# FARGO YOUTH INITIATIVE MINUTES

# **Regular Meeting:**

Sunday, December 3, 2023

The Regular Meeting of the Fargo Youth Initiative Members of the City of Fargo, North Dakota, was held in the Dawson Room of Fargo Public Library – Main at 1:00 p.m., Sunday, December 3, 2023.

The Fargo Youth Initiative Members present or absent were as follows:

Present: Koral Siegel, McKenzie Olson, Abigal Hamilton, Steph Kramer, Kallie

Anderson, Madeline Abbott, Patrick Shen, Angel Mochoge

Absent: Abhijna Kavasseri, Jadyn Chakua, Isabella Meyer, Ava Martin

### Item 1. Welcome and Introductions

Assistant Planner Catlyn Christie welcomed Members to the meeting and introductions were made.

# Item 2. Housekeeping

Members reviewed 2024 regular meeting dates and shared their availability for potential weekday meetings. Assistant Planner Catlyn Christie reminded members that elections will be held in January for both Chair and Vice Chair.

# Item 3. Martin Luther King Jr. Day – January 15

Kayla Jones from the MLK Day Planning Committee provided information on volunteer opportunities for this year's MLK Day event at the Fargo Theater.

#### Item 4. Youth Homelessness

Members watched a presentation on the state of youth homelessness in Fargo by Jan Anderson, Fargo Public Schools Homeless Liaison. Discussion was held regarding key takeaways and ideas for support.

## Item 5. Impact Fargo 2024

Assistant Planner Catlyn Christie reminded members that planning for this event will begin in January.

### Item 6. Other Reports

Assistant Planner Catlyn Christie shared a report on behalf of Sustainability and Resiliency Committee regarding an upcoming bus wrap art contest.

### Item 6. Adjourn

The time of adjournment was 2:45 p.m.