YOUTH LEADERSHIP ADVISORY COUNCIL

	MEMBERS	ORIGINAL APPT	TERM EXPIRES
1.	**Cameron Cunningham** (Mayor's Designee)	10-7-2026	5-31-2028
3.	**Cara McAnallen** (Mayor's Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2027
4.	**Emilia Tsai** (Mayor's Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
5.	**Aiyana Castro** (Mayor's Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2027
6.	**VACANT** (Ward 1 Designee)		
7.	**Luca Bennett** (Ward 1 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
8.	**Spencer Whiteley** (Ward 1 Designee)	9-2-2026	5-31-2028
9.	**VACANT** (Ward 2 Designee)		
10.	**Ethan Cohen** (Ward 2 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2027
11.	**Grayson Gurney** (Ward 2 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
12.	**Carla Yolanda Beltran Delgado** (Ward 3 Designee)	4-1-2026	5-31-2029
13.	**VACANT** (Ward 3 Designee)		
14.	**Kory Hall** (Ward 3 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2027
15.	**Anara Minnalez** (Ward 4 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
16.	**Zoe Jimenez** (Ward 4 Designee)	9-2-2026	5-31-2028
17.	**VACANT** (Ward 4 Designee)		
18.	**Manuel Ruiz** (Ward 5 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
20.	**Nevaeh Blankenship** (Ward 5 Designee)	9-2-2026	5-31-2028
21.	**Khloe Camarillo** (Ward 6 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
22.	**Timothy Laster** (Ward 6 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2027
23.	**Eric McCraney** (Ward 6 Designee)	9-17-2025	5-31-2029
	Sheena Mitchell (Ex Officio Staff Designee)		

GENERAL PURPOSE

Create and foster opportunities for civic engagement and leadership for youth and provide youth with opportunities to engage with City staff and elected officials and advise and make recommendations to the City Council concerning subjects of particular interest to youth, including, without limitation, education, youth development, social programs and initiatives.

AUTHORITY:

Created by City Council action on 4-2-2025 – Bill No. 2025-1, Ordinance No. 6899. Initial members appointed on 9-17-2025.

MEMBERS:

No less than 9 and no more than 23 voting members appointed by the Mayor and City Council and one ex officio non-voting City of Las Vegas staff member assigned by the Director of Youth Development and Social Initiatives or the Director's designee. Members shall, when appointed, be students at the high school level, from schools, whether public, private or home school, that serve the City.

Mayor	Up to five (5) members (Must be a resident of, or attend school within, the City but may be a resident of any ward of the City)
Council	Up to three (3) members from each of the six Council Wards (Must be a resident of or attend school within, the Ward represented by the Councilmember)

TERM:

Staggered terms of two Academic Years – Academic Year is defined as August of one calendar year through May of the following calendar year.

Terms for initial ninth-grade members appointed will be four academic years. Following the first two academic years after the establishment of the Advisory Council, its membership will revert to staggered terms of two academic years.

If the term of a member expires while such member is still attending high school, that member will be permitted to serve a second term.

NOTES:

City residency or attendance of a school located within the City of Las Vegas is required. Youth must be enrolled in high school at the time of their appointment but can complete their two-year term if they graduate from high school during their term.

No other person or substitute may participate in any Advisory Council meeting in the place of an appointed member.

There is no compensation for this board.

Members serve at the pleasure of the City Council.

MEETINGS:

No less than five meetings per academic year.

A majority of the voting members shall constitute a quorum.

CONTACT:

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