

Agenda

Youth Council Meeting
Monday 4 March 2024 at 6:00 pm

You are advised that a Youth Council Meeting will be held on Monday 4 March 2024 at 6:00 pm for the transaction of the following business.

This meeting will be held in the Council Chamber at Civic Centre, 25 Ferres Boulevard, South Morang.

Youth Councillors

Angelica Banquil

Esha Serai

Dean Connelly-Carpenter

Tanya Sharma

Bavleen Kaur

Sandy Tran

Mustafa Khraim

Emily Tricarico

Zachary Melvaine

Kaynat Virk

Angela Rolevska

Sophie Winter

Masina Salesa

Officers

Jacinta Stevens

Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO

Bobbie-Lea Bright

Unit Manager Governance

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1 Opening

1.1 Meeting Opening and Introductions

The Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO will open the meeting and welcome everyone in attendance.

1.2 Apologies

1.3 Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners Statement

The Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO will read the following statement:

“On behalf of Council, I recognise the rich Aboriginal heritage of this country and acknowledge the Wurundjeri Willum Clan and Taungurung People as the Traditional Owners of lands within the City of Whittlesea.

I would also like to personally acknowledge Elders past, present and emerging.”

2 Declarations of Conflict of Interest

3 Officers' Reports

3.1 Youth Mayoral Election 2024-2025

Director/Executive Manager: Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO

Report Author: Councillor Support Officer

In Attendance: Unit Manager Governance

Executive Summary

The election of the Youth Mayor will be conducted in accordance with the City of Whittlesea Youth Council Terms of Reference (TOR).

Section 7 of the TOR prescribes that the Youth Council will receive nominations for and vote on a Youth Mayor at the second meeting of the term.

Elections will be, by the show of hands with nominations submitted via an Expression of Interest form prior to the meeting.

The term of the Youth Mayor is for one year.

Officers' Recommendation

THAT the Youth Council conducts the 2024-2025 election via show of hands for the position of Youth Mayor for a term of one year.

3.2 Deputy Youth Mayor Election 2024-2025

Director/Executive Manager: Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO

Report Author: Councillor Support Officer

In Attendance: Unit Manager Governance

Executive Summary

The election of the Deputy Youth Mayor will be conducted in accordance with the City of Whittlesea Youth Council Terms of Reference (TOR).

Section 7 of the TOR prescribes that the Youth Council will receive nominations for and vote on a Deputy Youth Mayor at the second meeting of the term.

Elections will be, by the show of hands with nominations submitted via an Expression of Interest form prior to the meeting.

The term of the Deputy Youth Mayor is for one year and is identical to the term of the Youth Mayor.

Officers' Recommendation

THAT the Youth Council conducts the 2024-2025 election via show of hands for the position of Deputy Youth Mayor for a term of one year.

3.3 Youth Mayor, Deputy Youth Mayor and Youth Councillor Addresses

Director/Executive Manager: Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO

Report Author: Councillor Support Officer

In Attendance: Unit Manager Governance

Executive Summary

The Executive Manager Office of Council & CEO will invite the newly elected Youth Mayor and Deputy Youth Mayor to present a two-minute address.

Youth Councillors will then be invited to make a two-minute response to the Youth Mayor and Deputy Youth Mayor's address.

4 Closure