County of Santa Cruz

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YOUTH COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Monday, October 26, 2026
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Aptos Library Community Room
7695 Soquel Drive
Aptos, CA 95003

Introductory Items

1. CALL TO ORDER /ROLL CALL

2. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (*Action Item*)
August 25, 2026 – Special Meeting
August 31, 2026 – Regular Meeting
September 28, 2026 – Regular Meeting

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS
Any person may address the Commission during its Oral Communication period. Speakers must not exceed three (3) minutes in length, or the time limit established by the Chair, and individuals may speak only once during Oral Communications. All Oral Communication must be directed to an item listed on today's agenda, or a topic not on the agenda that is within the jurisdiction of the Commission. Commission members will not take actions or respond immediately to any Oral communication presented regarding topics not on the agenda but may choose to follow up later, either individually, or on a subsequent Commission Agenda. Oral communications will normally be received by the Commission for a period not to exceed thirty (30) minutes. If, at the end of this period, additional persons wish to address the Commission, the Oral Communication period may be continued to the last item on the agenda.

Regular Agenda

5. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

a. Select representative for Youth-Led Leadership Alliance Governance Council (Action Item)
   - Presentation from Andres Ortiz, County Office of Education

b. Consider adoption of 2026 Workplan (Action Item)

c. Consider adoption of revised meeting calendar (*Action Item*)
   - Reschedule November meeting to November 16, 2026
   - Reschedule December meeting to December 14, 2026

d. Group Discussion on Mental Health, Stress & Emotional Well Being
   - Presentation from Dr. Marni Sandoval, Director of Mental Health Services

6. ADJOURNMENT

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NEXT MEETING DATE:

5:30 PM Monday, November 16, 2026
County Government Community Room
701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz CA (Basement)

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