

## Elmhurst Youth Commission Meeting Minutes

Monday, October 21, 2013 at Elmhurst Library

- Meeting started at 12:35PM
- Present: Joan Olson, Melea Smith, Dan Corrigan, Patti Palmer, Lynn McCreadie, Sarah Lagesse
- Guests: Brian Doan
- Recruiting new members
  - Still looking for two more members
  - Brian Doan is attending as a guest, and may consider joining the commission
    - Brian is a lifelong Elmhurst resident, father, realtor at Koenig Strey, past coach
  - Hosi Mehta is resigning from the Commission
  - Lynn is in the process of officially applying with the City (resume needed)
- Elmhurst College Meeting

Joan reached out to the Student Leadership Center as a possibility of bringing on an intern from Elmhurst College. Melea and Joan met with Laura Wilmarth Tyna, Director of Leadership, Service and Engagement.

  - The College is going to help find an intern to join the Commission
    - Joan provided a job description for the intern position, which the College is posting
    - One of the possible intern responsibilities will be developing and maintaining a Facebook page
- Youth Service Awards
  - City Manager Grabowski said yes to having the Awards at the City; a date must be secured
  - Banner will be up January 20 and February 10 on the north side of the Palmer underpass
    - Do we have to pay the fee to hang the banner up? Joan will ask the City
  - Tentative date for Youth Service Awards: March 27, 2014, 7-9PM, desert reception
    - Joan will check City Council schedule
  - Will ask Ken Bartels to M.C.
  - Nominations will be accepted January 6-February 17, 2014
  - Need to secure 3 judges-need to be community members-we will discuss more as we move forward. We discussed the possibility of the following people:
    - Dianne McGinnis (Elmhurst Hospital - has served before)?
    - President of Elmhurst College, Dr. S Alan Ray?
    - Councilman?
    - Mayor?
    - Police/Fire Chiefs?
    - John Garcia of ABC7 (District 205 parent)?
- Next Meeting: November 18<sup>th</sup>, 12:30PM at Library