



AGENDA

Youth Commission

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

3:45 PM

City Hall; Council Chambers, 2875

145th St W, Rosemount

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Additions or Corrections to Agenda**
- 3. Audience Input**
- 4. Consent Agenda**
 - a. Minutes of August 27, 2025 Youth Commission Meeting
- 5. Old Business**
- 6. New Business**
 - a. Department Overview: City Clerk
 - b. Leadership Workbook: Chapter 8; Teamwork & Collaboration
 - c. Youth Commission Goals
 - d. Roundtable Discussion
- 7. Reports**
 - a. Youth Commissioner Reports
 - b. Upcoming Events
 - c. Next Youth Commission Meeting Date — Wednesday, October 22, 2025

**ROSEMOUNT YOUTH COMMISSION
PROCEEDINGS
AUGUST 27, 2025**

Call to Order

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the Rosemount Youth Commission was held on Wednesday, August 27, 2025, at 3:48 PM. in Steeple Center, 14375 S Robert Trl.

Chairperson Geller called the meeting to order with Commissioners present: Carter, Decker, Harvey, Jacob, John, Johnson, Sayapal, Sell (arrival 4:15), Skaria and Ulstad

Commissioners absent were: Giray, Jacobson, Mason, Nowlin, and Raimondo.

Staff present included the following; Mayor Weisensel (briefly), Sarah Saunders.

Additions or Corrections to Agenda

Motion by Geller Second by Jacob

Motion to approve the Agenda.

Ayes: 9.

Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Audience Input

None.

Consent Agenda

Motion by Geller Second by Harvey

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda.

Ayes: 9.

Nays: None. Motion Carried.

- a. Minutes of June 25, 2025, Youth Commission Meeting

Old Business

None.

New Business

- a. Videos & Discussion

Deputy Clerk Saunders showed (4) four short video clips to the group. After each video, commissioners would discuss their takeaways. The videos were about leadership and teamwork, with some humor. Commissioners discussed how they view authority figures as leaders or non-leaders, what a growth mindset looks like, and gave examples of speaking truth to parents or other authority figures.

- b. Leadership Workbook: Chapter 2; Developing a Growth Mindset

Deputy Clerk Saunders asked the group, "what is the difference between a leader and a follower"? This sparked a conversation between the Commissioners about what leadership looks like, developing a growth mindset, and the type of leader they see themselves as. To close the lesson, the Commissioners wrote "*A Letter to Yourself*" reminding them to never give up and keep believing in themselves.

c. Roundtable Discussion

Commissioners talked individually about their worries about the upcoming school year, hard classes, balancing work and school, college applications, along with horses and tennis. They are a very busy group.

Reports

a. Youth Commissioner Reports

None.

b. Next Youth Commission Meeting Date - September 24, 2025

Deputy Clerk Saunders reminded Commissioners that the location is Council Chambers for the September meeting date.

There being no further business to come before the City Council at the regular council meeting and upon a motion by Geller and a second by Sell the meeting was adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

(on behalf of Jacob Skaria)
Sarah Saunders
Deputy Clerk

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AGENDA ITEM: Department Overview: City Clerk	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.a.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Information Only.	

BACKGROUND

Guest Speaker, Erin Fasbender, City Clerk for the City of Rosemount will provide an overview of her role as City Clerk as it involves elections, record management, data requests, City Council Meetings, and Parliamentary Procedure.

RECOMMENDATION

Information Only.

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AGENDA ITEM: Leadership Workbook: Chapter 8; Teamwork & Collaboration	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.b.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion & Activity	

BACKGROUND

Commissioners will focus on the importance of teamwork and collaboration in Chapter 8 of their Leadership Workbook. They will complete a fun Marshmallow Challenge focusing on teamwork and discuss how leadership can look different or similar to teamwork.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion & Activity

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AGENDA ITEM: Youth Commission Goals	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.c.
ATTACHMENTS: 2024-2025 Goals	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Goals Discussion	

BACKGROUND

Youth Commissioners will review and discuss their 2025–2026 goals and evaluate whether any changes or additions are needed to the prior 2024–2025 goals.

RECOMMENDATION

Goals Discussion



Within the City Council Goals to Grow, Live and Manage Rosemount, the Youth Commission establish the following as their 2024-2025 goals

GROW

Increase Support for Youth-Related Activities, Facilities and Amenities

- Support new and existing business work opportunities to gain experience
- Promote Youth volunteerism to build leadership skills
- Support additional recreational facilities
- Support the development of neighborhood parks with added features

LIVE

Increase Youth Commission Community Presence and Connecting Partners

- Maintain current and develop new partners and partnership events
 - City Council
 - Park and Recreation Dept
 - RAAC
 - School, Volunteer, and Non-Profit Organizations
- Recommend support of youth-oriented initiatives to City Council

MANAGE

Increase Youth Events and Activities

- Increase visibility and participation in community events
 - Leprechaun Days / Committee and City Council
 - Night to Unite / City Council
 - Holiday Tree Lighting / RAAC
 - Spring Senior Event
 - Arbor Day/Tree Legacy Planting
 - Splash Pad
- Promote recruitment of eligible youth to the Youth Commission
- Initiate a social media presence for youth and recruitment
- Establish a youth engagement event; coordinated by Youth Commission

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AGENDA ITEM: Roundtable Discussion	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.d.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion	

BACKGROUND

Youth Commissioners are encouraged to speak to the group about any upcoming activities or happenings in their lives.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion

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AGENDA ITEM: Youth Commissioner Reports	AGENDA SECTION: Reports
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 7.a.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion	

BACKGROUND

Members of the Youth Commission can bring forth any items they'd like to discuss.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion

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AGENDA ITEM: Upcoming Events	AGENDA SECTION: Reports
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 7.b.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Save the Date	

BACKGROUND

Oktoberfest; Saturday, October 11 at Central Park, 12:00pm - 7:00pm

Halloween Haunted Trail; Saturday, October 25 at Central Park (volunteer opportunities)

RECOMMENDATION

Save the Date

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AGENDA ITEM: Next Youth Commission Meeting Date — Wednesday, October 22, 2025	AGENDA SECTION: Reports
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 7.c.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Save the Date	

BACKGROUND

Our next Youth Commission meeting is Wednesday, October 22, 2025 at 3:45PM at Steeple Center, Rosemount MN.

RECOMMENDATION

Save the Date