# Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission
# Regular Meeting Agenda

## Thursday, May 7, 2026
## 7:00 P.M.
### City Hall – Multipurpose Room
### 23825 Stuart Ranch Road

Call to Order

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda

Report on Posting of Agenda – May 4, 2026

**1. Ceremonial/Presentations**

A. None.

**2. Written and Oral Communications from the Public and Commissioners**

A. Communications from the public concerning matters which are not on the agenda but for which the Commission has subject matter jurisdiction. The Commission may not act on these matters at this meeting.

**3. Consent Calendar**

A. Previously Discussed Items

None.

B. New Items

1. Approval of Minutes

Recommended Action: Approve the minutes for the April 16, 2026 Youth Commission Special meeting.

Staff contact: Community Services Deputy Director Manisco, 456-2489 ext. 363

**4. Old Business**

A. Youth Government Summit Series

Recommended Action: Receive and file an update on career development and resiliency from Sarah Flores, Emergency Service Coordinator.

Staff contact: Sr. Recreation Coordinator Spiroglou, 456-2489 ext. 250

B. Youth Commission Goals 2026-27

Recommended Action: Review and approve the Youth Commission goals for Fiscal Year 2026-27.

Staff contact: Community Services Deputy Director Manisco, 456-2489 ext. 363

**5. New Business**

None.

**6. Staff Updates**

**7. Commissioner Reports, Comments and Inquiries**

**Future Agenda Items**

**Adjournment**

**Future Meetings**

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**The Oral Communication** portion of the agenda is for members of the public to present items which are not listed on the agenda, but are under the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. Although no action may be taken, the Commission and staff will follow up, at an appropriate time, on those items needing response. Each speaker is limited to three (3) minutes.

**Items in Consent Calendar Section A** have already been considered by the Commission at a previous meeting where the public was invited to comment, after which a decision was made. These items are not subject to public discussion at this meeting because the vote taken at the previous meeting was final. Resolutions concerning decisions made at previous meetings are for the purpose of memorializing the decision to assure the accuracy of the findings, the prior vote, and any conditions imposed.

**Items in Consent Calendar Section B** have not been discussed previously by the Commission. If discussion is desired, an item may be removed from the Consent Calendar for individual consideration. Commissioners may indicate a negative or abstaining vote on any individual item by so declaring prior to the vote on the motion to adopt the entire Consent Calendar. Items excluded from the

Consent Calendar will be taken up by the Commission following the action on the Consent Calendar. The Commission first will take up the items for which public speaker requests have been submitted. Public speakers shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.

**Old Business** items have appeared on previous agendas but have either been continued or tabled to this meeting with no final action having been taken. Public comment shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.

**Items in New Business** are items which are appearing for the first time for formal action. Public comment shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.

*Copies of the staff reports or other written documentation relating to each item of business described above are on file in the office of the City Manager, and available upon request by emailing KManisco@malibucity.org.*

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*I hereby certify under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing agenda was posted in accordance with the applicable legal requirements. Dated this 4th day of May 2026 at 1:00 p.m.*

Kate Manisco

*Kate Manisco,*
*Community Services Deputy Director*

# Youth Commission Agenda Report

Youth Commission
Regular Meeting
05-07-26
**Item 3.B.1.**

To: Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission

Prepared by: Kate Manisco, Community Services Deputy Director

Approved by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: April 23, 2026 Meeting date: May 7, 2026

Subject: Approval of Minutes

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve the minutes for the April 16, 2026 Youth Commission Special meeting.

DISCUSSION: Staff has prepared draft minutes for the April 16, 2026 Youth Commission Special meeting.

ATTACHMENTS: April 16, 2026 Youth Commission Special meeting minutes

MINUTES
HARRY BAROVSKY MEMORIAL YOUTH COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING
APRIL 16, 2026
MALIBU CITY HALL, MULTIPURPOSE ROOM
7:00 P.M.

## MEETING CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner O. Porat called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

## ROLL CALL

The following persons were recorded in attendance by the Recording Secretary:

PRESENT: Commissioners Max Graulich, Oscar Johnson, Danae Jones, Parker Kaplan, Jacob Koziatek, Kailyn Lilly, Preston Lilly, Shiloh Magna, Xue Mastrippolito, Hayden Morra, Kylie Morra, Taylor Murray, Sofía Myers, Darcy O'Herlihy, Grayson Polatin, Presley Polatin, Ore Porat, and Nikau Webb

ABSENT: Commissioners Anniston Aragon, Kane Bendler, Charlotte Bonnici, Christopher Hilling, Rayan Mirmohammadsadeghi, Cole Ovsiowitz, Eden Porat, and Stash Wolski

ALSO PRESENT: Sebastian Spiroglou, Sr. Recreation Coordinator, and Kate Manisco, Community Services Deputy Director

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Commissioner Kaplan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION Commissioner P. Polatin moved, and Commissioner Johnson seconded a motion to approve the agenda. The question was called, and the motion carried 18-0. Commissioners Aragon, Bendler, Bonnici, Hilling, Mirmohammadsadeghi, Ovsiowitz, E. Porat, and Wolski absent.

## REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA

Deputy Director Manisco reported that the meeting agenda was properly posted on April 14, 2026.

## ITEM 1 CEREMONIAL/PRESENTATIONS

None.

## ITEM 2 WRITTEN AND ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC AND COMMISSIONERS

Laura Moxie introduced the Point Dume Community Services District and requested the Commissioners to volunteer for the 4th of July Parade.

**ITEM 3 CONSENT CALENDAR**

MOTION Commissioner P. Polatin moved, and Commissioner Myers seconded a motion to approve the consent calendar. The question was called, and the motion carried 18-0. Commissioners Aragon, Bendler, Bonnici, Hilling, Mirmohammadsadeghi, Ovsiowitz, E. Porat, and Wolski absent.

The Consent Calendar consisted of the following items:

A. Previously Discussed Items
None.

B. New Items

1. Approval of Minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the minutes for the February 5, 2026, Youth Commission Regular meeting.

**ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS**

None.

**ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS**

A. Youth Commission Goals 2026-27

Recommended Action: 1) Review the Youth Commission goals for Fiscal Year 2025-26; and 2) Approve Youth Commission goals for Fiscal Year 2026-27.

Deputy Director Manisco presented the staff report.

Commissioner Webb recommended coordinating teen social events, including film screenings and board game nights.

Commissioner Kaplan suggested coordinating teen events with emphasis on localized content, including Pacific Coast Highway Safety for Teen Drivers.

Commissioner Myers recommended a workshop on job readiness for high school students, and to modify the Youth Government Summit Series to different career fields.

Commissioner G. Polatin suggested environmental sustainability programs, including park beautification days and beach clean-up days.

Commissioner P. Polatin recommended hikes to encourage physical fitness and mental wellness.

Commissioner K. Morra suggested mindfulness classes to improve mental wellness.

Commissioner H. Morra supported goat yoga classes to improve mental wellness.

Commissioner Magna recommended a variety of separate activities for middle school and high school students, as well as some combined activities.

Commissioner Myers agreed with Commissioner Magna and supported a semi-consistent schedule for programs and events.

Commissioner P. Polatin recommended expanding the list of special events at which Commissioners can volunteer to include the Poetry Summit, the Malibu Library Speakers Series, and other City community events.

CONSENSUS By Consensus, the Commission requested that staff update the proposed goals for the 2026-27 Fiscal Year and bring the item back to the May 7, 2026, Regular meeting under Old Business for final review and approval.

**ITEM 6 STAFF UPDATES**

Deputy Director Manisco thanked the Commissioners for contributing to the skateboard and sports equipment drive for the Boys & Girls Club of Malibu. She provided an update on upcoming volunteer opportunities including the Tiny Tot Olympics on Sunday, May 3, 2026.

**ITEM 7 COMMISSIONER REPORTS, COMMENTS, AND INQUIRIES**

None.

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

None.

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION At 7:35 p.m., Commissioner P. Polatin moved, and Commissioner Johnson seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. The question was called, and the motion

carried 18-0. Commissioners Aragon, Bendler, Bonnici, Hilling, Mirmohammadsadeghi, Ovsiowitz, E. Porat, and Wolski absent.

Approved and adopted by the Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission of the City of Malibu on May 7, 2026.

ORE PORAT, 2025-26 Youth Commission Chair

ATTEST:

KATE MANISCO, Deputy Director

# Youth Commission Agenda Report

Youth Commission
Regular Meeting
05-07-26
**Item 4.A.**

To: Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission

Prepared by: Sebastian Spiroglou, Sr. Recreation Coordinator

Reviewed by: Kate Manisco, Community Services Deputy Director

Approved by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: April 28, 2026 Meeting date: May 7, 2026

Subject: Youth Government Summit Series

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Receive and file an update on career development and resiliency from Sarah Flores, Emergency Services Coordinator.

DISCUSSION: For several years, the Commission has hosted a Youth Government Summit Series (Series) featuring speakers from local government agencies and non-profit organizations discussing their career paths and responsibilities.

On November 6, 2025, the Commission approved hosting the Series with three speakers to discuss their careers in resilience, higher education, coastal preservation, or City/County government.

Sarah Flores, Emergency Services Coordinator within the Public Safety Department for the City of Malibu, is responsible for developing and maintaining emergency response plans and ensuring the Emergency Operations Center remains in a state of readiness to respond to large-scale disasters. Her role also includes coordinating with partner agencies and organizing and delivering disaster preparedness training for City of Malibu staff and volunteer groups. Ms. Flores will discuss her job responsibilities, emergency management and coordination work, education, professional achievements, and offer advice for those interested in pursuing a career in public safety and/or emergency services.

ATTACHMENTS: None

# Youth Commission Agenda Report

Youth Commission
Regular Meeting
05-07-26
**Item 4.B.**

To: Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission

Prepared by: Kate Manisco, Community Services Deputy Director

Approved by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: April 21, 2026 Meeting date: May 7, 2026

Subject: Youth Commission Goals 2026-27

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Review and approve the Youth Commission goals for Fiscal Year 2026-27.

DISCUSSION: The Commission is asked to review and approve the goals for Fiscal Year 2026-27.

At the April 16, 2026, Special meeting, the Commission provided feedback to staff on the 2025-26 Youth Commission Goals in collaboration with the priorities indicated on the 2026-27 Youth Commission applications.

The Commission is asked to review and approve the Proposed Fiscal year 2026-27 Youth Commission Goals which include a combination of coordinating teen programs, opportunities for community service-learning at City special events, hosting in-kind donation drives to benefit local nonprofit organizations, and providing input on local government policies and projects.

Once approved by the Commission, the recommended goals may be taken to Council for final approval.

ATTACHMENTS: Proposed Fiscal Year 2026-27 Youth Commission Goals

# City of Malibu
## MEMORANDUM

To: Joseph Irvin, City Manager

From: Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission

Date: May 7, 2026

Re: PROPOSED Youth Commission Goals for Fiscal Year 2026-27

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At its Regular meeting on May 7, 2026 the Youth Commission recommended the following goals be included for FY 2026-27:

1. Coordinate four programs focused on creating connections and community, which may include: film screenings, game nights, live music, educational workshops for new drivers or job readiness, or mental health wellness.

2. Each Commissioner will volunteer at two City special events, which may include the following Community Services Department Events (Art and Poetry Events, Breakfast with Santa, Chumash Day Native American Powwow and Intertribal Gathering, Halloween Bu Bash Carnival, Malibu Library Speaker Series, Santa Paws, and/or Tiny Tot Olympics).

3. Coordinate two community service-learning opportunities that promote environmental sustainability, including a Beach Clean-Up Day and a Park Beautification Day. Each Commissioner will participate in a minimum of one environmental sustainability program.

4. Coordinate four donation-based programs that benefit non-profit organizations.

5. Host a Youth Commission Summit Series with representatives from local government agencies, non-profit organizations, or other Commission-approved career fields regarding their career paths and job responsibilities.

6. Review opportunities for teen outreach and communication to increase attendance and awareness at programs and events.

7. Review and provide feedback on City projects and programs.

8. Make oral reports as needed to the City Council on Commission activities.

9. Submit a mid-year written report to the City Council on Commission activity.

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