



Mayor's Youth Advisory Council

The City of Prescott in partnership with Youth Count desires to encourage youth participation in city activities and decision making. The Mayor's Youth Advisory Council will provide a voice for youth on city issues and will work with the Mayor, the Prescott City Council and staff to learn about local government operations and services and assist with city activities to encourage youth involvement in the community.

The Mayor's Youth Advisory Council (MYAC) will be composed of at least six and not more than 10 youths ages 14 to 18 who live in Prescott or adjacent unincorporated areas. The MYAC will strive to reflect the demographic diversity of the community. Members will be appointed by the mayor and serve one-year terms beginning November 1 and continuing through May of each school year. Members of the MYAC must attend monthly meetings at Prescott City Hall and are responsible for transportation to and from the meeting location. Transportation for field trips, site visits and other activities of the MYAC will be provided for MYAC members to and from City Hall.

Applications for the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council are due by 5 p.m. August 31, 2007, for the 2007-2008 school year.

City staff, under the direction of the Prescott City Manager will work with the MYAC, preparing agendas, arranging field trips, tours and other activities and will arrange for the mayor or another City Council member to meet with members on a regular basis.

Direct questions about the MYAC to the 777-1551. Send e-mail to libby.reiman@cityofprescott.net.



City of Prescott Mayor's Youth Advisory Council Application

Date: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____ Email: _____
School: _____ Grade _____
Age: _____

1. Attach and submit a 400 to 500-word essay expressing your interest in joining the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council, your vision of the MYAC's value to the community and the contributions you expect to make to the MYAC.
2. Attach and submit a letter of reference and recommendation from a non-relative adult.

The deadline for receipt of applications is 5 p.m. Aug. 31, 2007. Submit to the Prescott City Manager's Office, Prescott, City Hall, 201 S. Cortez St. Mail to P.O. Box 2059 Prescott, 86302. Mailed items must be postmarked by Aug 28.

By signing this application, I agree to serve on the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council and to attend MYAC meetings/activities.

Signature (Applicant)

Date

By signing this application form, I give permission for my child to apply for the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council. If selected, I will support and encourage my child to attend and participate in every meeting or activity when possible.

Signature (Parent or Guardian)

Date