

# STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: August 23, 2022

#### TITLE:

Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2022-78 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas confirming the Youth Advisory Council appointments of the Mayor, as required in Section 3.08 of the City Charter; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing an effective date.

## **AGENDA ITEM SUBMITTED BY:**

Submitted by: Rebecca Gleason, Assistant City Manager

#### **BACKGROUND/HISTORY:**

The Youth Advisory Council was established on January 9, 2018, by the City Council of Bastrop, Texas after Mrs. Megan Brandon, a 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies Research Methods Teacher at Colorado River Collegiate Academy, and her third period class identified few opportunities for youth activities and leadership in Bastrop. Their identified solution to help solve this issue was the Youth Advisory Council (YAC). On May 22, 2018, the inaugural 12 members were recommended and approved for appointment.

This board serves as a conduit to the youth of the Bastrop community. An Ordinance establishing the YAC was approved by the Council on January 9, 2018.

In May 2022, youth were selected by school staff with one returning member and eleven new to the board. The following students are recommended by school staff for appointment:

Students	High School	Grade for 2022-23
Michael Svetlik	CCHS	12th
Benjamin Zhu	CRCA	12th
Arwyn Ayala	BHS	11th
Venus Gonzales Vega	CCHS	11th
Gabriella Lozano	CRCA	11th
Brendi Lyles	CRCA	11th
Isaiah Molina	CRCA	11th
Joel Briones	CCHS	10th
Blake Avery	BHS	9th
Elayna Coy	BHS	9th
Emily Guerra Bustos	CCHS	9th

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

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## **ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Resolution