

ST. CHARLES YOUTH COMMISSION

Monday, May 7, 2012 – 6:00 P.M.

St. Charles Police Department Conference Room
211 N. Riverside Avenue

Minutes have been sent to the following:

J. Arteberry-Zavitz – Youth Commissioner
*M. Tilton – Youth Commissioner
*S. Schwerdtfeger – Youth Commissioner
*M. Weick – Youth Commissioner
*D. Kelly – Youth Commissioner
*N. McFarland – Youth Commissioner
*K. Brens – Youth Commissioner
*K. Kauke – Youth Commissioner
*C. Hime – Youth Commissioner
R. Miller, Haines M.S.
K. Zupec, STC NHS
*J. Lamkin, Police Chief
B. Townsend, City Administrator
*B. Tynan, STC PD
M. Karson, STC EHS
D. Beasley, STC Underground
S. Warren, STC Underground

B. Abraham, STC EHS
R. Ochromowicz, STC Park District
D. Schlomann, Superintendent CUSD 303
M. Dockum, Wredling M.S.
P. Yensen, United Way
J. Otepka, TriCity
G. Swanson, Township
*J. Greenwald, STC Park District
C. Kyle, STC EHS
J. Baird, CUSD 303
S. Morrill, Thompson M.S.
H. Cabel, Park District
E. Baxter, STC Library
D. DeWitte, Mayor
STC Aldermen
*M. DeLaRosa, TriCity
*J. Knewitz, CUSD 303

*Attended meeting.

Meeting called to order @ 6:15 p.m. by Nancy McFarland.

- *First order of business was to announce Joan Arteberry-Zavitz retired as Youth Commissioner after thirty-two years of service.*

Secretary Report – Approval of the Minutes from April 2, 2012 meeting – Motion to approve minutes carried.

Treasurer's Report – Cliff Hime

- Balance of \$1,589.00 remaining, motion to accept new 2012-13 budget of \$15,000.00 carried. (See attached report.)

CORRESPONDENCE –

- A. (See following attachments.)
St. Charles Park District
Tri-City Family Services
St. Charles East High School PTO
St. Charles North High School Friends of Music

- B. Nancy McFarland started a discussion regarding Challenge Grant recipients. A motion carried to ask our Challenge Grant recipients to report back to the Youth Commission at the June 2012 meeting to give update.

PRESENTATIONS – None.

LIAISON REPORTS –

D303 – John Knewitz

- Reported on the “Finding Kind” movie partnership between St. Charles school district and Centennial Counseling. Movie shown on April 22, 2012; 250 people attended. Funded by the Youth Commission.

Park District – Jeff Greenwald

- Gearing up for “outdoor season.” Teen center opens at 1:00 p.m. in the summer. Youth Commission funding has helped with skate bash in June and helped with bike race project in July. Attendance roster for Underground Center attached.

Police Department

- Ofc. Bill Tynan (see attached report)

Library Programs – Marianne Wieck

- “Reading Is So Delicious” theme for this summer’s reading challenge.
- One more Exam Cram on May 30 and May 31 scheduled at the Library.
- One more ACT practice test on May 12, 2012.

Tri-City Family Services – Michelle DeLaRosa

- Tom Dewese is retiring after twenty-eight years of service.
- Wait list for school referrals right now.
- Looking for referrals for “Bridges” support group (ages 7-11) for Children of Divorce
- Also “Wilderness” trip meeting orientation is soon approaching for kids who have completed 8th or 9th grade.

OLD BUSINESS – None.

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Discussion regarding changes in Challenge Grant format.
1. Name change of “Challenge Grant” to “Youth Initiated Grant” idea? Traditionally, a subtitle describes theme for upcoming year.
 2. Is there a budget maximum for Challenge Grants? No, but originally budget for Challenge Grants was \$5,000.00.

3. Change to point system for applicability of grants. After Youth Commission discussion, point system could determine applicability
 4. Should grants be submitted on our form? In the past, some applications were not submitted on the “official form.”
 5. Idea of progress reports from Challenge Grant recipients.
- B. Discussion on requests for funding timing. Can we accept requests at all meetings?
- C. Susan Schwerdtfeger working for August effort for “Distracted Driver” in City Hall window. Discussion regarding other subjects: possible Challenge Grant info? Parents Who Host Lose the Most? Or promote Youth Commission funding “Impact Your World” or “Make This A Year To Remember, Not A Year To Forget.”

ANNOUNCEMENTS – None

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 7:15 p.m. – motion carried.

Next Youth Commission meeting will be Monday, June 4, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. at the Police Department Conference Room located at 211 N. Riverside Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,
Daniel Kelly, Youth Commissioner

City of Saint Charles
 Youth Commission
 Treasurer's Report 2011-2012

	Initials	Date
Prepared By		
Approved By		

	1	2	3	4	5	6
	March 12	April 12	May 12	June 12	July 12	Aug 12
Balance	10,542	5,504	1,589			
+ 1250	1250					
+ 2500	2500					
	14,292					
- No Texting						
Window Clings	- 1,283					
	13,009					
Wedding Maid						
School	- 500					
	12,509					
"Finding Kind" ^{Film} Documentary	+ 500					
SLNHS Post Prom	- 1,750					
KCJDC Advisor-Board	- 855					
STC Park Dist.	- 3,600					
Library T-Shirts	+ 800					
Wedding Middle School	+ 500					
4 2 Wedding Mail-School		- 500				
Tri-City Family Ser		- 1,000				
STN Band (for Vers)		- 665				
STC Post Prom		- 1,750				



ST. CHARLES PARK DISTRICT

101 South Second Street
St. Charles, Illinois 60174
Phone (630) 584-1055 Fax (630) 584-1396

STC Underground
101 S. Second St
St. Charles, Il 60174

4/3/12

Nancy McFarland, Chair
St. Charles Youth Commission
2 East Main Street
St. Charles, Il 60174

Dear Nancy McFarland,

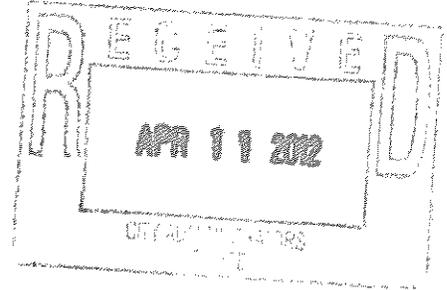
We so appreciate your contribution to the STC Underground, you truly did a wonderful thing. Your generosity will directly benefit the youth of St. Charles and their futures. With this contribution, the center will continue to offer quality programming to our community teens, update program supplies, and purchase new equipment for the center.

Please feel free to come by and tour the center to see where your generous contribution helped to make the STC Underground a unique and safe place for teens to hang out. Contact me directly at Dbeasley@st-charlesparks.org or call at 630-513-4321 if you have any questions.

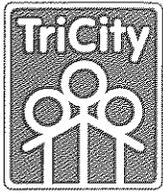
Thanks again for your support of the STC Underground.

Best Regards,

Darby Beasley
Teen Program and Center Director



*A National Gold Medal Award Winner for Excellence in
Parks and Recreation Management*

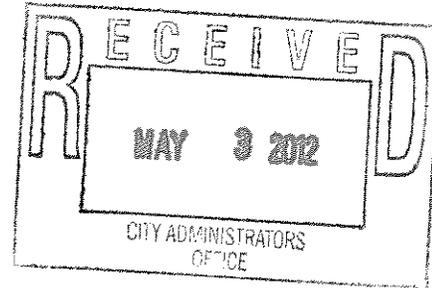


Family Services

1120 Randall Court • Geneva, IL 60134 • (630) 232-1070 • (630) 232-1471 fax

April 26, 2012

Ms. Nancy McFarland
St. Charles Youth Commission
2 East Main St.
St. Charles, IL 60174



Dear Ms. McFarland:

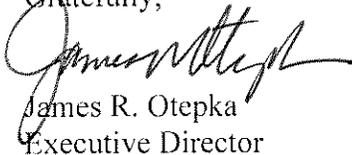
Thank you for your gift to TriCity Family Services. Your donation of \$1,000 received on 4/24/2012, is tax-deductible to the full extent allowed by law.

Your support comes at a critical time, as we strive to fulfill the goal of our Teens Won't Wait project. Teens in our community are our priority through 2012 and we are grateful for your support in increasing our ability to serve them.

Through our counseling, group programs, and a new initiative to bring family-centered treatment for eating disorders to the community, we plan, with your support, to serve more teens than we ever have before. Being in a therapy setting, we at TriCity Family Services always believe in a strength-based approach to change. As we build on our strength and expertise in serving teens, your support is one of our greatest strengths.

On behalf of all of the area teenagers that the Teens Won't Wait project will help us reach and serve, thank you for supporting this cause and our work.

Gratefully,

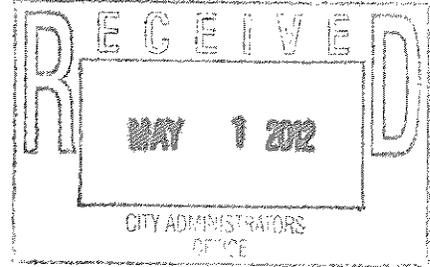

James R. Otepka
Executive Director





ST. CHARLES EAST HIGH SCHOOL PTO

1020 Dunham Road, St. Charles, IL 60174



April 26, 2012

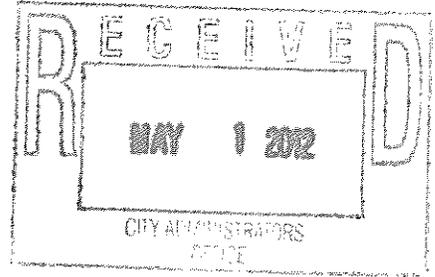
St. Charles Youth Commission
Nancy McFarland
2 East Main Street
St. Charles, IL 60174

Thank you very much for your **extremely generous donation of \$1,750** to support the St. Charles East High School Post Prom celebration, ***It's Hollywood Baby!*** that is being held on May 5, 2012. Your contribution is greatly appreciated. It is through the support of our business leaders, parents, community organizations, teachers and staff that we are able to provide a safe, alcohol and drug-free location for our students after the prom.

We expect over 700 students to participate in the post prom event this year and are excitedly looking forward to the event. It will be an evening filled with games, prizes, music and wonderful food. Thank you again for your contribution to the success of this event.

Sincerely,

St. Charles East High School Post-Prom Committee



Amy L. Peterkes
Co-Chair, Veterans Day Concert
3103 Easton Place
St. Charles, IL 60175

April 26, 2012

St. Charles Youth Commission
2 East Main Street
St. Charles, IL 60174

Dear Mrs. McFarland and Members of the St. Charles Youth Commission,

On behalf of Mr. Brian Wis, Music Director at St. Charles North High School, the student members of our bands, and Friends of Music, I would like to sincerely thank you for your grant assistance in producing our 2012 Veteran's Day Concert. We are encouraged to find that the community finds these concerts as important as our music students do. Your committee's grant has enabled the students to continue to have the opportunity to give back to those who have protected our rights, secured our freedom and safeguarded our country in a musical tribute.

We would encourage you to come to the Veterans Day Concert in the St. Charles North Auditorium and experience the appreciation that the Youths of St. Charles have for our Veterans.

Again, thank you for the Youth Commission Grant enabling the 2012 Veterans Day Concert to go on.

Sincerely,

Amy L. Peterkes
Co-Chair, Veterans Day Concert
St. Charles North Friends of Music

STC Underground * 2012

Ind. vs. Check Ins	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
2011	111/481	99/452	103/569	98/480	99/549	114/529	125/579	118/543	124/519	128/565	122/519	103/555
2010	110/474	91/315	112/573	114/570	102/534	115/577	112/571	116/544	103/474	97/498	92/474	98/499
2009	89/460	104/454	117/616	127/549	82/477	96/522	86/585	77/603	86/509	91/521	82/423	82/346
2008	92/426	80/431	88/428	99/517	100/471	112/540	86/577	115/667	100/637	106/608	106/469	70/366
2007	105/402	93/397	112/531	122/473	117/621	121/460	85/462	90/550	128/503	142/552	98/400	63/285
2006	145/688	88/429	124/641	126/563	83/373	99/312	60/216	61/151	95/321	106/458	109/416	149/448
2005	83/361	109/481	99/400	106/378	159/720	173/637	145/647	188/714	162/623	139/441	146/495	87/336
	116/379	147/410	146/482	101/387								

Hourly Visits

1:00 p.m.	26	20	68	30
2:00 p.m.	40	27	63	44
3:00 p.m.	148	136	137	152
4:00 p.m.	131	122	120	110
5:00 p.m.	93	101	83	76
6:00 p.m.	37	28	72	44
7:00 p.m.	3	18	15	22
8:00 p.m.	1	16	11	2
9:00 p.m.	2	3	0	0
	481	471	569	480

Male vs. Female	387/233	392/233	398/233	398/233
Member #	620	625	631	631

Operational Days	21	21	23	20
Ave. # of Teens/Day	22.9	22.4	24.7	24

History (# of visits)

2011 Total	275/6,290
2010 Total	256/6,250
2009 Total	257/5,788
2008 Total	346/6,122
2007 Total	585/6,154
2006 Total	4,305
2005 Total	6,271
2004 Total	5,259
2003 Total	5,504
2002 Total	5,820
	2001 Total
	6,184

SC Juvenile Arrest listing

Statute Code	Description	Arrest Date And Time	subject ID Number	Arrestee Address City	Arrestee Jacket Type
720 ILCS 600.0/3.5-A	DRUG PARAPHERNALIA: Possession Of	04/25/2012 11:23:00		WEST CHICAGO	Juvenile Jacket
9-40-010	THEFT: Under \$500.00	04/26/2012 13:00:00	IL0451400:6296:J	ST CHARLES	Juvenile Jacket
625 ILCS 5.0/11-601-A	TRAFFIC: Other Violations	04/28/2012 15:04:00		GENEVA	Juvenile Jacket
625 ILCS 5.0/6-101-A	TRAFFIC: No Drivers License	04/28/2012 15:04:00		GENEVA	Juvenile Jacket
720 ILCS 5.0/16-25-A-1	THEFT: Retail	05/02/2012 16:02:00		HAMSHIRE	Juvenile Jacket
9-52-010	CHILD: Curfew	05/05/2012 01:21:00		SAINT CHARLES	Juvenile Jacket
9-51-030	CANNABIS: Possession - < 30 Grams	05/05/2012 01:21:00		SAINT CHARLES	Juvenile Jacket
9-40-010	THEFT: Under \$500.00	05/05/2012 01:21:00		SAINT CHARLES	Juvenile Jacket

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