

CHAPTER 2.48YOUTH COMMISSION

2.48.010 Youth Commission Established. The Youth Commission of the City of Encinitas is hereby established under the provisions of Ordinance 2000-16.

2.48.020 Membership. (Ord. 2005-02)

- A. The Youth Commission shall consist of up to eleven (11) voting members, all residents of the City of Encinitas. In the event of a vacancy, the position will remain unfilled until the next annual recruitment unless the membership falls below a quorum of seven (7) members; at which time a recruitment will occur. (Ord. 2007-06)
1. Three (3) representatives from middle school grades 7th and 8th.
 2. Three (3) representatives from high school grades 9th and 10th.
 3. Four (4) representatives from high school grades 11th and 12th.
 4. One (1) at large representative fourteen (14) to nineteen (19) years of age.
- B. Term of Service:
1. Youth Commission voting members shall be appointed by City Council and serve a one (1) year term. (Ord. 2007-06)

2.48.040 Project Advisors.

- A. The Commission may appoint Project Advisors to assist in the research, planning, development and presentation of specific projects as may be defined in a City Council approved work plan.

2.48.050 Public Meetings.

- A. Six (6) voting members of the Youth Commission shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of conducting business. (Ord. 2005-02).
- B. Meetings shall be held at least once each month and at a time and place as designated by the Commission and pursuant to the Ralph M. Brown Act.

- C. The Youth Commission shall elect a Chairperson and Vice Chairperson from among its voting members for one year terms.

2.48.060 Duties of Commission.

- A. Duties include:
1. Development of Annual Work Plan and presentation to City Council.
 2. Review and update from time to time, as necessary, the Youth/Teen Master Plan.
 3. Advise City Council on matters regarding youth and teen services, programs, and cooperation with other public and private agencies.
 4. As necessary, appointment of an Ad Hoc Sub-Committee among its members to help achieve elements of their approved work plan.
 5. Appointment of an elementary school age Sub-Committee to help address issues and programs for elementary age youth, as may be related to the Commission's approved Work Plan.
 6. Implementation of City Council directives.