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STUDENT MEMBER SOUGHT FOR HEALTHY HILLS STEERING COMMITTEE APPLICATIONS DUE July 1st

Chino Hills, CA – High school and college students who would like to gain some interesting experience are encouraged to apply to serve on the Chino Hills Healthy Hills Steering Committee. The Committee includes three high school student members and one college student. High school students must be Chino Hills residents or must attend high school in the City. High school students must be a junior or senior during the 2016/2017 school year and must be in good academic standing. College students must live in Chino Hills, or have family residing in Chino Hills, and be enrolled in college-level courses.

The Healthy Hills Steering Committee is comprised of people who are interested in prioritizing health and improving the quality of life in Chino Hills. Members attend special events throughout the year to represent Healthy Hills at City-wide events, like Easter Egg-Citement, the Independence Day Celebration, Concerts in the Park, and other programs. Members will also attend health-related events in the community, like the Health Fair, hikes, walks, screenings, etc.

The Healthy Hills Steering Committee meets four times each year in February, May, August, and November at 6:00 p.m. at the Chino Hills Community Center, 14250 City Center Drive, unless otherwise noted. The meeting dates for 2016 are August 8th and November 14th.

Membership subcommittee members will interview applicants starting the week of July 11th and plan to recommend appointments to the Healthy Hills Steering Committee at

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their August 8, 2016 meeting. The new members will serve August 2016 through August 2017. Applications were sent to local high schools and are available at the City Clerk's Office on the second floor at City Hall, 14000 City Center Drive. Visit www.chinohills.org/HealthyHills to download an application. Completed applications must be submitted to the City Clerk's Office by 3:30 p.m. on Friday, July 1st. Please call the City Clerk's Office at (909) 364-2620 for more information.

The Healthy Cities Steering Committee was formed in 1994 and revamped in 2014 as the Healthy Hills Steering Committee. The Committee was established to assist in assessing community needs, defining health priorities, and developing programs to enhance the quality of life within the community. Meetings are held to evaluate and recommend programs that meet the Committee's goals through the use of a variety of service providers. Programs operating under the Healthy Hills umbrella are as varied as enrichment programs for all ages, fitness and hiking programs, opportunities for youth involvement, health and wellness seminars, and more. A complete list is noted on the application.

The Healthy Hills Committee is comprised of 25 people including City Commissioners; students at the high school and college level; and representatives from Chino Valley Unified School District, Chino Valley Chamber of Commerce, Chino Hills Police Department, County of San Bernardino, Chino Valley YMCA, Chino Valley Fire District, five residents appointed by the Committee, and five residents appointed by the City Council.

Chino Hills is proud to have been designated a California Healthy City in 1994. The principle behind Healthy Hills is that education, employment opportunities, and the surrounding environment are associated to health and social well-being. The Healthy Hills Steering Committee strives to solve complex social, physical, and environmental health problems within the community with the support of local residents.

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