

LARAMIE YOUTH COUNCIL WORK SESSION AND REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, February 1, 2024 at 4:00pm

Work Session will convene at the Laramie Soup Kitchen, 101
South 4th Street Suite 101 and
Regular Meeting convened after the Work Session at City
Annex, Conference Room, 405 Grand Avenue, Laramie,
Wyoming

City Clerk is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting:

[https://cityoflaramie.zoom.us/j/86930068782?
pwd=S0E1UTBnUVZQeGNNeINQWHhmTkZadz09](https://cityoflaramie.zoom.us/j/86930068782?pwd=S0E1UTBnUVZQeGNNeINQWHhmTkZadz09)

Meeting ID: 869 3006 8782

Passcode: 130734

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1. WORK SESSION

Documents:

[RMtg 2-1-24.pdf](#)

1.A. WORK SESSION: Tour of Laramie Soup Kitchen

1.B. Adjourn the Work Session and Convene the Regular Meeting

2. Regular Meeting

2.A. Call to Order

The meeting is called to order by the Chair of the committee.

2.B. Roll Call

2.C. Approval of Agenda and Minutes

2.C.i. Consideration of Changes in Agenda and Setting the Agenda

A. MOTION BY ____, seconded by ____, that the following changes to the Agenda be approved:

B. MOTION BY ____, seconded by ____, that the Agenda be set as submitted or changed.

2.C.ii. Consideration of Approval of Minutes from January 4, 2024

Recommended Motion:

I move to approve the minutes from January 4, 2024.

Motion carried/failed by voice vote.

Documents:

[Minutes 1-4-24EH.pdf](#)

2.D. Announcements

2.E. Reports from Advisors/Officers

2.F. Reports from Council/Commissioners Liaisons

These reports will continue summary of items being reviewed or approved by governing bodies that may be of interest to the youth in our community.

2.G. Disclosures by Laramie Youth Council Members

Disclosures include information that would be helpful to the rest of the group if obtained by one member or decision to recuse oneself due to a conflict of interest.

2.H. Old Business

2.H.i. Continue Work on the Sub-Committee with Updates

During this time we will break into our sub-committees and continuing working on our projects. At the end of working time we will ask each group for a spokesperson to present a update of where the sub-committee is at with their project.

1. Subcommittee 1: Mental Health and Food Insecurity
 1. Ellen Hovahnnisyan and Embree Miller
2. Subcommittee 2: Addiction and Drug Abuse
 1. Brendan Browne, Madison Newman,

Carson Krueger, and Ellen Hovahnniysan

3. **Subcommittee 3: Promoting Youth Civic Engagement**
 1. Carson Krueger, Avery O'Flannigan, and Eliz Hovhannisyan

2.I. New Business

2.I.i. Election of Vice-Chair

The chair will accept nomination for Vice- Chair and the members will vote to elect their new vice- chair.

2.J. Next Meeting-March 7, 2024, 4:00 pm, Annex Conference Room

2.K. Adjourn

**NOTICE OF WORK SESSION AND REGULAR MEETING
LARAMIE YOUTH COUNCIL**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Work Session and Regular Meeting of the City of Laramie, Wyoming **Laramie Youth Council** will be held **Thursday, February 1, 2024, 4:00 pm, starting for a tour at Laramie Soup Kitchen located at 104 South 4th Street Suite 101 and holding the regular meeting in the City Annex Conference Room at 405 Grand Ave** and via Zoom meeting. Agenda materials can be found at www.cityoflaramie.org/agendacenter.

Work Session location 104 South 4th Street Suite 101 for the following purpose:

1. Tour of Laramie Soup Kitchen

Regular Meeting will follow at 405 Grand Ave. The agenda materials are available at www.cityoflaramie.org/agendacenter.

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City of Laramie, WY Laramie Youth Council

Attest:/s/Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk

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LARAMIE YOUTH COUNCIL

Minutes- Regular Meeting January 4, 2024, 4:00 pm

1. **WORK SESSION**

1.A. **WORK SESSION: Tour of Laramie Soup Kitchen**

The members of the Youth Council visited Laramie Interfaith, in which they were given an educational presentation on the firsthand effort to address food insecurity.

2. **REGULAR MEETING**

2.A. **Call to Order**

Regular Meeting of the Laramie Youth Council was called to order by Chair Krueger at 4:45 p.m.

2.B. **Roll Call**

Roll call showed present: Brenden Browne, Ellen Hovhannisyan, Eliz Hovhannisyan, Embree Miller, Madison Newman, Avery O'Flannigan, and Carson Krueger. Absent: None.

Council Members present: Micah Richardson, and Joe Shumway.

Staff present: Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk.

2.C. **Approval of Agenda and Minutes**

2.C.i. **Consideration of Changes in Agenda and Setting the Agenda**

MOTION BY Avery O'Flannigan, seconded by Embree Miller, that the Agenda be set as submitted or changed.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

2.C.ii. **Consideration of Approval of Minutes from December 7, 2023.**

MOTION BY Madison Newman, seconded by Embree Miller, to approve the minutes from December 7, 2023.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

2.D. **Announcements**

- Trinity Sandoval has resigned from the Laramie Youth Council

2.E. **Reports from Advisors/Officers**

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2.E.i. Treasurer Report

- \$2,209.87 in funds

2.F. Reports from Council/Commissioners Liaisons

- The council may attend the legislative meetings starting on February 12
- WAM is from February 21-23

2.G. Disclosures by Laramie Youth Council Members

None.

2.H. Old Business

2.H.i. Social Media Team Update

- The members are to send their bios to Embree, Madison, or Eliz for the facebook group
- This should include why the members joined and some background

2.H.ii. Continue Work on the Sub-Committee with Updates

During this time we will break into our sub-committees and continuing working on our projects. At the end of working time we will ask each group for a spokesperson to present a update of where the sub-committee is at with their project.

The Social media team met up and the remaining members discusses the Interfaith tour and how to expand on the council's goal of food insecurity

- o Subcommittee 1: Mental Health and Food Insecurity
 - o Ellen Hovahnnisyan and Embree Miller
- The council will start the February meeting at the Laramie Soup Kitchen
- We many bring up the idea of a penny drive to LHS
- o Subcommittee 2: Addiction and Drug Abuse
 - o Brendan Browne, Madison Newman, Carson Krueger, and Ellen Hovahnnisyan
- o Subcommittee 3: Promoting Youth Civic Engagement
 - o Carson Krueger, Avery O'Flannigan, and Eliz Hovhannisyan

2.I. New Business

2.J. Next Meeting- February 1, 2024, 4:00 pm, Annex Conference Room after a Tour of Laramie Soup Kitchen

2.K. Adjourn

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MOTION BY Madison Newman, seconded by Avery O'Flannigan, to adjourn the meeting.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

Meeting adjourned at 5:26 p.m.

APPROVED:

Ellen Hovhannisyan, Laramie Youth Council Secretary Date

Nancy Bartholomew, City of Laramie Advisor Date