



**City of Rochester Hills
AGENDA SUMMARY
NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS**

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TO: Mayor and City Council Members
FROM: Susan Galeczka, Deputy Clerk
DATE: January 19, 2007
SUBJECT: RHGYC Bylaws - Amendments

As a result of City Council changing the Guidelines of the Rochester Hills Government Youth Council (RHGYC) to allow Youth Representatives to participate in City Council Meeting and Work Sessions in lieu of the Communication Committees, there are changes to the RHGYC Bylaws that need to be made. In addition, staff has reviewed the Bylaws and is proposing some housekeeping changes also. The changes are as follows:

ARTICLE II: MEMBERSHIP AND TERMS

Section 1.

- a. **Add** to this subsection the reference that City Council has the discretion, based on the Interview Committee's recommendation to change the number of Youth Representatives for any given year.
- b. **Change** this subsection to be in concert with the *City Council Rules of Procedures* regarding the appointment of the Council Liaison to the Youth Council

ARTICLE III: OBJECTIVES

Section 2.

Delete the entire Section 2 describing the Youth Representatives to the City Council Communication Committees and **replace** with the parameters for the Youth Representatives attendance at City Council Meetings and Work Sessions.

Section 3. Annual Projects

- b. **Change** reference procedure regarding alternate projects from approval by the Administration and Information Services Committee to approval by the City Council Liaison to RHGYC, City Clerk and Adult Advisor

ARTICLE IV: APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCESS

Section 1. Application

- b. **Change** submission of application from Council Liaison to Adult Advisor

Section 2. Interview

- a. **Change** composition of Interview Team to allow for flexibility
- b. **Add** “school grade level” as one of the criteria for appointment pursuant to the Guidelines of the RHGYC

ARTICLE V: OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 3. Chairperson

- e. **Change** month for bi-annual report to January to coincide with term of Chairperson

Section 4. Vice Chairperson

- d. **Change** month for bi-annual report to January to coincide with term of Vice-Chairperson

ARTICLE VII: ORDER OF BUSINESS

Section 1.

Add “Public Comment” and “Council Meeting Assignments” to Order of Business

ARTICLE VIII: QUORUM AND VOTING

Section 1.

Change the number of Youth Representatives required to constitute a quorum to be based on the number of Representatives

ARTICLE IX: ADOPTION AND AMENDMENTS

Section 1.

- b. **Change** the number of Youth Representatives required to recommend changes to the Bylaws and Rules of Procedure to be based on the number of Representatives

A resolution reflecting these changes has been included for your consideration. As always, if you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

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