



## **CITY YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA**

**DATE:** Wednesday, April 8th, 2026

**TIME:** 6:00 pm

**LOCATION:** City Hall, City Council Chambers  
161 W. Michigan Ave., Jackson, MI 49201

### **AGENDA ITEMS:**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Adoption of the Agenda
- IV. Citizens' Comments (3 Minute Limits)
- V. Approval of Meeting Minutes
- VI. Committee Reports
  - A. Mental Health Committee
  - B. Eco-Friendly Committee
  - C. DEI Committee
  - D. Event Committee
- VII. Old Business
  - A. Juneteenth
  - B. Youth Leadership Summit
  - C. Calendar update
- VIII. New Business
  - A. Mrs. Clause- How to plan for next year?
  - B. End of year Retreat
  - C. Graduation Open houses

### **NEXT MEETING**

The next Youth Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 6:00pm.

**COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

**ADJOURNMENT**



## **CITY YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

March 11, 2026

### **CALL TO ORDER:**

This meeting was called to order at 6:08 pm by Chairperson Gray.

### **ROLL CALL:**

Present: Nacoya Davis, Tyshon Gray, Georgia Tocco, Sarah Massey, Sophia Mahoney, Melody Griffin, Avion Johnson

Absent:

Excused: Aiyana Walker, Onour Davis

### **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA:**

Georgia Tocco motioned to add to the agenda a reevaluation Youth Council evaluations applications

### **CITIZEN COMMENTS:**

None

### **APPROVAL OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES**

Sarah Massey motioned to change Aiyana Walker's status from Absent to Excused, seconded

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- Eco-Friendly Committee:
  - May 2nd - City Wide clean-up day!
  - All hands on deck
  - Great opportunity to meet community leaders/Jackson community
  - The central location has moved between New Powerhouse gym and Southside Deli.

- Event Planning/Communications Committee:
- DEI Committee:
  - Need to attend common grounds with LWVJA
    - Next one is signage making for No King's Rally March 28th
  - Need to start the discussion for the book club
    - Build the foundation now to start the program over the summer
      - Could we partner with the JDL for their summer program?
- Mental Health Committee:

### **OLD BUSINESS**

- **State of the city**
  - Go Tyshon! (Did the state of the city address)
  - Gave us the chance to go on JTV for an interview to promote our Youth Summit
- **State of the State**
  - Go Georgia! (Was on the floor for State of the State)
  - Invited by Representative Kathy Schmaltz personally to the Youth Forum
- **1 Can-Can**
  - Need to settle on the specific policies regarding our official proposal
    - A date needs to be chosen to establish and confirm these policies

Avion Johnson motioned to reconsider the Youth Council's Prior proposal regarding 1 Can-Can, seconded

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- **Youth Leadership Summit**
  - Youth Award
    - Heart trophies? (heart of the city)
    - Nominate two candidates by Saturday!
    - Would be a good idea to look into how State of The City gave their awards
  - Invite Distribution

- Need to meet quota of at least 5 RSVP's for each council member

### **NEXT MEETING**

The next Youth Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 8th, 2026, at 18:00.

### **COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

None.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:09 pm by Chairperson Gray.