Dartmouth Youth Commission
March 23, 2010
Agenda and Minutes
7:00 PM in Room 118 Town Hall

Members Present: Dan Cook, Rozzie Glaser-Bernstein, Valerie Alves, Gale Shultz, Lorraine Gagne

Regrets: Rozzie Glaser (away), Nicole Rabstejnek (illness)

Guests:

Approval of Previous Minutes dated: January 27, 2010

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Budget Review:
- *Review to date FY2010 Budget as of 2/20/2010*

Old Business:
- Other old business: Kevin will speak with Nicole about following up with grant writers when she feels better.
- Nicole accepted being voted in as Vice-Chair of the Youth Commission.
- The following Commissioners are up for reappointment in June: Gale, Valerie and Rozzie
- Review (for the record) Youth Advocate's Employment Description.
- Need Commissioners willing to seek donations/gift cards.

Old Business from floor:

Youth Advocate's Report:
- Present budget review process:
- New Police Chief reception, Monday, March 22, at 5:30 PM. All are welcome.
- Mark your calendar: Annual Town Meeting, June 2, 2010
- Donation received of $400 from Dartmouth Middle School Parent Group for Girl Power use.
- Client/Group updates: Banana Splits group will end for the year at the end of March.
- Report on FinCom's FY 2011 assignment of "department liaisons. A change from previous process.
- Update on labor negotiations: Ongoing, but nothing formally reported to membership yet.
  Areas of need:
  - Donations of snacks, juice, etc, needed.
  - Looking for used bicycle for 18yr. old client. Kevin to explain. (Dan donated a bike!)
  - Looking for used couches and chairs in good condition.

Commissioner's Reports:

New Business:
- Report of meeting that Dan and Kevin had with Shannon Jenkins, FinCom Chairman on March 11.
- Plan Youth Commission's presentation when we meet with FinCom on April 1, 2010. See worksheet.
- Preliminary FY 2011 report: Thus far, the Youth Commission is scheduled to be "level funded" for the next FY, which is very, very good news.

New Business from floor:

Sign-offs:

Next Meeting Date and Time: Tuesday, May 11, 2010