



City of Milwaukee

200 E. Wells Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
53202

Meeting Minutes

YOUTH COUNCIL

Wednesday, January 10, 2018

4:30 PM

Room 303, City Hall

1. **Call to Order 4:41 PM**

2. **Roll Call**

Present 12 - Hoeschen, Lofton, McDade, Gloria Gonzales, Brown, Gambrell-Toliver, Alcantara, Dunn, Smith, Castro, Headley and Jordon

Absent 2 - Truss and Johnson

Excused 2 - Cross and Randolph

3. **Discussion of Safe Social Media Practices Program**

Mr. Owczarski discussed different topics of interests for council to take as campaign efforts for this new term; the public information division will also be working in cooperation with council in the preparation of videos, press releases and press conferences to divulge the campaign.

4. **Interaction with Milwaukee Safety and Civic Commission**

Mr. Owczarski informed the council that the Milwaukee Safety and Civic Commission would like to have a conversation with youth council to share ideas and any possibilities of joining efforts to improve the safety of Milwaukee neighborhoods.

5. **Development of 2017-2018 Milwaukee Youth Council Priorities**

Priorities for 2018:

Youth Mental Health with respect to stress in school, at home and among peers.

Other topics may include youth homelessness, participation of some sort of event in collaboration with an existing community agency, human trafficking was also listed.

6. **Hamilton College Study of Youth Councils**

Mr. Owczarski received an invitation from Hamilton College in New York for council to participate in a survey to understand the effects of civic engagement on perceptions of government responsiveness.

7. **Youth Council Apparel**

Ms. McHenry brought the choices of apparel for members to choose from.

8. Meeting adjourned at 6:00 PM**Joanna Polanco****Staff Assistant**

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