed for MEMBER GOURDET that he hoped to do this project again in the future. MEMBER CATARATA noted an event would be held at City Hall, where doctors and nurses who provided vaccines will be recognized. He was happy to work with staff so the group could recognize these doctors and nurses.

Cheyenne High School Batteries Included/GEMS - Teddy Bears & Tees – Utilizing a PowerPoint presentation, a copy of which was submitted for the record, LANYA SANDERS, Junior and Sergeant-at-Arms for this project; REBECCA GONZALEZ, 11th Grade student and President of Batteries Included; LIZABETH MORAN CID, 12th Grade student and Outgoing President of Batteries Included; ANTONELLA CANAVESI, Junior and Vice President; BEE DALISAY, early graduate and Vice President; BONNY VILLASANA, 12th Grade student and photographer; NZINGA FRANK, Sophomore and Secretary; and TANIYAH JACKSON, Freshman and Member, introduced themselves. The group presented on this project, which was a joint program between the Key Club and Batteries Included. The goal of this project is to provide the basics of self-care. At the beginning of the event, participants will receive a teddy bear with an adoption certificate and a folder that includes a stamp card. The stamp card encourages the students to visit each station at an upcoming event and can be traded for bear bucks that can be used to purchase accessories for the teddy bear. The Members' attention was directed to the PowerPoint slide that listed the budgeted items that will be provided to the participants. In addition, an outline of the event stations was shown. Posters, flyers, digital flyers, school promotions, bulletin boards, social media, and e-mails to the teachers will be ways in which the students will disseminate information about the event.

The group informed MEMBERS McNAIR and VIRGIL that the event will be held from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Doolittle Community Center, and they plan to distribute approximately 50 bears. They hoped to have about 50 children participate. MEMBER GOURDET loved the project idea but wondered where the \$400 donation was from. MS. SANDERS replied the amount was received from donors' dues.

MS. BORING announced that the Members received sandwich wraps from the Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl on the second day of presentations and essential worker and vehicle figurines from Heroes & Hearts at this meeting.

CHAIR WILDER recessed the meeting from 5:18 p.m. to 6:05 p.m.

5. Presentations on Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program applications by presenters listed on the December 6 and 9, 2021 agendas who were excused by the Board on the presenter's originally scheduled meeting date

Minutes:

See Item 4 for related discussion.

6. Discussion for possible action regarding the scoring and recommended funding of the Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program for Fiscal Year 2021-22

Minutes:

CANDACE BORING, Management Analyst I, asked the Members to pull out their booklets with presentation notes for reference. A spreadsheet was provided to the Members, a copy of which was submitted for the record, that detailed each group name, the project title, how much they have asked for, their grant match, and the ward where their project will take place. The Members were asked to share their concerns and highlights about the groups as well as how much funding should be awarded to each. She noted that Jobs 4 Nevada's Graduates (J4NG) – Canyon Cares was automatically disqualified from funding because they did not attend their presentation on December 6, 2021, and were not allowed a makeup presentation. ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY JEFF DOROCAL instructed the Members on how to proceed with the discussion and how to make a motion.

Code Switch: Restorative Justice for Girls of Color – The Overachiever's Fund – MEMBER

BONAVENTURA liked the presentation and that the group distributes its own grants; however, he was concerned that the applicant has restricted these grants to only one specific demographic group. He thought the grants should be accessible to anyone who applies for them, as long as they meet a general criterion. MEMBER THOMPSON thought the group was trying to target low-income students and believed the criterion is allowed to focus on that. MEMBER GOURDET agreed with MEMBER THOMPSON but also understood MEMBER BONAVENTURA'S perspective. MEMBER SKOUSON mentioned the group also talked about working with different public high schools, some of which are located outside of the city. She thought there should be stipulations on this and funds be used for schools within Las Vegas city limits only. MS. BORING said she would ensure the funds are allocated to schools within city limits, which is a requirement of the grant.

AKATeens Youth Enrichment Group – AKATeens Serving Our Community – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250. MEMBER BONAVENTURA liked this project and thought the group was well prepared. He also liked that there were donated items to complement the requested amount. MEMBER ALVAREZ thought some of the schools mentioned were outside of city limits and asked staff to verify. MEMBER GOURDET also liked this project because it targets homeless youth. She supported funding the requested amount.

Angelic Leaders – Angelic Leaders Project – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250. MEMBER THOMPSON wondered if he could vote on this applicant as he was absent from their presentation. MS. BORING affirmed he could vote if he read the application. MEMBER GOURDET did not support funding the entire amount, as she could not see the impact of this project in comparison to the other applicants. MS. BORING mentioned there was \$45,000 in grant funding available, and there was enough funding available to award additional funds to groups at the Members' discretion.

MEMBER SIERRA was confused by the presentation and the project's overall impact on the community. MEMBER SKOUSON liked the presentation and the idea of a mural. She thought the group was well organized and liked that a local artist will help with the mural. MEMBER PARKER agreed with MEMBER SKOUSON and felt that artwork can serve as a crime prevention element. MEMBER McNAIR asked for clarification regarding the rocks mentioned in the application. MEMBER BONAVENTURA thought special messages would be written on the rocks. He felt the funding request was an appropriate amount, and he liked the artwork component of the project.

Subsequent to MEMBER BONAVENTURA'S motion, MS. BORING confirmed for MEMBER RAMIREZ that the requested amount in ZoomGrants was \$1,200. The budget listed on the spreadsheet was \$1,113.10, which she believed the applicant might have rounded up to \$1,200.

Kellen Cares – Kookin’ with Kellen – MS. BORING said this applicant budgeted \$1,200 for this project but requested \$1,250. MEMBER GOURDET reminded the other Members that this presentation was by a little boy who cooks for the senior community using their recipes. She loved this project and wished to award the requested amount. MEMBER VIRGIL liked how the project brought the event to the participants rather than the participants having to travel to the event. MEMBER SKOUSON was also impressed by this project and remembered the applicant applying before. She believed he was collaborating with his sister. MEMBER RAMIREZ agreed that the presentation was great.

Pajama Party – Cameron’s Cotton Candy for a Cause – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and the budget reflected this in ZoomGrants. MEMBER SIERRA found it interesting that the applicant wished to collaborate with other events and thought it was different from how other projects have been done. MEMBER BONAVENTURA liked the project but wondered about the purchased products. MEMBER RAMIREZ said the applicant will keep the supplies in storage, and any other YNAPP (Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program) group can borrow the supplies. MEMBER SKOUSON believed this project, as well as Kookin’ with Kellen and Peyton’s Positivity Project, will reuse the supplies. MS. BORING believed this was okay because the supplies total less than \$500.

Reese’s Pieces – Peyton’s Positivity Project – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which their budget reflected. MEMBER GOURDET liked the specific items mentioned in the project and how the care packages would be given to teachers.

Kenny Guinn Center for Policy Priorities – Bags of Hope – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and the ZoomGrants application reflected this. MEMBER GOURDET liked the thoroughness of the project. MEMBER BONAVENTURA liked that there was more money in donated supplies than in City requests, and the applicants seemed invested in the project.

Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl – Coding Workshop and Tech/Science Quizbowl – MS. BORING said this applicant’s ZoomGrants budget reflected \$1,250. MEMBER BONAVENTURA liked this project and noted it is completed every year. He noted the group asked for four Chromebooks, which totaled \$1,100. The Member thought the funds could be distributed more equitably, and he wished to establish a maximum amount that can be spent on gifts. MEMBER THOMPSON thought the applicants might already have the supplies needed for the event and were coming to the Board for prize money. MEMBER SKOUSON did not have a problem with the money being used for the Chromebooks and believed it fit the scope of the project. MEMBER RAMIREZ agreed with MEMBER SKOUSON and pointed out that the event will be large, with over 100 students participating. MEMBER BONAVENTURA said out of principle, \$275 gifts are not the purpose of the YNAPP Board; therefore, he could not support this application.

LVMPD Foundation – Bolden Lions Youth Soccer Mentoring Program – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which was reflected in their budget. MEMBER PARKER confirmed with MR. DOROCAK that he works for Metro (Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department) but felt comfortable with voting on this project. MS. BORING said MEMBER CATARATA had communicated with her that he really liked this project. MEMBER BONAVENTURA also liked this project, and MEMBER THOMPSON felt the work done by the applicants for this project deserved more than the requested amount. MEMBER THOMPSON was agreeable to awarding an additional \$250. Discussion ensued among the Members regarding awarding more than the requested amount. MEMBER SKOUSON commented that many groups could reach out to other businesses and organizations for additional funding.

Kids that Recycle – Kids that Recycle – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their budget reflected that amount. MEMBER SIERRA liked the presentation but had concerns about the applicant buying empty soda cans and water bottles. He believed another Member had suggested the group ask for recyclables. MEMBER SKOUSON thought this could be added as a stipulation to the motion. MEMBER GOURDET liked the presentation and thought the group was trying to help change students’ minds about global warming. She supported the full request. Subsequent to MEMBER GOURDET’S motion, MEMBER THOMPSON stated that he found it disturbing that the applicant had not thought about asking for donations. MEMBER GOURDET considered that it could be because of COVID-19 regulations. She also pointed out that the group will be

making things out of the recyclables, and the items might need to be new. MEMBER THOMPSON wondered where the group will purchase the recyclables and asked that a stipulation be added regarding sanitation. MEMBER BONAVENTURA shared the same feelings as MEMBER THOMPSON and noted that he looked up the cost of new paper towel rolls and bottles, and it equates to the requested amount in the application. MS. BORING also assumed the recyclables would be new, as she believed the group was unsure if they could collect enough donations.

SUGAR Mentoring Program – Sugarburst Step/Dance Cheer Camp – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their budget reflected this in ZoomGrants. MEMBER BONAVENTURA loved that the group spends time teaching and getting people involved.

Regarding additional funding requests, MS. BORING informed MEMBER SIERRA that The Superfriends – Super Bowlers was the only applicant to put an additional funding request in their budget narrative and thought it might be unfair if they are the only group that is considered for additional funding. She noted her child is part of that group.

Project Dot – YNAPP Grant – Project Dot – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which their budget reflected. MEMBER GOURDET loved this project and thought it would help many women. She wished to award the group additional funds but was unsure of the amount. MS. BORING mentioned that the applicant explained in their budget narrative how they would utilize additional funding but informed MEMBER GOURDET that they did not specify how much more money they wanted. MEMBERS THOMPSON, McNAIR, SKOUSON, GOURDET, and SIERRA shared their opinions regarding awarding additional funding to this applicant, and it was determined that the Board would be in favor of an additional amount.

Books and Ballet – Books and Ballet – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which the budget did not accurately reflect. The budgeted amount was \$1,248. MEMBER PARKER said this was his favorite presentation, and he liked how ballet would be taught virtually. He supported recommending an additional \$250 to purchase future supplies. MEMBER FAJARDO also loved this project, as it incorporates grade-level reading, and it is virtual. MEMBERS GOURDET and SIERRA liked the book selection and the project's uniqueness.

MR. DOROCAC explained to MEMBER THOMPSON the abstention process. To CHAIR WILDER, he explained the deliberation process and why Board members are allowed to remain in the room during the discussion.

Moore Sweets – Cupcakes of Joy – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and the budget reflected \$1,246.85. MEMBER BONAVENTURA liked the idea of the project but was cautious about funding some of the supplies, as the applicant had many of the items already. CHAIR WILDER agreed with MEMBER BONAVENTURA and did not think an additional mixer was needed. MEMBER GOURDET thought the additional mixer could be helpful if the other mixer breaks. MEMBER FAJARDO asked if there is a maximum funding amount for these types of purchases. MS. BORING said when an item is purchased for more than \$500, there is a process the City must take to retain the items, and the applicant must further report what the item is being used for. MEMBER PARKER agreed with MEMBER GOURDET regarding a second mixer and supported the request. MEMBER THOMPSON wondered if the second mixer could be returned to the City after the grant is awarded. MS. BORING said a stipulation could be added, such as requiring a monthly report regarding the mixer's use, but it has not been required before. MEMBER PARKER pointed out that the applicants offered to share the second mixer with other YNAPP groups in their application.

Subsequent to MEMBER FAJARDO'S motion, MEMBER BONAVENTURA pointed out that the capital gain the group will receive from the grant award is \$723.11 from purchased supplies. He thought the Board should shy away from allowing applicants to request items that may be for one-time use and kept after the completion of the project. He believed there should be a maximum amount for gifts and items that can be kept. MS. BORING confirmed for MEMBER SIERRA that the group is a first-time applicant, stating that they like to bake and deliver cupcakes to the elderly and homeless youth through the Nevada Partnership of Homeless Youth. They picked this project because they want to give back to the community. Some of the money awarded will also go towards writing notes to community residents. MEMBER SKOUSON thought this was a hard decision and noted that the last line of the budget narrative indicates that the non-perishable food items and other products, like the mixer

and measuring cups, will be used to bake and donate cupcakes to the elderly and homeless youth beyond the scope of this project. MS. BORING added that the Board can add a stipulation for a quarterly report to ensure the mixer is used beyond the scope of this project. If they do not adhere to this stipulation, the applicant will be disqualified from future YNAPP applications.

Batteries Included Next Generation (Gibson) – Leadership Tennis Club – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their ZoomGrants application reflected this amount. MEMBER SIERRA complimented the presentation and said it was different from what he is used to. MEMBER GOURDET agreed and was impressed by the matched volunteer hours. MEMBER SKOUSON stated that she asked the applicant if they could reuse their equipment, and they said yes.

STARS Community Development Corporation – Community Fun Day and Basic Needs Giveaway – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which their budget reflected. MEMBER GOURDET said this project will give needed products to the community at an event hosted at the Doolittle Community Center. She thought it was well put together and liked that the applicant will work with partners. Subsequent to MEMBER GOURDET'S motion, MEMBER SKOUSON said she had some confusion about what exactly is being done by the group. MS. BORING explained for MEMBER THOMPSON the purpose of a report, which she stated holds the group accountable, identifies the number of volunteer hours completed, shows how many donations were received, and provides feedback about the process. The report also helps with accountability and assists MS. BORING with reporting to her superiors in order to continue to receive YNAPP funding. She confirmed those reports are reviewable, and this applicant completed their projects in the past. MS. BORING shared some feedback about the applicant from last year. MEMBER SIERRA thought that because MS. BORING had reports detailing that the applicant fulfilled the goals outlined in their application, they are trustworthy enough to be approved, despite some confusion.

The Superfriends – Super Bowlers – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which their budget reflected. She confirmed for MEMBER THOMPSON that her daughter is one of the youth team leaders on this project. She attended the public speaking workshop, but MS. BORING believed she may have told her daughter about additional funding outside of that. MS. BORING explained that her daughter works with her grandmother on this project. MEMBER PARKER thought the group did a great job and liked their involvement with other groups and mentors.

Essential Beauties – Essential Beauties – MEMBER SKOUSON liked this project and thought it was unique. She liked that the group wished to give back and is definite about who they wished to give back to. She expressed concern with some of the supplies being pricey but felt confident that the applicant was willing to look into more affordable items. MEMBER THOMPSON wondered how many teachers would receive gift baskets. MEMBER GOURDET believed 25 teachers. MS. BORING added that the applicant asked the Board to nominate an additional recipient to receive a gift basket. MEMBER GOURDET nominated SARA FOLKERTS, an Athletic Assistant at Legacy High School, who has helped the student athletes with their positions as well as with passing their classes. MEMBER McNAIR nominated SHERRY CHRISTIANSEN from Molasky Junior School. MEMBER THOMPSON nominated SAMANTHA JIMINEZ HOOKS from Roy W. Martin Middle School. MEMBER SIERRA believed the applicant mentioned picking additional teachers themselves in order to save the Board time and stress. MR. DOROCAR reviewed the various motions the Board could make on this project. MEMBER GOURDET recommended suggesting two teachers that were mentioned and allowing the applicant to make a decision. MEMBER THOMPSON said additional money could be allocated to support the teachers who were nominated. MEMBER SKOUSON loved the idea of passing on the wealth to as many teachers as possible and was interested in granting the applicant the requested amount and asking the applicant to pare down their supplies in order to make more gift baskets. MR. DOROCAR clarified that the motion was to award the fully requested amount without any specific teachers named, with a recommendation from the Board for more teachers to receive gift baskets by paring down the budget in terms of making the baskets less pricey. He asserted that this was conditional advice.

Unity's Youth Warriors – Unity Community Explosion – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which was reflected in their budget in ZoomGrants. MEMBER THOMPSON thought this group was trying to send care packages to students but not all are located in Nevada. MEMBER VIRGIL corrected that the group was Nehemiah Ministries Christian Church. MEMBER GOURDET said this group's project is a resource fair

with a food and clothing drive. They have pledged 22,344 volunteer hours and received a donation of \$760. She thought this was a great idea and most of the money will go towards food.

Wild N Out Wednesdays Youth Advisory Council – Artistically Motivate – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which their budget reflected. MEMBER BONAVENTURA liked the idea of the project but expressed concern about the QR (quick response) code and recommended restricting what can be included on the voting boxes. He thought it should only include information from the Clark County Election Department and made this part of his motion. MEMBER SIERRA disagreed with this condition, as one of the things the group emphasized is that much of what is taught as an organization comes from Motivate. MEMBER BONAVENTURA said the Board has no control over how anything might be skewed, and he did not want City dollars to go towards a specific political cause. He believed this would keep the project nonpartisan. MEMBER GOURDET said she has worked with this group, and they are focused on helping minority groups to vote. She wondered if this condition would affect voting. MEMBER BONAVENTURA believed the group picked the ZIP Codes they wished to focus on and would design the voting boxes based on that. His only concern was with the QR code. MR. DOROCAR restated MEMBER BONAVENTURA'S motion for clarity.

Nehemiah Ministries Christian Church – College Aged Foster Youth – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their budget reflected that. MEMBER GOURDET remembered from the presentation that this project was by students from the Las Vegas area who are going to college, and some care packages would be sent to students at HBCUs (Historically Black Colleges and Universities). She thought this was a great idea because college is expensive.

Subsequent to MEMBER GOURDET'S motion, MEMBER PARKER agreed the project is a good idea and wanted the care packages to stay with local students. MEMBER VIRGIL understood MEMBER PARKER'S concerns but felt that even though the students are attending college out of state, they are still from Las Vegas. She did not think there should be any stipulations. MEMBER SIERRA clarified that the concern is with out-of-state students, not students from Las Vegas going out of state. He asked that care packages stay in Nevada. MEMBER GOURDET restated her motion with a stipulation requiring the care packages to be given to students from the Las Vegas area. MEMBER THOMPSON questioned if this was necessary. MS. BORING stated that according to the rules of YNAPP, the money must be spent and go towards those who are within the Las Vegas city limits. Given MS. BORING'S comment, MR. DOROCAR said a condition is not needed, but it can be included for emphasis. MEMBER THOMPSON wondered if confirmation should be received from the group to ensure the students are from Las Vegas. MS. BORING said the rules are put forth, and when the funds are spent, she will manage how the funds are distributed. She did not want to believe that people are untrustworthy and tries her best to ensure the funds are going to citizens within Las Vegas. She added that the Board could require that the applicant report the students' home addresses during the selection process. MS. BORING confirmed for MEMBER GOURDET that this was the applicant's first year applying. MEMBER GOURDET thought this was an organized and truthful organization, and she considered having the group ask students about their addresses. MEMBER THOMPSON considered asking about the students' school. MEMBER SIERRA advised against asking about addresses as this is personal information.

Blight eSports – High School eSports Food Drive – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and the budget on their application reflected that. MEMBER SIERRA thought one of the items requested by the group was for a Nintendo Switch, and he suggested asking them for a quarterly report about it starting the day they receive funding. MEMBER GOURDET noticed the volunteer hours pledged were more than the requested grant amount. MEMBER PARKER thought this was an awesome project and an innovative way for kids to socialize. MEMBER SKOUSAON agreed and liked this idea. She thought eSports appeals to many different age groups. MEMBER PARKER added that one console would not be enough for a large turnout at the event and considered adding another console for the project as part of his motion. MS. BORING announced the Nintendo Switch is budgeted at \$300, and \$420 with the price of the game. MEMBER PARKER confirmed for MR. DOROCAR that he wished to include this addition in his motion, which ultimately failed. MEMBER SKOUSAON stated that she could not support the inclusion of additional funds and made a subsequent motion for the originally requested amount. MEMBER VIRGIL wondered if the group could ask participants to bring their own devices to the event; however, MEMBER GOURDET remembered this question was asked when the applicant presented, and there was a fear that those consoles may not work at the event. She wished to add a stipulation requesting quarterly reports for the Nintendo Switch. MEMBER SKOUSAON was agreeable to adding

this stipulation as part of her motion.

LLDM Youth Volunteers – The Light of the World Youth Volunteers – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their budget reflected \$1,022.41. MEMBER SKOUSON liked this idea and thought it was nice the applicant had a connection with the group. MEMBER BONAVENTURA agreed and thought the items included in the baskets were diverse and well thought out. Subsequent to the motion and vote, MEMBER BONAVENTURA spoke with MS. BORING about following up on the volunteer hours pledged.

Las Vegas Light of the World Church – Care Packages for Elders – MS. BORING said the requested amount was \$1,058, and the budget reflected this. MEMBER GOURDET asked for clarification regarding pledged volunteer hours. MS. BORING stated that all of the groups met the grant match whether that be through volunteer hours or donations of goods and services pledged. MEMBER BONAVENTURA questioned the number of volunteer hours for this group.

Heroes & Hearts – The Blessing Project – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which was the amount in ZoomGrants. MEMBER SIERRA thought this was a great applicant and project.

Jobs for Nevada's Graduates – Operation Sibling – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their budget reflected that. MEMBER SKOUNSON said this group mentioned that they are using the grant funds to host a carnival and pointed out that they are charging for admittance. MS. BORING was aware of this and explained that if YNAPP funds are being used, the group cannot charge participants; however, they can raise money through the sale of items that have not been purchased with YNAPP funds. MEMBER SKOUSON thought this was a great project but added a stipulation to her motion.

CC Ronnow Elementary School – One World, One Night – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which matched their budget. MEMBER GOURDET said she remembered this presentation and thought it was a good idea.

Coping Kids – Coping Skills for Kids – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which matched their budget. MEMBER GOURDET loved this presentation and supported granting the group an additional \$150. MEMBER VIRGIL liked MEMBER GOURDET'S comments but was unsure about giving additional funds.

Kay Carl Student Council – Kay Carl Gratitude Gifts – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, and their budget in ZoomGrants reflected \$1,245. MEMBER BONAVENTURA noted that Kay Carl Elementary School is located in Ward 6.

Cheyenne High School Batteries Included/GEMS – Teddy Bears & Teas – MS. BORING said this applicant requested \$1,250, which matched their budget. MEMBER GOURDET thought this was an adorable idea, which will be targeted towards kids to maintain their hygiene. MEMBER BONAVENTURA requested that their volunteer hours be verified, to which MS. BORING confirmed she would inquire about them.

MR. DOROCAR requested that MS. BORING review all of the awarded amounts. He stated that staff would collect the Members' booklets, which were not submitted for the record. MEMBER SIERRA thanked the Members for making his time worthwhile and gave kudos to the youth members.

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,250 for Code Switch – Restorative Justice for Girls of Color with the condition that the project care packages and grants be spent on schools within the jurisdiction of the City of Las Vegas

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for AKATeens Youth Enrichment Group – AKATeens Serving Our Community

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,113.10 for Angelic Leaders – Angelic Leaders Project

Passed For: 12; Against: 2; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest; Against-Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Brianna Ramirez to Approve \$1,200 for Kellen Cares – Kookin' with Kellen

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Melanie McNair to Approve \$1,250 for Pajama Party – Cameron's Cotton Candy for a Cause

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Becky Skouson to Approve \$1,250 for Reese's Pieces – Peyton's Positivity Project

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,250 for Kenny Guinn Center for Policy Priorities – Bags of Hope

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Andrew Sierra to Approve \$1,250 for the Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl – Coding Workshop and Tech/Science Quizbow

NOTE: Jeff Dorocak, Assistant City Attorney, disclosed that this group gave a gift to the Board of pinwheel sandwiches and advised the Members to tell him if they could not vote fairly because of this.

Passed For: 12; Against: 2; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Against-Chance Bonaventura, Lexie Wilder; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Daniel Thompson to Approve \$1,250 for LVMPD Foundation – Bolden Lions Youth Soccer Mentoring Program

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for Kids that Recycle – Kids that Recycle

NOTE: Member Virgil abstained from discussion and voting on this project as she previously went to school with the applicants.

Passed For: 12; Against: 1; Abstain: 1; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Against-Andrew Sierra; Abstain-Nia Virgil; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,250 for SUGAR Mentoring Program – Sugarburst Step/Dance Cheer Camp

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Daniel Thompson to Approve \$1,700 for Project Dot – YNAPP Grant – Project Dot

Passed For: 9; Against: 5; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Arlene Alvarez, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Against-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Melanie McNair; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Andrew Sierra to Approve \$1,250 for Books and Ballet – Books and Ballet

NOTE: Member Boyd-Weatherly abstained from discussion and voting on this project, because she is the applicant for this project.

Passed For: 12; Against: 1; Abstain: 1; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Mallory Priest, Daniel Thompson; Against-Arnold Parker; Abstain-Dre Boyd-Weatherly; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,246.85 for Moore Sweets – Cupcakes of Joy with the stipulation that a report be submitted quarterly until one year from date of funding

NOTE: An initial motion by Member Fajardo to Approve \$1,246.85 for Moore Sweets – Cupcakes of Joy failed with Members Skouson, Bonaventura, Sierra, Ramirez, Virgil, Boyd-Weatherly, and Thompson voting No.

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Andrew Sierra to Approve \$1,250 for Batteries Included Next Generation (Gibson) – Leadership Tennis Club

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for STARS Community Development Corporation – Community Fun Day and Basic Needs Giveaway

Passed For: 13; Against: 1; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Against-Becky Skouson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Arnold Parker to Approve \$1,250 for The Superfriends – Super Bowlers

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Becky Skouson to Approve \$1,250 for Essential Beauties – Essential Beauties

NOTE: Member Virgil abstained from discussion and voting on this project as the applicant is her sister.

Passed For: 9; Against: 4; Abstain: 1; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Melanie McNair, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest; Against-Arlene Alvarez, Alyssa Gourdet, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Abstain-Nia Virgil; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for Unity's Youth Warriors – Unity Community Explosion

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,250 for Wild N Out Wednesdays Youth Advisory Council – Artistically Motivated with the condition that any QR (quick response) codes, links, or advertising material on the boxes be limited to the Clark County Election Department

Passed For: 10; Against: 4; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Mallory Priest; Against-Andrew Sierra, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for Nehemiah Ministries Christian Church – College Aged Foster Youth with the stipulation that the care packages only be given to students from Las Vegas

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Becky Skouson to Approve \$1,250 for Blight eSports – High School eSports Food Drive with the stipulation that a report be submitted quarterly for one year on the use of the Nintendo Switch

NOTE: An initial motion to Approve \$1,670 for Blight eSports – High School eSports Food Drive failed with Members Skouson, Bonaventura, Fajardo, Sierra, Wilder, Ramirez, Alvarez, McNair, Virgil, Gourdet, Boyd-Weatherly, and Priest voting No and Member Thompson abstaining.

Member Thompson abstained from discussion and voting on this project as he is the Youth Leader for it.

Passed For: 12; Against: 1; Abstain: 1; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest; Against-Arnold Parker; Abstain-Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,022.41 for LLDM Youth Volunteers - The Light of the World Youth Volunteers

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,058 for Las Vegas Light of the World Church - Care Packages for Elders

Passed For: 13; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 1; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Did Not Vote-Lexie Wilder; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Andrew Sierra to Approve \$1,250 for Heroes & Hearts - The Blessing Project

NOTE: Jeff Dorocak, Assistant City Attorney, disclosed that this applicant presented toys to the Members and advised that unless anyone felt they could not vote because of this, to proceed as usual.

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Becky Skouson to Approve \$1,250 for Jobs for Nevada's Graduates - Operation Sibling with the stipulation that the applicant cannot charge for entry into the event but can sell items or ask for donations to raise money

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for CC Ronnow Elementary School - One World, One Night

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for Coping Kids – Coping Skills for Kids

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Chance Bonaventura to Approve \$1,245 for Kay Carl Student Council – Kay Carl Gratitude Gifts

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

Motion made by Alyssa Gourdet to Approve \$1,250 for Cheyenne High School Batteries Included/GEMS - Teddy Bears & Tees

Passed For: 14; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 3

For-Becky Skouson, Chance Bonaventura, Maria Fajardo, Andrew Sierra, Lexie Wilder, Brianna Ramirez, Arlene Alvarez, Melanie McNair, Nia Virgil, Alyssa Gourdet, Dre Boyd-Weatherly, Mallory Priest, Arnold Parker, Daniel Thompson; Excused-Harry Williams, Karl Catarata, Alexandra Rodriguez;

7. **Citizen Participation:** Public comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters within the jurisdiction of the Board. No subject may be acted upon by the Board unless that subject is on the agenda and is scheduled for action. If you wish to be heard, come forward and give your name for the record. The amount of discussion on any single subject, as well as the amount of time any single speaker is allowed, may be limited.

Minutes:
None.

8. **Adjournment**

Minutes:
The meeting was recessed from 5:18 p.m. to 6:05 p.m. and was adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Ashley Foster, CMC, Deputy City Clerk

Candace Boring, Management Analyst I

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