

YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE WORKPLAN

Fiscal Year 2025-26

Title & Description	Key Milestones	Date (per milestone)	Current Status Notes
<i>On-going Work Items</i>			
A. Advise City Staff on youth and teen issues within the city.		Ongoing	
B. Assist, advocate, and volunteer for events that support teens and the community. Support city-wide and The View Teen Center events and programs by marketing and volunteering to assist with set-up, leading kids' activities, and clean-up.	Programs at The View Teen Center Volunteer Opportunities Teen Wellness Retreat Monster Bash Holiday Bazaar Cops and Gobblers Breakfast with Santa Tree Lighting Senior Center Pancake Breakfast Earth and Arbor Day Celebration Multicultural Festival Together in Pride Summer Movie Night Series	Ongoing Ongoing September 2025 October 2025 November 2025 November 2025 December 2025 December 2025 February 2026 April 2026 May 2026 June 2026 July-August 2026	

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c. FY 2024-25 Work Items			
<p>Community Engagement & Outreach</p> <p>Strengthen community relationships and increase YAC and The View Teen Center visibility.</p>	<p>Welcoming Initiatives: Create and send personalized emails to encourage visits to The View Teen Center and YAC events.</p> <p>School Outreach: Collaborate with schools through emails, announcements, and bulletin boards to promote YAC and the Teen Center.</p> <p>Outreach to Other YACs: Attend YAC Social and YAC Attack events to collaborate with YACs from other cities.</p> <p>Social Media Campaigns: Use platforms like Instagram to promote the YAC, the Teen Center, and mental health awareness. Record and share the Teen Center's impact.</p> <p>Community Events: Set up tables at various community events, such as the Farmers Market and other City Events to promote YAC and The View Teen Center.</p>	Ongoing	

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Health & Wellness Promote overall well-being and provide accessible resources for teens.	Provide support to city staff with the planning, marketing, and execution of the Teen Wellness Retreat event. Partner with non-profits and other organizations for educational purposes and to find panelists and speakers for workshop(s). Host at least one YAC-sponsored workshop for teens.	August – September 2025 October – December 2025 January – May 2026	
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Promote inclusivity and celebrate diverse cultures within the community.	Plan and host a YAC-sponsored Cultural Diversity program in conjunction with the city’s Multicultural Festival event. Provide support to city staff with the planning, marketing, and execution of the Together in Pride event.	May 2026 April – June 2026	

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<p>Sustainability</p> <p>Educate and engage the community on environmental sustainability.</p>	<p>Host a campaign about sustainability goals.</p> <p>Plan and host a YAC-sponsored event to educate the teens and/or the community about climate change efforts.</p>	<p>October 2025 – May 2026</p> <p>March – May 2026</p>	
<p>Education & Career</p> <p>Provide teens with academic support and make future routes after high school, such as college and careers, more accessible.</p>	<p>Create and organize a hub for free educational resources at The View Teen Center and online.</p> <p>Plan and host a YAC-sponsored career-related event for teens.</p>	<p>October – December 2025</p> <p>January – March 2025</p>	
<p>Fun & Engaging Events</p> <p>Create fun and engaging events for teens and host them at the Teen Center.</p>	<p>Plan and host at least one YAC-sponsored special event at The View Teen Center.</p> <p>Plan and host a YAC-sponsored Teen Open Mic Night event. Plan and host a YAC-sponsored Teen Week.</p>	<p>October 2025 – May 2026</p> <p>January – April 2026</p>	

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Youth Advisory Committee Work Plan Timeline

August – September 2025

- Health & Wellness: Support for Teen Wellness Retreat

October – December 2025

- Health & Wellness: Partnering for Educational Purposes & Finding Speakers
- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion: Plan a YAC-Sponsored Cultural Diversity Program
- Sustainability: Host a Social Media Campaign
- Education & Career: Create and Organize an Educational Resource Hub

January – March 2026

- Health & Wellness: Host at Least One YAC-Sponsored Workshop
- Education & Career: Plan and Host a Career-Related Event
- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion: Support for Multicultural Festival and Plan and Host a YAC-Sponsored Cultural Diversity Program
- Fun & Engaging Events: Plan and Host a YAC-Sponsored Special Event

April – June 2026

- Sustainability: Host an Event on Climate Change Efforts
- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion: Support for Together in Pride Event
- Fun & Engaging Events: Plan and Host a Teen Open Mic Night