

- Motion: schedule Youth Caucus for April 11-13th
 - Can hold normal con in May
 - No objections. Motion passes.
- Policies and Procedures
 - Motion: Approve Article III of rev 10 of P&P
 - Passed unanimously
 - Motion: Approve Article IV of rev 10 of P&P
 - Passed unanimously
- Discussion: Should we have two youth state co-chairs? (Final decision to be made at Youth Caucus)
 - Chairs can cover for each other
- Discussion: Should Beacon host a workshop at Universalist Convocation about building youth engagement?
 - Convocation is national event
 - Fairly small-scale
 - Can use ideas from Vision Quest
 - Can meet people interested in youth ministry
 - Motion: “Make this a thing”
 - Passed unanimously
 - Motion: Table further discussion Vision Quest until after convocation workshop.
 - Large overlap in ideas; creates good jumping-off point for VQ
 - VQ committee can continue work outside of YC
 - Passed
 - Discussion: General ideas for workshop.
 - What makes your church community welcoming to youth?
 - Lack of judgement
 - Religious education is information, not indoctrination
 - Event organizers seek to include youth
 - Chain-recruitment
 - Knowing community members at church
 - Acknowledgement that youth are the future. Leads to further inclusion
 - Having minister that affirms youth empowerment
 - Being taken seriously by congregation
 - Scattered ideas
 - Don’t condescend
 - Emphasize Ageism
 - Make it clear that we’re people, not just adults and teens
 - Emphasize that congregation should go directly to youth; advisors are not in charge
 - QA w/ panel of experts

Notes taken by Will Cromar. Last updated 1/17/15