YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION
EAST GRANBY, CONNECTICUT

MINUTES
June 15, 2026

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
A regular meeting of the East Granby Youth Services Commission was held Monday, June 15, 2026, at the East Granby Town Hall. Bonnie Jones called the meeting to order at 6:30pm. Members also present were Evan Hanks, Sara Kleinman, and Swastika Gupta. Art Reardon and Alicia Van Neil, Program Coordinator, were absent.

2. **PUBLIC COMMENT**
None.

3. **CORRESPONDENCE**
B Jones received emails from E Hanks and S Gupta expressing their commitment to stay on the board next school year.

4. **APPROVE MINUTES**
The approval of minutes from April 20, 2026, was tabled until next meeting due to a lack of quorum of members that were present at that meeting.

5. **OLD BUSINESS**

A/B. Programming/Prevention- B Jones reported on behalf of A Van Neil. The Middle School Community Day went well, and about 25 parent volunteers attended. That event completed the Lunchtime Reset program for the Middle School. Youth Services completed their 4th quarter visits to 6th grade, social media; 7th grade, QPR; and 8th grade, Substance abuse/misuse.

C. High School and Middle School Updates- No updates.

D. YAC Update- E Hanks reported on the HS group. The last meeting was cancelled due to a schedule conflict. The Portrait of a Graduate video is almost done, just finishing the edits. Mentorship finished up for the ear. The Middle School group had their last meeting. Interviews for next year have been completed. Info will be going out to the High School group this week. Mason is stepping down as co-facilitator from the MS YAC.

E. JRB Update- The meeting is cancelled tomorrow. The group is trying to understand their future direction based on the CT Youth Service Bureau regulations.

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

A. Member Recruitment –

a. Open Position- There is one person interested in becoming a member. She will fill out the application soon.

b. Student renewals- The vote to renew both student membership has been tabled to an email vote due to lack of quorum (students can't vote for themselves).

B. Needs Assessment – The analysis has been completed. The Youth Voices Count group will present the results soon.

7. **PUBLIC COMMENT**
None

8. **ADJOURNMENT**
A motion was made by S Kleinman and seconded by E Hanks to adjourn the meeting at 6:44pm. Votes were unanimous. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer Kovaleski
Youth Services Commission Clerk