



**CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES**  
**"The Pass of the Oaks"**  
**Youth Commission**  
**Special Meeting Agenda**

**Wednesday, July 10, 2024, 5:00 PM**  
**Centennial Park - Live Oak Room**  
**600 Nickerson Drive**  
**Paso Robles, CA 93446**

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**Pages**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

**B. OATH OF OFFICE**

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Director, will administer the Oath of Office to newly appointed members:

- Abbygail Haynes
- Emily Santoro

**C. ROLL CALL**

Commissioners: Cole Ammann, Divyana Emmons, Abbygail Haynes, Olivia Odom, Andrew Perez, Amelia Peterson, Emily Santoro, Lane Shea, Aiden Welch  
Council Liaisons: Chris Bausch, Fred Strong

**D. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**E. PRESENTATIONS**

**1. Recreation Services Division Update**

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

**2. Overview of City of Paso Robles - Your City Government in Action**

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Director

**F. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS**

This is the time the public may address the Commission on items within the Commission's purview but not scheduled on the agenda. Each individual speaker will be limited to a presentation total of three (3) minutes per item. Those persons wishing to speak on any item scheduled on the agenda will be given an opportunity to do so at the time that item is being considered. State law does not allow the Commission to discuss

or take action on issues not on the agenda, except that members of the Commission or staff may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed by persons exercising their public testimony rights (Gov. Code sec. 54954.2).

**G. CONSENT CALENDAR**

**ITEMS ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR ARE CONSIDERED ROUTINE, NOT REQUIRING SEPARATE DISCUSSION.** However, if discussion is wanted by a member of the Commission or public the item may be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered separately. Commissioners and members of the public may offer comments or ask questions of clarification without removing an item from the Calendar.

1. **Approval of the May 1, 2024 Youth Commission Meeting Minutes** 3 - 4  
Gigi Clark, Administrative Assistant III
2. **Approval of the June 26, 2024 Community Services Advisory Bodies Special Joint Reorganization Meeting Minutes** 5 - 6  
Gigi Clark, Administrative Assistant III
3. **City Council Meeting Highlights of June 4, 2024 and June 18, 2024** 7 - 10  
Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

**H. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

1. **Elect Youth Commission Chairperson and Vice Chairperson** 11 - 11  
Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager
2. **Establish Youth Commission Goals for FY 2024-2025** 12 - 14  
Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

**I. COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT**

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Director

**J. COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS**

Councilmember Chris Bausch  
Councilmember Fred Strong

**K. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

**L. UPCOMING EVENTS**

1. Concerts in the Park, July 11, 2024, 6:00 to 8:00 PM, City Park
2. Coffee with the City Manager - Recreation Services, July 12, 2024, 7:30 to 8:30 AM, Patina at Cal Coast
3. Paso Robles City Council Meeting, July 16, 2024, 6:30 PM, Council Chambers
4. Concerts in the Park, July 18, 2024, 6:00 to 8:00 PM, City Park
5. Advisory Bodies Chairperson/Vice Chairperson Training Event, August 1, 2024, 4:00 to 6:00 PM, Council Chambers
6. Next Regular Youth Commission Meeting, August 7, 2024, Centennial Park

**M. ADJOURNMENT**



**CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES**

**"The Pass of the Oaks"**

**Youth Commission Minutes**

**May 1, 2024, 5:00 PM  
Centennial Park - White Oak Room  
600 Nickerson Drive  
Paso Robles, CA 93446**

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**A. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 5:07 PM

**B. ROLL CALL**

Commissioners: Cole Ammann, Divyana Emmons, Kalani Gaviola, Praise Namulene, Andrew Perez, Diego Pesquera, Laila Shea, Anthony Uribe, Easton Weir  
Council Liaisons: Chris Bausch, Fred Strong

**C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**D. PRESENTATIONS**

**1. Recreation Services Division Report**

Recreation Services Manager Lynda Plescia reported on Recreation Services' activities and announced that Commission Chairperson Namulene is scheduled to provide a Youth Commission Year-in-Review report to City Council on May 21, 2024. All commissioners were encouraged to attend.

**2. Teen Event Subcommittee Report**

Committeemembers: Namuleme, Perez, Shea, Weir

**3. Recruitment Subcommittee Report**

Committeemembers: Ammann, Emmons, Gaviola, Uribe

**4. Library's Finals Week Study Center Subcommittee Report**

Committeemembers: Ammann, Gaviola, Perez, Shea

**E. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

**F. CONSENT CALENDAR**

Motioned by Commissioner Ammann, seconded by Commissioner Shea, passed unanimously to approve items 1-2 of the Consent Calendar.

**AYES:** Ammann, Emmons, Gaviola, Namuleme, Perez, Pesquera, Shea, Uribe, Weir

1. **Approval of the April 10, 2024 Youth Commission Meeting Minutes**
2. **City Council Meeting Highlights of April 2, 2024 and April 16, 2024**

**G. COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT**

None

**H. COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS**

Councilmember Chris Bausch reported on wildfire preparedness and downtown parking. Councilmember Fred Strong reported on regional transit and improvements in electric buses.

**I. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

None

**J. UPCOMING EVENTS**

1. Application Period Closes for the Youth Commission May 1, 2024 at 5 PM
2. Super Summer Signup at Centennial Park May 11, 2024 at 9 AM to 12 PM
3. Paso Robles City Council Advisory Board Interviews May 16, 2024
4. Teen Movie Night at Centennial Park May 17, 2024 at 6:30 to 10:30 PM
5. Next Regular Youth Commission Meeting at Centennial Park June 5, 2024 at 5 PM
6. First Concert in the Park - JD Project (rock, country) Downtown City Park June 13, 2024 at 6 PM
7. Special Meeting: Community Services Department's Advisory Bodies' Reorganization Reception at Centennial Park June 26, 2024 at 4-6 PM

**K. ADJOURNMENT**

Motioned by Commissioner Shea, seconded by Commissioner Ammann, and passed unanimously by voice vote at 6:06 PM to adjourn to the Community Services Department's Joint Advisory Bodies' Reorganization special meeting on Wednesday, June 26, 2024.

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CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES

"The Pass of the Oaks"

Community Services Advisory Body Special Joint Meeting Reorganization Minutes

June 26, 2024, 4:00 p.m.  
Centennial Park - Banquet Room  
600 Nickerson Drive  
Paso Robles, CA 93446

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A. **RECEPTION**

B. **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 4:52 PM by Community Services Department Director Angelica Fortin.

C. **ROLL CALL**

**Library Board of Trustees:**

Trustees: Marilu Gomez, Jacob Allred (absent), Laurie Buchholz, Michael Miller, Raymond Hardie (absent)

Appointees: Laurie Buchholz, Gabriela Marquez Clark

**Senior Citizen Advisory Committee:**

Members: Ruth Grzybicki (absent), Becky Hallett (absent), Lisa Pohmajevich, Dan Rodriguez, Mara Whitten (absent)

Appointees: Dan Rodriguez, Prudence Zalewski

**Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee:**

Members: Dale Breckow, Richard Clayton, Gene Messina, Reilly Newman, Bill Saylor

Appointees: Richard Clayton, Gene Messina, Diane Zannotti

**Youth Commission:**

Commissioners: Cole Ammann (absent), Divyana Emmons (absent), Kalani Gaviola, Praise Namulene (absent), Andrew Perez, Diego Pesquera, Laila Shea, Anthony Uribe, Easton Weir

Appointees: Abbygail Haynes (absent), Olivia Odom, Amelia Peterson, Emily Santoro (absent), Lane Shea, Aiden Welch

**City Council:**

Councilmembers: Chris Bausch, Sharon Roden

**D. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**E. STAFF INTRODUCTIONS**

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Department Director

**F. RECOGNITION OF OUTGOING COMMITTEEMEMBERS AND TRUSTEES**

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Department Director

Eric Lashley, City Librarian, Paso Robles City Library

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

**G. INTRODUCTIONS AND OATHS OF OFFICE OF NEW COMMITTEEMEMBERS AND TRUSTEES**

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Department Director

Eric Lashley, City Librarian, Paso Robles City Library

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

The Oath of Office was administered by Ty Lewis, City Manager.

**H. UPCOMING EVENTS**

July 4, 2024 July 4th Celebration, Barney Schwartz Park, 2 PM

July 8, 2024 regular Senior Citizen Advisory Committee meeting, Paso Robles Senior Center, 1:30 PM

July 8, 2024 regular Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting, Centennial Park, 4 PM

July 10, 2024 special Youth Commission meeting, Centennial Park, 5 PM

July 11, 2024 regular Library Board of Trustees meeting, City Library, 9 AM

July 16, 2024 City Council meeting, Council Chambers, 6:30 PM

**I. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 5:14 PM to the next regular meetings of the Library Board of Trustees, Senior Citizen Advisory Committee, and Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee, and to the special meeting of the Paso Robles Youth Commission to be held on July 10, 2024.



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# City Council Meeting Highlights from June 4, 2024

## Presentations

1. **Hunger Awareness Day Proclamation (June 7, 2024)**
  - The City Council proclaimed June 7, 2024, as Hunger Awareness Day, highlighting the efforts of the SLO Food Bank and encouraging community participation to address food insecurity in San Luis Obispo County.
2. **Amateur Radio Week Proclamation (June 16-23, 2024)**
  - The City Council proclaimed the week of June 16-23, 2024, as Amateur Radio Week, recognizing the contributions of amateur radio operators in emergency communications and community services.
3. **Capital Projects Report**
  - Public Works staff gave status updates on current projects including the Creston Corridor Project, Wright Way road repairs, fiber optic cable repairs and upgrades, water service upgrades in Sierra Bonita, Centennial Park parking lot repairs. New projects about to begin include 17<sup>th</sup> Street pedestrian improvements, Elm Court and Palm Court street repairs, pavement restriping at Theatre Drive, Dallons Drive and Tower Road. View the presentation
  - Staff invited Council and residents to participate in the July 4 celebration at Barney Schwartz Park as an attendee, volunteer or sponsor. There will be live music, food, games, free RV parking and fireworks.

#### 4. **Point in Time Survey Presentation**

- San Luis Obispo County Homeless Services, along with more than 250 volunteers, conducted a Point in Time survey the night of January 22, 2024 of all individuals experiencing homelessness in SLO County. There are currently 144 individuals experiencing homelessness in Paso Robles – 68 are sheltered and 76 are unsheltered. and 1,175 countywide. View the presentation

### **Public Hearings**

#### 1. **Initiation of Annual Levy of Landscape & Lighting District No. 1 and Drainage Maintenance District 2008-1**

- The Council approved the initiation of the annual levy process for the Landscape & Lighting District No. 1 and Drainage Maintenance District 2008-1, ensuring continued maintenance and improvements in these areas. View the presentation

#### 2. **Calling for and Conducting a Consolidated General Municipal Election**

- The Council approved resolutions to call for and conduct a consolidated general municipal election on November 5, 2024, setting the framework for the upcoming electoral process in Paso Robles, including placing a measure on the ballot that would extend an existing ½-cent sales tax as well as the election for three council seats and the City Treasurer. View the presentation and discussion

### **Discussion Items**

#### 1. **LAFCO's Decennial Sphere of Influence and Municipal Service Review Update Process**

- The Council received a briefing on the Local Agency Formation Commission's (SLO LAFCO) decennial Sphere of Influence and Municipal Service Review update process. They directed staff to provide the proposed Sphere of Influence map to SLO LAFCO and adopted a resolution to forward recommended changes to the Sphere of Influence study areas. View the presentation and discussion

#### 2. **Repealing Ordinance No. 489 (Dogs in Public Places)**

- The Council introduced the first reading of an ordinance to repeal Ordinance No. 489, which amended Chapter 8.08.055 of the Paso Robles Municipal Code regarding the restriction of dogs in public places. View the presentation and discussion

#### 3. **Authorization of the Pickleball Court Complex at Sherwood Park**

- The Council authorized the Pickleball Court Complex at Sherwood Park to be bid for construction with an estimated cost of \$3.4 million, supporting the development of new recreational facilities in the city. View the presentation and discussion

This is a subset of items approved at the meeting. The agenda and accompanying documents for the June 4, 2024 meeting can be found here.





## City Council Meeting Highlights from June 18, 2024

Here's a brief recap of the actions taken by the Paso Robles City Council on June 18, 2024:

### **Presentations:**

1. **Juneteenth Proclamation:** Presented by Mayor John R. Hamon, Jr., declaring the third Saturday in June as "Juneteenth Day" in Paso Robles.
2. **Celebrate Local Project:** Presented by Paul Sloan, Economic Development Manager, highlighting a collaboration between the City, Main Street Association, Paso Robles and Templeton Chamber of Commerce, the Paso Robles Wine Country Alliance, and Travel Paso. The video seeks to promote our local businesses and the local people they employ. A formal announcement of the celebrate local campaign will occur next week.

### **Public Hearings:**

1. **Weed and Noxious Growth Abatement:** Battalion Chief/Fire Marshal Paul Patti presented the resolution confirming the existence of weeds or noxious growth creating a potential fire hazard and ordering their abatement. The resolution was approved.

## Discussion Items:

1. **New City Park Event – Dia de los Muertos:** Public Works Director Freda Berman presented a proposal to stage the [Día de los Muertos event](#) in City Park on October 26, 2024. The request was approved. [View presentation](#)
2. **Adoption of Operating and Capital Budget for Fiscal Years 2024-25 and 2025-26:** Ty Lewis (City Manager), Chris Huot (Assistant City Manager), and Ryan Cornell (Administrative Services Director) presented the budget, which was adopted along with the appropriations limit for FY 2024-25. The budget allocates [estimated resources for the upcoming two fiscal years](#), including funding for day-to-day operations and capital improvements. More information on the budget can be found at: [Financial Reports | Paso Robles, CA \(prcity.com\)](#). [View presentation and discussion](#)
3. **Municipal Airport Full Service Fixed Based Operator (FBO):** Airport Manager Mark Scandalis presented the Airport Ad Hoc Committee’s recommendation to enter into negotiations with Loyd’s Aviation for [Fixed Based Operator services at Paso Robles Municipal Airport](#). A fixed-base operator is a company that provides aeronautical services such as fueling, hangaring, tie-down and parking, aircraft rental, aircraft maintenance, flight instruction, and similar services. The council authorized the City Manager to proceed with negotiations. [View presentation and discussion](#)

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## Youth Commission Agenda Report

From: Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

Subject: Elect Youth Commission Chairperson and Vice Chairperson

Date: July 10, 2024

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### Facts

1. The Youth Commission elects officers at the first meeting in July.
2. The Youth Commission must elect a Chairperson to run the monthly meetings and a Vice Chairperson to run the meetings in the absence of the Chairperson.

### Options

1. Take no action:
2. Elect the Youth Commission Chairperson and Vice Chairperson;
3. Provide alternative direction to staff.

### Analysis and Conclusions

The bylaws require an election of officers including the Chairperson and Vice Chairperson for the 2024-2025 term which starts July 1, 2024 and ends June 30, 2025. The Community Services Department is planning to hold an Advisory Board Chair and Vice Chair Training on August 1, 2024 for the officers of its four advisory boards. If officers are elected at the July meeting, they will be able to attend this training session.

### Fiscal Impact

None.

### Recommendation

Elect the Youth Commission Chairperson and Vice Chairperson.



# Youth Commission Agenda Report

From: Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

Subject: Establish Youth Commission Goals for FY 2024-2025

Date: July 10, 2024

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## **Facts**

1. The Youth Commission establishes annual goals to guide their work and initiatives.
2. At the first meeting in July, the Youth Commission reviews the previous year's goals and begins drafting new goals for adoption at the August meeting.
3. Goals are reviewed throughout the year for progress.

## **Options**

1. Take no action;
2. Provide staff feedback on goals for Fiscal Year (FY) 24-25;
3. Provide alternative direction to staff.

## **Analysis and Conclusions**

The Youth Commission establishes annual goals to guide their work. To help develop the annual goals, the Commissioners typically review the previous year's goals, Recreation Services strategic goals and objectives for the coming year, and relevant City initiatives. The Youth Commission also takes into consideration opportunities for the development of the Commissioners.

## **Fiscal Impact**

None.

## **Recommendation**

Provide staff feedback on goals for FY 24-25.

## **Attachments**

1. Youth Commission Goals FY 2023-2024 FINAL
2. Recreation Services Strategic Plan 2022-2026 Highlights

## PASO ROBLES YOUTH COMMISSION

### 2023 – 2024 GOALS

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The Youth Commission is a youth-led organization that seeks to provide opportunities and representation for youth through collaboration with local government in order to enrich the lives of the youth in our community.

- Volunteering at the Teen Center, Centennial Park, and city-sponsored events to encourage teen involvement and demonstrate leadership in action among teens.
- Co-hosting an annual teen community event.
- Identifying service opportunities for teens to get involved in their community.

#### 1. **Advisor**

*To The Teen Center at Centennial Park:*

- Helping develop programs, activities, a speaker series, and health and wellness initiatives.
- Assisting with promoting and marketing.
- Monitoring key performance indicators.
- Assisting with events.

*To Recreation Services 5-year Strategic Plan:*

- Supporting and monitoring the progress of a 5-year Recreation Services Strategic Plan from the perspective of teens in the community.



#### 2. **Strengthen** the Youth Commission:

- Updating the Youth Commission bylaws.
- Recruiting applicants for the Commission that fully represent teens 14-21 years of age from all sectors of the Paso Robles community.
- Being visible and recognized as a voice for teens in the community.

#### 3. **Advocate** on behalf of teens by:

- Attending and speaking at City Council meetings.
- Connecting with the REC Foundation and other City advisory boards.

# STRATEGIC PLAN 2022-2026 HIGHLIGHTS

**MISSION:**

Paso Robles Recreation Services partners with our community to provide high quality, accessible, diverse experiences for people of all ages, abilities, and backgrounds.

**VISION:**

To foster a healthy, happy, vibrant community where residents can live, learn, work, play, and thrive.

**CORE VALUES:**

- **Equity** - Ensuring access to recreation services for all.
- **Creativity** - Enhancing the lives of those we serve through creative and innovative solutions.
- **Excellence** - Exceeding expectations and outcomes through the highest quality service.
- **Sense of Community** - Providing services that encourage personal connections and relationships.
- **Collaborations and Partnerships** - Fostering and maintaining partnerships with individuals, teams, and organizations that benefit the community.
- **Play** - Play is powerful and will always shape us--no matter our age, we come back to what we know.



**GOALS:**

**1 - Optimize Access:**

Increase community awareness of and access to recreation programs, services, and events

**2 - Foster Diversity and Inclusion:**

Create equitable opportunities for recreation services and resources to meet the needs of a diverse community

**3 - Forge Strategic Partnerships:**

Expand relationships with community members, businesses, and volunteer groups to increase involvement and impact on the community

**4 - Facilitate Volunteerism**

Implement appropriate oversight, expectations, and levels of responsibility for recreation volunteers

**OBJECTIVES:**

- A. Enhance user experience through technology
- B. Provide accessible recreation offerings
- C. Create affordable opportunities for all ages

- A. Increase culturally diverse community events and services
- B. Provide services and advocacy opportunities for all ages
- C. Expand the recreation scholarship programs

- A. Increase collaboration with other City departments
- B. Identify community partners to expand recreation services
- C. Maximize the utilization of recreation facilities

- A. Establish a Recreation Volunteer Program
- B. Increase staff support of volunteer organizations
- C. Expand the Volunteer Project Program