

**A RESOLUTION OF THE LEBANON CITY
COUNCIL CREATING THE LEBANON
STANDING YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-33

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that there is a need to create a Standing Youth Advisory Committee for the City of Lebanon, Oregon, to be referred to as the Mayor's Youth Council; and

WHEREAS, this Youth Advisory Committee will be created to operate as a liaison between the youth of the community and the City Council on issues affecting youth by involving them in social, cultural and recreational activities of the City of Lebanon. Additionally, the Youth Advisory Council shall engage Lebanon's youth through investment in their community and by providing an active voice in decisions affecting the youth of Lebanon; and

WHEREAS, the Youth Advisory Council's purpose shall be to:

1. Educate Lebanon's youth on City related matters;
2. Inspire and motivate youth to be active and vested in their community;
3. Improve communications between youth, older citizens and the City of Lebanon;
4. Advocate for the needs of youth in Lebanon; and
5. Identify and carry out events that are important to youth and the Lebanon community.

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes that the Youth Advisory Committee provides unique challenges with respect to membership, meetings and turnover and it is in the best interest of the Youth Advisory Committee to have rules and guidelines that deviate from those provisions set forth in the Lebanon City Council Advisory Groups Member & Staff Manual as set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE LEBANON CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Lebanon City Council hereby creates the City of Lebanon Youth Advisory Committee to be known and referred to as the Mayor's Youth Council;

Section 2. The Mayor's Youth Council shall operate pursuant to the Lebanon City Council Advisory Groups Member and Staff Manual except:

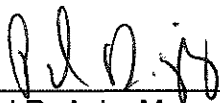
- a) Appointments of voting members to the Mayor's Youth Council shall be September 1 through August 31, which shall equal one term.
- b) Any youth who resides within the boundaries of the Lebanon Community School District and who is in grade 10 through 12 (including students enrolled within the School Districts "Beyond LHS" program) shall be eligible to serve as a voting member on the Committee. In addition, any youth as defined above may join as a non-voting member of the Committee upon request and application.

- c) The original voting membership of the Mayor's Youth Council shall be appointed by the Mayor. Thereafter, membership for any subsequent term shall be voted on by the voting members of the current term. The Mayor and members of the Council shall strive to represent the cultural and geographic diversity that is found within the Lebanon School District;
- d) For each term, the Mayor shall appoint two non-voting adult advisory members (over the age of 21) to the Council;
- e) The Mayor shall be a non-voting member of the Council;
- f) In addition to the election of a Chair Person, Vice-Chair Person and Secretary as set forth in the Advisory Groups Manual, the Council shall elect a treasurer to assume any financial related duties of the Council who shall work under the supervision and guidance of the City of Lebanon Finance Director;
- g) To the extent not otherwise set forth herein, the Council shall comply with the City of Lebanon Advisory Groups Member & Staff Manual.

Section 3. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

Passed by the Lebanon City Council and executed by the Mayor on the 9th day of October, 2013 by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

CITY OF LEBANON, OREGON



 Paul R. Aziz, Mayor
 Bob Elliott, Council President

Attested by:



 Linda Kaser, City Clerk / Recorder