Mayor's Youth Commission of Tacoma

09/07/2022 Leadership Team Meeting

Start time: 4:38pm End time: 5:57pm

Attendees: Tara Ryan, Tara Zolfaghari, Leo Maffei, Ava Sims, Anastasia Markham Staff: Cathy Sims

I. Welcome and Introductions: What are you wearing for the first day of school?

**II. Discussion Topics** 

a. Vote for Retreat Spending/Lunches: The Commission voted to approve \$500 in spending

b. Retreat Agenda/Overview: The Commission agreed to the agenda as presented by Chair Tara Ryan

c. Appointments for open positions/Interviews: Commission agreed to invite students that ran for MYCT positions to the retreat. The goal is to fill the Commission open seats and have those students have the benefit of participating in the kickoff retreat. Tara will reach out to the two students that ran for committee seats to invite them.

d. 9/17/2022 General Assembly Decision (hybrid/Zoom/In-person) discussion on length and timing, possible longer meeting each month or quarterly. The committee also agreed that General Assembly Meeting will be discussed at the Retreat for the possibility of having the GA meeting from 10am to 2pm and that it is important that the GA will be hybrid on Zoom. Further discussion will be added to the Calendar conversation at the Retreat.

e. Student TedEx Program Discussion: This item was discussed in regard to the opportunity that this training could be and the possible trap of elitism it poses. This will be further discussed at the Retreat in the Goals Section or the following Leadership Team Meeting.

## III. Committee Reports: None

- a. Social Health
- b. Environmental Health
- c. Education, Arts, and Culture
- d. Justice and Safety

IV. Topics for Upcoming Meetings: The Youth Government Day at the City of Tacoma planning to be added to the Calendaring and Goals section of the MYCT Retreat

V. Other Items of Interest: None

VI. Adjournment at 5:57pm