

**City of Buckeye
Youth Council Meeting
May 12, 2015
Minutes**

**Buckeye City Hall
Executive Conference Room
530 E Monroe Ave
Buckeye, AZ, 85326**

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

Secretary Bailey called the meeting to order

Councilmembers present: Councilmember Melendrez, , Councilmember Aziz, Secretary Bailey, Councilmember Denogean, Councilmember Maxwell (Aaron), Councilmember Maxwell (Ammon), Councilmember Sullenger, Chair Schneider (Kenzlee), Councilmember Schneider (Caelani), Councilmember Borbon

Councilmembers absent: Councilmember Valdez, Vice Chair Smith, Councilmember Green, Councilmember Brown, Councilmember Rosales, Councilmember Rusk

2. Buckeye Police Department Presentation – Officer Marina Dominguez

- a. Self-defense in schools
- b. Peer mediation
- c. Developing trust between student and officers/adults
- d. Personal life can also affect your professional life

3. Councilmembers: Denogean and Sullenger – Discuss Voting Process for New Members

- a. Anonymous (closed) vote
 - i. Includes honest opinion/votes/comments/concerns
- b. Possible interview process
 - i. Ex:
 1. Application
 2. Interview/Introduction of possible member
 3. Open discussion between members
 4. Offers opportunity to apply again
 - ii. Ex:
 1. Introducing background of the group
 2. Make possible members feel comfortable about joining
 3. Ask questions about how they feel about the community and what they feel they can offer to the community and the youth council

4. Chair Schneider – “Teen Dance”

- a. Admission: donation items
- b. Partner with Rec Center to make planning easier

5. May 26, 2016 Meeting

6. Questions/Discussion/Wrap Up/Project Work Session

7. Adjournment

A motion was made by Secretary Bailey and seconded by Councilmember Denogean to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed unanimously.