



# City of Milwaukee

200 E. Wells Street  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
53202

## Meeting Minutes

### YOUTH COUNCIL

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Wednesday, October 10, 2018

4:30 PM

Room 303, City Hall

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#### 1. Call to Order at 4:34 PM

##### Roll Call.

**Present** 12 - Gonzales, Gambrell-Toliver, Alcantara, Dunn, Smith, Castro, Headley, Jordan, Young, Jones, Reed and Melendez

**Absent** 2 - Lofton and McDade

#### 3. CDBG reprogramming.

*This item will be Re-schedule for the October 24th, Youth Council meeting.*

#### 4. Milwaukee Public School.

*Members discuss the possibility of creating a list of concerns and issues they see within the MPS system; some topics were as follows:*

*Inclusion of all schools with the usage of metal detectors*

*Detention policy*

*Teachers Evaluation by Students*

*Lack of staff diversity*

*Restorative Justice and Safe circles for students*

*Increase the number of Social Workers available for students*

*Resources for post High School Education*

#### 5. Hour Against Hate program.

*Mr. Owczarski wanted to remind members to include their participation with Ms. Bernstein, coordinator at the Hours Against Hate; the program is designed to stop bigotry and promote respect across lines of culture, religion, race, tradition, class, sexual orientation and gender. It is a call to action. Participants are encouraged to do service projects alongside a fellow community member that, "doesn't look like you, pray like you, love like you or live like you." Hours Against Hate is the connector – whether helping participants find each other or helping school groups and other organizations plan service events.*

#### 6. Youth Council Apparel.

*Youth Council apparel for new members and other possible options, such as T-shirts, polos, hoodies, etc.*

7. Upcoming events.

8. Meeting adjourned at 5:22 PM

**Joanna Polanco**

**Staff Assistant**

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