City of Hyattsville Youth Advisory Council Thursday, February 8, 2024: 6 PM IN PERSON City of Hyattsville Municipal Building Multipurpose Room

NOTES

Public Attendees: All committee meetings are open to the public to observe. For virtual meetings, there is a Q&A function that allows attendees to post questions or comments. It is not required that the committee respond to items posted in the Q&A, nor is it required that committees provide a public comment period during their meeting whether virtual or in-person. Should committees wish to allow time to hear public comment, a time will be designated on the agenda.

- 1) Call to Order
 - Meeting called to order at 6:04 pm with a quorum of 6 members: Emily A., Christopher C., Andres E., Angel G., Christopher J.
- 2) Review of previous meetings minutes
 - Minutes from January 11 meeting approved.
- 3) Updates
 - PGCPS Board meeting coming up on February 22.
- 4) Discussion about preparing for PGCPS Board meeting on February 22nd with Pamela Boozer-Strother.
 - YAC youth discussed what to include in their letter/testimony to the PGCPS board regarding the
 integration of Narcan training into the PGCPS health curriculum. The letter/testimony will be
 based around the fact that the amount of youth (6-12 grade) opioid overdoses (occurrences and
 fatalities) are increasing and that an effective way to combat this is to incorporate Narcan
 training into the County's health curriculum with the purpose of giving youth the knowledge
 and training to potentially save a life.
- 5) Additional "in-the moment" topics
 - YAC youth discussed the return of informative PSA's for Northwestern HS to inform students of the dangers of drugs.
- 6) Public Comment
- 7) Meeting Adjourned

Next Scheduled Meeting: Thursday, March 14, 2024, from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm @ City of Hyattsville Municipal Building (4310 Gallatin St., Hyattsville, MD 20781) Multipurpose Room