

YOUTH CITY COUNCIL

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GOALS:

1. Provide an opportunity for the youth of Uintah City to acquire a greater knowledge of and appreciation for the American political system through active participation in that system.
2. To help the Mayor and City Council to solve the problems and accomplish the goals of this community by working directly with the representatives of the youth.
3. To serve the youth of Uintah City by:
 - a. Informing the Uintah municipal government of the needs and wishes of the youth.
 - b. Planning and implementing social, educational, cultural, and recreational activities for youth.
 - c. Working with the City to provide service and leadership opportunities for the youth of the City.
 - d. To instill a feeling of positive self-worth and esteem.
 - e. To teach respect for the rights and property of others.
 - f. To promote community pride and to eliminate potential negative influences among our future community leaders.

UPDATES:

JANUARY 2012: We are planning to start a youth city council. It would be available for youth 14 and up. We'd like to involve our youth in special projects like Easter, U-Day, Trunk-or-Treat, and city service projects. We plan to have the Youth Council raise their own money to participate in youth city council training, and purchase shirts for special events.

FEBRUARY 2012: The Uintah City Council is excited to announce the creation of its first Youth City Council (YCC). The YCC is a group of 10th-12th grade high school students from Uintah that will participate in political, social, and service activities associated with local government. The goal is to serve the community as well as learn about government and have fun doing it. For those who are interested in running for office, applications may be obtained from the Uintah City Office February 8th until February 29th. Interviews and elections will take place on March 1st. Applications are also available if you'd just like to participate in activities. All adults interested in supervising the YCC until the end of the school year are encouraged to apply at the Uintah City Offices. The YCC adult supervisors will attend two meetings a month with the youth, as well as all scheduled activities.
Please check the cities website for more information www.uintahcity.com