

YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

VISION STATEMENT: Younger people get their voices heard

PURPOSE: to advise the Sweet Home City council and committees on issues that affect youth in our community and provide a primary link for youth to government, business and the entire community of a variety of subjects and opportunities.

- GOALS:
1. Increase youth involvement in the community
 2. Actively advocate for youth and their concerns
 3. Strive to have an impact in the community

STRUCTURE:

MEMBERSHIP: The Council will consist of three to seven members appointed by the City Council. The range of ages shall be between 12 and 16. Efforts will be on going to develop diversity in the group.

MEETINGS: The council will meet once a month on the third Wednesday at 2:15 unless otherwise voted upon.

OFFICERS: Officers shall be elected by a majority vote once the council reaches its maximum membership. Until that time, decisions shall be reached by consensus and leadership rotated among those present.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Each member of the council will select a community committee as a focus of their service. This commitment includes attending meetings, participating in discussions, and reporting to the council on decisions and activities of these entities. Suggestions will be made to the council of ways in which the other members may be of service.

Approved by YAC '1/19/2022
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