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**ROSEMOUNT YOUTH COMMISSION
PROCEEDINGS
JUNE 25, 2026**

Call to Order

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof a regular meeting of the Youth Commission was held on Thursday, June 25, 2026, at 3:45 PM. in PW Campus, 14041 Biscayne Ave, Rosemount.

Chairperson Sell called the meeting to order with Commissioners Carlson, H. Essayas, S. Essayas, Fitzgerald, Geller, Jacob, Khaksar, A. Linnan, C. Linnan, Macharla, Millmann, Nelson, Noman, and Swift.

Commissioners absent were Decker, Gersam, Getachew, Giray, Harvey, John, Michalak, Ortiz, Rhoades, Tadesse, Webster and Sayapat.

Staff present included the following: Sarah Saunders.

Additions or Corrections to Agenda

City Staff Saunders pulled item 6.a. from the Agenda. Officer Ahmetovic and K-9 Jet were not able to be at the meeting.

Motion by Sell Second by Geller

Motion to Approve the Agenda, with item 6.a. pulled.

Ayes: 15.

Nays: None. Motion Carried.

Audience Input

None.

Consent Agenda

Motion by Sell Second by Geller

Motion to Approve the Consent Agenda.

Ayes: 15.

Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

- a. Minutes of May 19, 2026 Youth Commission Meeting

Old Business

None.

New Business

- a. Guest Speaker: Officer Anis Ahmetovic & K-9 Jet

This item was pulled from the Agenda.

b. Leadership Lesson; How Leaders Overcome Challenges

Deputy Clerk Saunders guided the group through Chapter 10 of the Leadership Workbook. The Commissioners took part in three team-building activities and engaged in an in-depth discussion about the word *sagacity*—one of the four “S’s” highlighted in the workbook.

c. Roundtable Discussion

Commissioners shared their summer plans, including attending camps, working seasonal jobs, volunteering with community organizations and charities, and spending time with their families.

Reports

a. Youth Commissioner Reports

None.

b. Upcoming Events

Deputy Clerk Saunders reviewed the calendar of events and upcoming meetings.

c. Next Youth Commission Meeting Date: Thursday, August 27, 2026

There being no further business to come before the Youth Commission at the regular meeting and upon a motion by Sell and a second by Jacob the meeting was adjourned at 4:46 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

[On Behalf of YC]
Sarah Saunders
Deputy Clerk

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Night To Unite & Splash Pad Recap	AGENDA SECTION: Old Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 5.a.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion	

BACKGROUND

Commissioners will talk about the Night to Unite event they attended and share how it went. They will also go over the Splash Pad event they hosted, including highlights and areas for improvement. Suggestions and feedback are welcome.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Guest Speaker: Communications Team - Lee Stoffel & Symone Hubbard ~ Instagram Hosted by YC	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.a.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion & Vote	

BACKGROUND

The City of Rosemount's Communications Team, Lee Stoffel and Symone Hubbard, will share information from a recent meeting with Commissioner Cindy Harvey, along with the plan for launching a Youth Commission Instagram page. Commissioners will be invited to offer input and feedback to help create a page that is both fun and inspiring. Commissioners will also vote on a logo for the Instagram page.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion & Vote

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Murals/Art in Rosemount	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.b.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion	

BACKGROUND

Commissioners Cindy Harvey and Anushka Jacob would like to bring their ideas to life to create more art in our Rosemount community. This will be a brainstorming session and discussion to find out if the Youth Commission as a whole is interested in creating a plan and bringing this idea to City Council for action.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Leadership Lesson: The Foundations of Leadership	AGENDA SECTION: New Business
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 6.c.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion & Activity	

BACKGROUND

Mayor Weisensel and Mrs. Saunders will lead a discussion with Youth Commissioners on self-leadership and its importance as the foundation of effective leadership. Commissioners will then complete Activity 10: Personal SWOT Analysis. This exercise helps participants identify and use their strengths (S), address weaknesses (W), recognize opportunities (O), and anticipate potential threats (T).

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion & Activity

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

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 share any upcoming events or noteworthy activities in their lives with the group.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

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 are invited to present any topics, updates or items they wish to bring before the Commission for discussion.

RECOMMENDATION

Discussion

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

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

BACKGROUND

City staff provide reminders and information to Youth Commissioners regarding upcoming community events.

*Overdose Awareness Day Vigil — Steeple Center; Sunday August 30, 7:00-8:00PM

*Grand Opening Event — Copper at Rosecott; Wednesday, September 2, 3:00-10:00PM

*Fall Food Truck Festival — Central Park, Saturday, September 19, 4:00-8:00PM

RECOMMENDATION

Save the Date

Youth Commission : August 27, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Next Youth Commission Meeting Date - Thursday, September 24, 2026; Location TBD	AGENDA SECTION: Reports
PREPARED BY: Sarah Saunders, Deputy City Clerk	AGENDA NO. 7.c.
ATTACHMENTS:	APPROVED BY: EF
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Save the Date	

BACKGROUND

The next Youth Commission meeting is Thursday, September 24, 2026. Location TBD.

RECOMMENDATION

Save the Date