

**TO: Youth Council**

**DATE: 5/20/09**

**FROM: Youth Council Staff**

**For Action**

**For Information**

**For Discussion**

**SUBJECT: Member Attendance**

**PROPOSED MOTION(S): For Discussion and Possible Action.**

**DISCUSSION: Member attendance is extremely important to ensure all items presented to the Youth Council receive proper attention. On April 15, 2009, the Youth Council Vice Chair began the conversation about the lack of regular member attendance. Quorum is met when a majority of members are available at a meeting (1 member over 50%). Meetings will now be held the third Wednesday of the month which may alleviate some of the attendance issues. It is recommended that ideas be shared by members regarding how to increase member attendance. All suggestions will be captured and placed on an electronic survey to be voted on by all members.**

**The Youth Council is a part of the Workforce Investment Board (WIB) of Merced County.**

**The VISION of Merced County's Youth Council is: Today's youth ... Tomorrow's leaders.**

**The ROLE of Merced County's Youth Council is: Strategically link/connect all youth delivery systems in a way that promotes a countywide vision of successful youth.**

**The MISSION STATEMENT of Merced County's Youth Council is to: Fund programs and foster collaboration to instill in our youth the knowledge, skills, and attitudes to succeed in their education and career.**

**ATTACHMENT(S): N/A**