



APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION

RS-19-104

October 22, 2019

Background



- ❑ Youth Advisory Commission was created in 1993 to serve as a liaison to the Killeen City Council
- ❑ YAC exists to assist in minimizing community problems relating to youth, while encouraging positive growth and development
- ❑ Members participate in social, cultural and recreational activities that are meant to empower them in a drug and alcohol free environment
- ❑ The Annual Youth Conference, President's Volunteer Service Award, and Special Needs Dances are a few of our notable projects
- ❑ YAC is comprised of 37 commissioners & unlimited resource and junior members

Proposed Commissioners

| 2019-2020 Member | Special Qualifications |
|------------------|------------------------|
| Kama Rangel | Student Representative |
| Tyron Jones | Student Representative |
| Ariana Balarezo | Student Representative |
| Fabian Balarezo | Student Representative |
| Maria Okeke | Student Representative |
| Jazmine Allen | Student Representative |
| Jalen Cookson | Student Representative |
| Amari Duckett | Student Representative |
| Kevin Arellano | Student Representative |
| Rashida Mohammed | Student Representative |
| Aalaynah Harris | Student Representative |

Proposed Commissioners

| 2019-2020 Member | Special Qualifications |
|-------------------|------------------------|
| Andrea Cavanagh | Student Representative |
| Stacy Estelhomme | Student Representative |
| Ahlysha Hicks | Student Representative |
| Ishmael Watkins | Student Representative |
| Shyann Hancock | Student Representative |
| Deren Richardson | Student Representative |
| Jayson Richardson | Student Representative |
| Osmond Amoako | Student Representative |
| Amareyae Agosto | Student Representative |
| Julian Chavez | Student Representative |

Proposed Commissioners

| 2019-2020 Member | Special Qualifications |
|------------------|------------------------|
| Nicholas Trevino | Student Representative |
| Keelie Cole | Student Representative |
| Dae'Tian Nanton | Student Representative |
| Otis Connolly | Student Representative |
| Madelynn Spear | Student Representative |
| Nylah Yville | Student Representative |
| Nathan Hernandez | Student Representative |
| Rodolfo Alvarez | Student Representative |
| Kaitlyn Low | Student Representative |
| Joseph Low | Student Representative |
| Mark Thomas | Student Representative |

Alternatives

- ❑ Not appoint the recommended nominations as commissioners
 - ▣ This option will result in Youth Advisory Commission not having a functional board to serve as a liaison to City Council
- ❑ Choose to appoint the recommended nominations as Youth Advisory Commissioners for the 2019-2020 year

Recommendation

- Staff recommends that City Council appoint the nominated individuals as commissioners for the 2019-2020 year