

REPORT NO. 100 of the
**SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT,
HEALTH & CULTURE STANDING COMMITTEE**
of its meeting held July 11, 2012

Present: Councillor Ed Sleiman, Vice Chair
Councillor Percy Hatfield
Councillor Hilary Payne

Regrets: Councillor Ron Jones
Councillor Alan Halberstadt

That the following recommendation of the Social Development, Health and Culture Standing Committee **BE APPROVED** as follows:

Moved by Councillor Payne, seconded by Councillor Hatfield,
THAT the minutes of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee meeting held April 3, 2012 **BE RECEIVED** for information.
Carried.

Clerk's Note: The minutes of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee meeting held April 3, 2012 are attached as background information.



VICE CHAIRPERSON



DEPUTY CITY CLERK

NOTIFICATION:		
Name	Address	Email
Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee		

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Windsor, Ontario April 3, 2012

A meeting of the **Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee** is held this day commencing at 5:00 o'clock p.m. in Room 406, 400 City Hall Square East, there being present the following members:

Sarah Davidson, Co-Chair
Jonathon Liedtke, Co-Chair
Timothy Au-Yeung
Eileen-Si Chen
Tenyce Doan
Trevor Fairlie
Scott Fenn
Angus Kong
Tina Lei

Also present is the following resource personnel:

Karen Kadour, (A) Committee Coordinator

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

S. Davidson, Co-Chair calls the meeting to order at 5:01 o'clock p.m. and the Committee considers the Agenda being Schedule "A" **attached** hereto, matters which are dealt with as follows:

2. **DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT**

None declared.

3. **ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES**

Moved by T. Fairlie, seconded by T. Au-Yeung,
That the minutes of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee at its meeting held February 7, 2012 **BE ADOPTED** as presented.
Carried.

4. **BUSINESS ITEMS**

4.1 **Approved Budget 2012**

S. Davidson, Co-Chair reports that MYAC's request for a 2012 operating budget in the amount of \$7,000. was approved by City Council.

4.2 **Current Initiatives Update:**

Youth Leadership Awards

S. Davidson, Co-Chair distributes the following, *attached* respectively as Appendix "A", Appendix "B" and Appendix "C":

- Poster for the 2012 Youth Leadership Awards
- Youth Leadership Awards Nomination Form
- Backgrounder for the Youth Leadership Awards

S. Davidson, Co-Chair advises the three winning candidates for the Youth Leadership Awards will be recognized publicly by Mayor Eddie Francis at the 2012 Mayor's Walk and City Birthday Celebration to be held on May 21, 2012. She requests that MYAC members attend and participate in the Mayor's Walk event.

S. Davidson, Co-Chair reports the three winning candidates will be chosen by community partners.

Moved by T. Lei, seconded by E. Chen,

That **APPROVAL BE GIVEN** to an expenditure in the upset amount of \$1,500 for costs associated with the 2012 Youth Leadership Awards.

Carried.

Windsor Star Blog

S. Davidson, Co-Chair advises she contacted Donald MacArthur, Online News Editor, Windsor Star who has agreed to write a blog pertaining to youth issues in the community. She notes it is not known whether this will be a MYAC Windsor blog, or will be personalized by the writer, but this is certainly an initiative that will boost youth awareness.

Newsletter Publication

S. Davidson, Co-Chair states three students from St. Clair College will assist in September 2012 with the production of the MYAC Newsletter. This endeavour was coordinated by Veronique Mandel, St. Clair College Journalism Program Director. She

asks if there is a desire to produce an e-newsletter prior to the production of the newsletter with the St. Clair College students.

Stuff A Bus Initiative

S. Davidson, Co-Chair suggests that the General Manager, Transit Windsor and the Director of Operations, Transit Windsor be invited to attend the next meeting of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee.

Moved by T. Fairlie, seconded by S. Fenn,

That the General Manager, Transit Windsor and the Director of Operations, Transit Windsor **BE INVITED** to attend the next meeting of the Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee to provide information relating to the Stuff A Bus initiative.

Carried.

Student Ambassador Program

S. Davidson, Co-Chair provides an overview of the 'draft' letter sent to the Executive Student Councils of area high schools regarding the Student Ambassador Program (SAP). She indicates the deadline to appoint a SAP representative to MYAC is June 4, 2012.

T. Fairlie suggests a presentation regarding the Student Ambassador Program be provided to the Public/Separate School Boards at an upcoming Board meeting.

Committee Contribution

S. Davidson advises that the MYAC website www.windsoryouth.com has a Face book and Twitter feed. She asks that members promote MYAC by posting to the website.

It is generally agreed that MYAC hold regular strategic planning sessions.

In terms of the community perception of MYAC, S. Davidson states the 2012 Youth Leadership Awards will certainly aid in the promotion of MYAC.

4. COMMITTEE NEWS/UPDATES & NEW BUSINESS

T. Fairlee suggests MYAC involvement in the 2013 International Children's Games. S. Davidson states she was asked to sit on the International Children's Games Youth Volunteer Committee.

T. Fairlee reports that the referendum held for the University of Windsor Transit Windsor U Pass was defeated.

5. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be at the call of the Co-Chairs.

6. **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the meeting is adjourned at 6:15 o'clock p.m.

Sarah Davidson, Co-Chair

Committee Coordinator (A)



AGENDA
and Schedule "A"
to the minutes of the meeting of the
MAYOR'S YOUTH ADVISORY
COMMITTEE
held Tuesday, April 3, 2012
Room 406, 400 City Hall Square East –
5:00 o'clock p.m.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT**
3. **MINUTES**

Adoption of the minutes of the meeting held February 7, 2012 – *((previously distributed)).*

4. **BUSINESS ITEMS**
**(Background information provided by the Co-Chair is attached as Item 4.0)*

1. **Approved Budget 2012**

2. **Current Initiatives Update:**

- a) **Youth Leadership Awards**
 - MYAC presence at Mayor's Walk
 - Promotion of Awards by MYAC
 - Budget line of \$1500.00; Purchase of event materials
- b) **Windsor Star Blog**
 - Content suggestions
- c) **Newsletter Publication**
 - Approval of preview e-newsletter & formal launch re: St. Clair Students
- d) **Stuff A Bus' Initiative**
 - Beneficiaries
 - Donations required
 - Committee participation
- e) **Student Ambassador Program (SAP)**
 - Trevor Fairlie to provide update and answer any inquires

3. **Committee Contribution**

- Social Media (Twitter & Facebook)
- Strategic Meeting Attendance
- Community perception of MYAC

4. **Committee News/Updates & New Business**

5. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To be determined.

6. ADJOURNMENT

Do you know a young leader that stands out as someone who is making Windsor a better place?

The Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee Presents

The 2012

YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS

RECOGNIZING YOUTH MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN WINDSOR



Three winning candidates will be recognized publicly by Mayor Eddie Francis at the 2012 Mayor's Walk and City Birthday Celebration on Monday May 21st 2012 as young leaders who are making a difference in Windsor.

How to Apply:

APPENDIX "A"

1. Download a nomination form at www.windsoryouth.com OR from your school/ community organization
2. Submit a one minute video speaking to the importance of youth in Windsor - Show us your personality!
3. Submit your application via Email OR Snail Mail (see Nomination Form)

Eligible candidates must be between the ages of 15 and 24. Applications must be submitted no later than April 30th at 11:59pm to be considered

www.windsoryouth.com



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Youth Leadership Awards

Recognizing Youth Making a Difference in Windsor

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All Candidates must be between the ages of 15 and 24 years of age. Candidates must also have been a resident of Windsor-Essex for at least one year. All nomination submissions will be reviewed by a committee comprised of various community stakeholders who service or advocate for Windsor youth. Three successful nominees will be recognized publicly by Mayor Eddie Francis at The Annual Mayor's Walk and City Birthday Celebration on Monday May 21st 2012.

N O M I N A T I O N F O R M

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Age _____

Current Education Level Attained: (circle one)

High School College Apprenticeship/Skilled Trades University Other

How long have you lived in Windsor? _____

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

What have you done recently to make Windsor a better place?

Name an example or occurrence where you have shown leadership at your school or in the community:

How many volunteer hours have you completed in the last year? Where have you dedicated the majority of your time?

APPENDIX "B"



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VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Organization/Group: _____

Your Role: _____

Volunteering since: _____

Organization/Group: _____

Your Role: _____

Volunteering since: _____

Where do you see yourself in five years? Does this plan include living in Windsor?

LET'S TALK ABOUT WINDSOR

Submit a YouTube video to MYAC Windsor and choose **ONE** of the following subjects:

1. What can youth do to make a difference in their communities?
2. How can we enhance awareness about youth in the community?
3. As a young person in the community, why is civic engagement and leadership important?

* Make your videos no longer than 2 minutes in length. Make them fun and entertaining – we want to see your personality! **Be sure to state your FIRST and LAST name at the beginning of your video.**

REFERENCES

Provide two references that can speak to your civic engagement experience and leadership skills in Windsor (teachers, volunteer coordinator, organization representative, etc.)

NAME

POSITION

RELATION TO THE NOMINEE

CONTACT INFORMATION

NAME

POSITION

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INSTRUCTIONS

How to submit your application form:

Option 1: Fill out an online application form at www.windsoryouth.com

Option 2: Email your application to myacwindsor@gmail.com

Option 3: Mail your application to:

MYAC Windsor: Youth Leadership Awards
C/O Karen Kadour
Council Services Department
350 City Hall Square
Windsor Ontario
N9A 6Y5

How to submit your video:

VIDEO SUBMISSIONS should be uploaded to YouTube and the *embedded link* should be emailed to: myacwindsor@gmail.com. **Please clearly identify your FIRST and LAST name in all video submissions.**

**Deadline for all nomination forms and video submissions
is April 30th 2012 at 11:59 PM.**

GOOD LUCK!

Follow The Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee on **Facebook** or **Twitter!**





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YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS

Do you know a young leader that stands out as someone who is making Windsor a better place?

The Mayor's Youth Advisory Committee is looking to recognize three youth in Windsor that are making positive change in our community. The 3 winning candidates will be recognized publicly by Mayor Eddie Francis at the 2012 Mayor's Walk and City Birthday Celebration on Monday May 21st 2012.

Youth are the future of Windsor and are making some amazing change. It's time to recognize the importance of community involvement and civic engagement of youth. If you are a young leader in Windsor that is involved in making our community a better place, you are encouraged to apply.

Pick up a nomination form at the school office, or download a version on Windsoryouth.com - Applications are due April 30th!

