



TOWN OF DAVIE  
**Youth Education and Safety Advisory  
Committee Meeting**

**\*\*Members of the Town Council may be present\*\***

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2022 at 6:00 PM**

**LOCATION:** DAVIE PINE ISLAND PARK - MULTIPURPOSE CENTER - OAK ROOM (3801 S. PINE ISLAND ROAD • DAVIE, FLORIDA 33328)

**AGENDA**

Tim Curtin, Chair	Present
Melody Chaykin	Present
Dr. Arlene Amarant	Present
Dr. Robin Behrman	Absent
Javier Lasaga	Absent

**ALSO PRESENT**

Jeffrey Pohlman, Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Director  
Chad Pezoldt, Assistant Director  
Kevin Favata, Recreation Coordinator  
Ian Fors, Fitness and Aquatic Coordinator

**1. ROLL CALL**

Chair Curtin called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Roll was called, and it was determined a quorum was present.

Pledge of Allegiance

**2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Approval of November 8<sup>th</sup> minutes tabled until the April 18, 2022 meeting.

**3. NEW BUSINESS**

**3.3 Account balance**

Mr. Pohlman noted the account balance was \$33.00. Chair Curtin noted that he could reach out to Memorial Healthcare for funding on committee initiatives.

**3.1 Water Safety Poster Contest**

Chair Curtin discussed the committee participating in the Water Safety Poster Contest and asked if that fit the timeline for the next meeting on April 18<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Pohlman stated that May is National Water Safety Month, so the April meeting would hit that timeline if that was something the committee was interested in participating in. Also, if the committee wanted to move forward with this initiative, the posters could be judged at the April 18<sup>th</sup> meeting to award the winners at the May 4<sup>th</sup> Town Council meeting.

of grant program that he could reach out to the Mayor through the meeting minutes to determine if funds were available. Chair Curtin stated that if approved the committee would determine which grants to fund at the October committee meeting and present a check to the schools at an October or November Council meeting. Mr. Pohlman mentioned that if the meeting timelines did not align, a special meeting could be called.

Dr. Amarant discussed her involvement in a reading buddy program. The virtual program assists parents who request that their child be involved in the program. Dr. Amarant also discussed similar programs that exist in the South Florida. The committee discussed that this and similar programs could potentially be added to the Town website as a resource for the community. Chair Curtin likes the ideas but stated that further discussion must be had with the committee on how to operationalize.

## 6. SCHEDULING OF NEXT MEETING

- 6.1 Monday, April 18, 2022 at 6:00 pm
- Monday, July 25, 2022 at 6:00 pm
- Monday, October 24, 2022 at 6:00 pm

## 7. PUBLIC COMMENTS

## 8. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

  
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Approved  
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Chair/Committee Member