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Mayor's Youth Leadership Council

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NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
STUDENTS PRESENTLY IN THE
9TH, 10TH, and 11th Grades in **WINSTON COUNTY**
ARE INVITED TO APPLY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
MAYOR'S YOUTH LEADERSHIP COUNCIL.

RETURNING SENIORS ARE ALSO ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.

Applications are available at Louisville City Hall or visit www.cityoflouisvillems.com.

SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO:
LOUISVILLE CITY HALL
2373 SOUTH CHURCH AVENUE
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On or before

WEDNESDAY, Oct 21, 2022, BY 5 P.M.

The Mayor's Youth Council (MYC) is a group of young people working toward a common purpose of developing individual leadership skills to strengthen their communities through volunteer service and increased communication with municipal leaders. The Louisville MYC creates opportunities for personal development, community engagement, and the attainment of community service hours. Additionally, participants also provide valuable insight on issues affecting youth and the community. With support from adult mentors, youth develop and lead community service initiatives. The MYC is more than a service club because it provides members with the opportunity to train and involve peers in service leadership.

LOUISVILLE MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL APPLICATION

\$30 Application Fee

**** Incomplete applications will not be considered. Fee is required for all applicants ****

The purpose of the Mayor's Youth Council is to provide a voice for youth while organizing productive community projects, promoting youth engagement in government affairs, and acting as a resource for the city of Louisville and city organizations upon request.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____ Youth's Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

School: _____ Grade: ____ Age: ____

Do you have access to transportation to and from meetings and activities? Yes ____ No ____

I agree to conduct myself in a manner befitting a representative of the city of Louisville and will abide by MYC guidelines. If selected, I commit to a **one-year appointment**. Please sign below confirming your agreement.

Applicant Signature

Date

I am the parent or legal guardian of the above-named student and agree to their participation in the MYC.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Applications will be reviewed, and interviews may be necessary.

Consider the following questions. Complete and submit a detailed written response for each. Please attach one letter of recommendation.

1. List all organizations or clubs you are currently a member of (in and out of school).
2. **Essay Question:** Please explain why you'd like to participate in the Mayor's Youth Council.
3. **Essay Question:** What issues do you think the Louisville/Winston County youth are facing? State the issues and write a plan for how the Louisville Mayor's Youth Council can address the concerns.
4. **Essay Question:** What value do you feel the Mayor's Youth Council brings to you, the community, and to community service?

Returning applicants are not required to complete questions or provide a recommendation but **MUST list all **MYC events** in which you engaged during the 2021-2022 school term. Your application is incomplete without the listing of MYC sponsored events.**