



CITY YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Thursday, May 15, 2025

TIME: 5:00 pm

LOCATION: City Hall, 2nd floor, 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. Citizen Comments (3-Minute Limit)
- V. Approval of March Meeting Minutes
- VI. Committee Reports
 - A. Mental Health Committee
 - B. Eco-Friendly Committee
 - C. DEI Committee
 - D. Event Planning/Communications Committee
- VII. Old Business
 - A. JPS School Board Meeting
 - B. City Council Meeting
 - C. New Memo for wards and school presentation
 - D. State of the City- March 20, 2025
 - E. 68th Annual FDR Dinner-April 17, 2025
 - F. Summit to Reduce the Violence- April 23, 2025
 - G. 1st Annual Youth Forum-April 25, 2025

VIII. New Business

A. Last official meeting for Seniors:

- Chairman- Jadelyn Gibson
- Vice-chairman- Mia Sims
- Secretary- Annika VanFleet
- Council Member- Amaurion Moore

B. Voting for Council Vacant positions

1. Secretary
2. Vice-Chair
3. Chair

C. Next Official Meeting, August 21, 2025

D. Summer team building retreat?

E. Summer training for council members(Robert's Rules) and 2025/2026 Calendar.

F. Juneteenth Volunteers needed- Kids zone

NEXT MEETING

The next Youth Council meeting will be held on Thursday, August 21, 2025, at 5:00 pm

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT



CITY YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

March 20th, 2025

CALL TO ORDER:

This meeting was called to order at 17:05 by Chairperson Gibson.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Jadelyn Gibson, Mia Sims, Nacoya Davis, Tyshon Gray, Amaurion Moore, Georgia Tocco, Sarah Massey, Aiyana Walker, Avion

Absent: Annika Van Fleet

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA:

- Avion motioned to amend the agenda to add leadership roles within the council, and Tyshon seconded the motion.
- Tyshon motioned to correct the “Social Media Committee” to its new title, the Event Planning/Communications Committee. Avion seconded the motion.

CITIZEN COMMENTS:

Freddie Dancy, city council member, spoke about an event in August (National Night out) where we would be able to have a table at. The fifth ward is also having an award meeting a week after this meeting.

APPROVAL OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

Jadelyn motioned to correct Amaurion Moore’s name in the January Meeting Minutes. Tyshon seconded the motion.

Tyshon motioned to approve the Meeting Minutes of January, and Amaurion seconded the motion.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Jadelyn motioned to table a policy suggested by Avion in which leadership roles are created within Committees, but cannot be filled by members who already hold a leadership role in the council as a whole. This will be voted on at the next meeting. Tyshon seconded the motion.

- Eco-Friendly Committee: This committee hasn't done much since the cleanup because of the winter months.
- Event Planning/Communications Committee:
 - Maybe put together something to help DEI right now?
 - Youth Forum on April 25th!
 - Democratic Dinner on April 17th, 18:00 at Cascades
 - April 3rd, Youth Forum meeting
 - Michigan Summit for Violence, April 23rd
- DEI Committee:
 - We could redo the advocacy training that we did last year. We could invite the current NAACP president and Antoine Breedlove to speak.
 - We should do more for our community on this!
 - We should conduct training on this topic over the summer.
- Mental Health Committee: None.

OLD BUSINESS

- None

NEW BUSINESS

- Introduction of our new members:
 - Aiyana Walker
 - Georgia Tocco
 - Sarah Massey
- Monthly Reports of City Council Meetings
 - Tyshon is going to attend monthly meetings of the City Council at the Citizens Comments during the city council meetings.
- Meeting with Ward members
 - We need to communicate with them more.
- Implementing the ordinance that passed.
- State of the City Address

- Tyshon did a great job!
- Mahoney wanted to bring back “What’s the Scoop”, and we should bring it up in the Youth Forum.

NEXT MEETING

The next Youth Council meeting will be held on Thursday, 27th, 2025 at 17:00.

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

None.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 18:10 by Chairperson Gibson.