

City of Doral Youth Civic Committee Meeting Minutes

Thursday, April 9, 2026
5:00 p.m.
Doral Central Park Community Center
3005 NW 92nd Avenue
Doral, FL 33172

1. Call to Order

The meeting was to

2. Roll Call of Board Members

Gioia Gentile, Chair	Present
Luciana Barandica, Vice Chair	Present
Mateo Cisneros, Secretary	Present
Alessandro Molina, Board Member	Present
Valentina Prusza, Board Member	Present
Mariacorina Mogollon, Alternate Member	Not Present

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Public Comments

No public comments.

5. Approval of Minutes a. March 25, 2026

6. Discussion Items a. "College Prep for Parents" Event

I. IT Services

- Alessandro has been in communicating with Carlos, he is able to

provide another screen and the AI Translating services for captioning in Spanish

- Does not have a quote for charging money yet, Marion suggests getting a sponsorship to cover the cost, could offer a table at the event

II. Promotional Material

- The committee will commence promotion now with the current flyer, send it to the city for approval
- As we confirm more colleges, we will be able to edit the flyer and add their logos to the flyer
- We will have 2 weeks of promotion on the city's Instagram
- On Instagram, the Mayor will open a comments box with questions that will be used during the Q&A sessions

III. Event Changes

- Invite Ana Maria Jaramillo, writer of "College Para Todos" to present.
- Chief of Staff Trotino suggests moving back to May 2nd and changing the sessions from 9:00am – 12:00pm to professionals
- In the coming weeks, the committee will focus on confirming colleges and getting admissions officers to answer questions on the professional panel
- Mayor Fraga will moderate the panels
- New schedule: May 2, 2026
 - **8:00am – 8:45am:** Will be setting up before the event
 - **8:45am – 9:00am:** Doors will open
 - **9:00am – 9:45am:** Carlos Quintana – SAT Prep.
 - **9:45am – 10:30am:** Monica Rodriguez – Finance
 - **10:30am – 11:15am:** *Ana Maria Jaramillo – College Advice*
 - **11:15am – 11:50pm:** Student Panel and Q&A
 - **11:50pm – 12:30pm:** Admissions Officers Panel and Q&A
 - **12:30pm – 3:00pm:** College Fair

IV. Budget

- Committees are not technically allowed to receive the money, and we will be in contact with Christopher and Erin for expenses

V. Food Sponsorship

- Will be continuing the sponsorship process with El Arepazo. We have to communicate to see how much food they will supply, and look to buy refreshments or other food from Publix to supplement


b. Open Discussion

7. Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 14, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.

8. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 6:19pm.

Respectfully submitted,


Mateo Cisneros, Secretary

Motion to approve the minutes of April 9, 2026, Youth Civic Committee Meeting made by Board Member ~~Luciana Barandica~~ Lucia and seconded by Board Member Alessandra.

Gioia Gentile, Chair _____
Luciana Barandica, Vice Chair LB
Mateo Cisneros, Secretary MC
Alessandro Molina, Member AM
Valentina Prusza, Member _____
Mariacarina Mogollon, Alternate Member MM

APPROVED and ADOPTED this 14th day of April 2026.

 vice chair
Gioia Gentile, Chair