

To: Honorable Mayor and the Members of City Council

From: Gregory E. Rose, City Manager

Re: Youth Council Recruitment 2017-2018

Through recommitment and recruitment, eleven Youth Council Members will be returning and one new application has been received for Youth Council for 2017-2018. The following tables represent the diversity of the applicants. Many schools and a wide range in age will be represented.

**Youth Council Recommitments 2017-2018**

<b>Name</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Gender</b>
Alexis Christopherson	Maricopa High School	9	Female
Taylor Cochran	Hope	12	Female
Aidan Corrales	Desert Vista High School	11	Male
Nikole Finger	Sequoia Pathway Academy	12	Female
Morgan Godfrey	Arizona Connections Academy	9	Male
Dylan Hill	Maricopa High School	12	Female
Breeja Breeze Krella	Maricopa High School	9	Female
Abbie McMillian	Maricopa High School	11	Female
Priscila Mojarro Urena	Maricopa High School	10	Female
Nancy Saldana	Maricopa High School	11	Female
Kadin Pulliam	Desert Vista High School	9	Male

### **New Youth Council Applicants 2017-2018**

<b>Applicant's Name</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Gender</b>
Isaiah Evans	Desert Vista High School	9	Male

This year we look forward to working with Mayor Price and City Councilmembers. Together, we can enhance communication between the partnership and accountability for the Youth Council Members.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Lozano

Recreation Coordinator, Youth Programs



### Recommitment for 2017-2018

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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Alexis Christopherson Age: 13  
School: Maricopa High School Grade: 9  
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#### (Optional)

Race or ethnic group:  American Indian  African American  Asian   
White  Middle Eastern  Hispanic  Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender:  Female  Male Birth Date 06/13/2003





### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

Being able to team build and do more community service I would have otherwise not done. (Also gave me something to do on a tuesday night.)

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

My role made an impact because I voted for things to help the community with. I also volunteered with things to.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

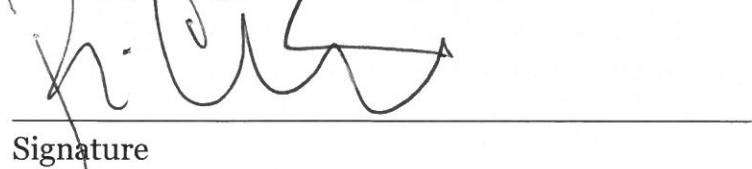
I recommit to service on the City of Maricopa Youth Council for 2016-2017 term. I understand the By Laws and will agree to abide by them at all times. I am also aware of the commitment to Youth Council and will make it a priority and devote significant time and energy to aide in its success.

  
Signature

5/26/17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

I hereby provide my consent for my youth to continue to serve as a member of the City of Maricopa Youth Council for the 2016-2017 term. I understand the commitment and will support my youth's full participation.

  
Signature

5/26/17  
Date



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**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name: Taylor Cochran Age: 17  
School: Hope Grade: 12<sup>th</sup>  
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Cell Phone: 480-235-2195  
E-mail: taylor.cochran017@gmail.com  
Parent/Guardian: Heather Cochran  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: hcochran101@gmail.com

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Gender:  Female  Male Birth Date 12/15/1999



### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

I have found that just sitting and participating as well as volunteering with the council has aided in my development.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

My role on the Youth Council has positively impacted the city because with it I have been able to do more for my community. With it I am able to speak for the youth and give others a say that normally wouldn't have the chance in other cities.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Taylor Cochran  
Signature

5-24-17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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Wally Can  
Signature

5-24-17  
Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Aidan Corrales Age: 16  
School: Desert Vista H.S. Grade: 10<sup>TH</sup>  
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Home phone: (520) 840-1464  
Cell Phone: SAA  
E-mail: Corrales4@yahoo.com  
Parent/Guardian: RAMON & NORA CORRALES  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: SAA

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White \_\_\_ Middle Eastern \_\_\_ Hispanic Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender: \_\_\_ Female  Male Birth Date 10/2000



## Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

One aspect I found beneficial to my development is public speaking. I feel more confident to speak in larger groups now after these two years in the Maricopa Youth Council.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impacted the City of Maricopa.

My role as Vice Chair has impacted the City of Maricopa by bringing attention to problems teenagers face. We bring attention to those problems through our Town Hall. I helped ~~bring~~ by organizing and planning Youth Town Hall with my fellow Youth Council members.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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*Aiden* *Combs*  
Signature

6-12-17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

I hereby provide my consent for my youth to continue to serve as a member of the City of Maricopa Youth Council for the 2016-2017 term. I understand the commitment and will support my youth's full participation.

*Neva Cevallos*  
Signature

6-12-17  
Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Nikole Finger Age: 16  
School: Sequoia Pathway Academy Grade: 12th  
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Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
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E-mail: roydrules@gmail.com  
Parent/Guardian: David and Tami Finger  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: davidfinger69@msn.com

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White  Middle Eastern \_\_\_ Hispanic \_\_\_ Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender:  Female \_\_\_ Male Birth Date 6/22/2000





## Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

Being on the Youth Council has provided me with many opportunities that have helped me to grow. However, the chance to enhance my leadership skills has proved to be very beneficial. As an experienced Youth Council member, I feel that I have been able to use my knowledge to help the council. This has given me the courage to take on larger roles in projects, such as Youth Town Hall. I have also seen how this skill has affected me in school. I'm more likely to voice my opinions and take the lead in group projects.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

I have been a very active member during the two terms that I have been on the Youth Council. While I have participated in many of the events that we have done, I am most proud of the Youth Town Hall. It not only allows the council to address certain problems and to educate others about them, it gives the general youth of Maricopa a chance to voice their concerns and find plausible solutions. I am very excited to hopefully be involved with the next Youth Town Hall, as well as see what other events we can hold to improve the city. Being as this will be my last year on the council, I am very determined to ensure that the Youth Council starts the new term strong and will keep that momentum going throughout the year.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Nikole Fingers  
Signature

6/16/17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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Jami Miller  
Signature

6/16/17  
Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Morgan Godfrey Age: 14  
School: Arizona Connections Academy Grade: 9<sup>th</sup> - Freshman  
Home Address: 17119 N Oliveto Avenue Zip: 85138  
Home phone: 520-840-5005  
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Parent/Guardian: Shirley Godfrey (Custody)  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: krystaldragon2@hotmail.com

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#### (Optional)

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White X Middle Eastern \_\_\_ Hispanic Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender: \_\_\_ Female X Male Birth Date 02/05/03



### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

The aspects of Youth Council that I have found beneficial to my development ~~includes~~ <sup>are</sup> being able to voice my opinion, <sup>and</sup> becoming open-minded to new ideas.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impacted the City of Maricopa.

My role in Youth Council has impacted the City of Maricopa in a couple of ways. In this Youth Council, I have been able to voice my opinion. Due to this privilege, the City of Maricopa can all of take these opinions and look on them further, which could change this city.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Morgan Godfrey  
Signature

7/5/17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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Tery Crandall  
Signature

7/5/17  
Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Dylan Hill Age: 17  
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Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Parent/Guardian: Allison Hill  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: allih72@hotmail.com

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Gender: \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ Male Birth Date 03/23/2000



## Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

Aspects that have been beneficial to me include increased awareness of how our local government & other issues the community faces. This is because I have attended more city hall meetings & have begun to see how the pieces come together for a government to be successful. Also, having the opportunities to participate in local events has helped me gain experience that I can apply to later on endeavors.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

My role in youth council has impacted the city by participating in various city events. While also representing the youth at certain functions. In addition, I've had the opportunity to raise awareness to issues through programs like youth town hall.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Signature

6/13/17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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Signature

6/13/17  
Date



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**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

**Name:**

Breeze Krella

**Age:** 14

**School:**

Maricopa High School  
Grade: 9th grade

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Maricopa Az

Zip: 85138

**Home phone:**

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321 604 2961

**E-mail:**

azkrella@hotmail.com (parent)  
kreeze18367@gmail.com

**Parent/Guardian:**

Donna Krella  
Steve Krella

**Parent/Guardian E-mail:**

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Gender:  Female \_\_\_ Male Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_



**Recommitment Questionnaire**

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

- Leadership
- Responsibility
- Communication
- Planning ahead of time

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

I can share my ideas with Youth Council and help Maricopa be the best it can be.



**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Brynn Kroll

Signature

8/3/17

Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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Signature

8/3/17

Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Abbie McMillian Age: 16  
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Parent/Guardian: Rick Christopherson  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: rick.christopherson4@gmail.com

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 White \_\_\_ Middle Eastern \_\_\_ Hispanic \_\_\_ Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender:  Female \_\_\_ Male Birth Date 07/15/2000



### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

Youth council has allowed me to make very good friends, and have many new experiences. Through Youth Council I have been able to volunteer for city events, and get to know some of Maricopa's council members. Due to this, I have seen how important community involvement is, and I have learned much about Maricopa itself.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

My role in youth council has an effect on the city of Maricopa because I have been able to introduce new ideas to the youth council, some of which have been used. I also participated in the youth town hall as a facilitator, which allowed me to involve some of our cities youth in the topic of Prescription drug abuse. I am also always willing to do what I can to help the city of Maricopa.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Signature

A handwritten date '5/15/17' written over a horizontal line.

Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'K. O.', written over a horizontal line.

Signature

A handwritten date '5/15/17' written over a horizontal line.

Date



### Recommitment for 2017-2018

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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Priscila Mojarro Urena Age: 15  
School: Maricopa High School Grade: 10<sup>th</sup>  
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E-mail: priscilamojarro42@gmail.com  
Parent/Guardian: Rosalina1383@gmail.com ↗  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: Rosalina Urena ↙

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White \_\_\_ Middle Eastern  Hispanic Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender:  Female \_\_\_ Male Birth Date May 6, 2002



### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

Being in Youth Council has helped me become a better leader to the city. I'm more involved in city events and made a lot of friendships. I really enjoyed my first year in Youth Council! It brings me joy to see my community united safe and happy.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

An example is a motivation to the community to participate in city events such as volunteering, helping out, etc. I've met a lot of great people who have taught me many things.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Puiscila Najarro Urenol  
Signature

08/25/17  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

I hereby provide my consent for my youth to continue to serve as a member of the City of Maricopa Youth Council for the 2016-2017 term. I understand the commitment and will support my youth's full participation.

[Signature]  
Signature

09-15-17  
Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Nancy Saldana Age: 16  
School: Maricopa High School Grade: Junior  
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Parent/Guardian: Marisa Hafen  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: marisahafen76@msn.com

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#### (Optional)

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White  Middle Eastern  Hispanic Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender:  Female  Male Birth Date 10-08-2000



### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

The youth town hall helped teenagers learn and get closer as a community, and that helps the development. I have learned to become creative and speak up for others, I've become a better public speaker and less shy.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impact the City of Maricopa.

My thoughts and ideas during the meetings help plans be carried out. I was always at events and places when I could to represent the youth. It has impacted the city because I was always willing to do what I was asked to do.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Nancy Saldano

Signature

6-13-17

Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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Marisa Hafen

Signature

6-13-17

Date



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#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: Kadin Pulliam Age: 14  
School: Desert Vista High School Grade: 9  
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Cell Phone: (520) 332-0765  
E-mail: kxpull@gmail.com  
Parent/Guardian: Jamila Pulliam  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: jmiabel@gmail.com

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#### (Optional)

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 White  Middle Eastern  Hispanic  Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender:  Female  Male Birth Date October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2002



### Recommitment Questionnaire

1. What aspects of Youth Council have you found beneficial to your development?

Some aspects of Youth Council that I've found beneficial to my development are the experience of being a community representative and leader, and the ability to meet more people my age in Maricopa.

2. Explain how your role in Youth Council has impacted the City of Maricopa.

The way in which My role in the Youth Council has impacted the City of Maricopa is most physically in the possibility of a BMX expansion to the skate park. Another impact I think I've made is the inclusion of other kids who went in local schools, but rather schools in Phoenix.





**City of Maricopa Youth Council Member**

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Kashin Pulliam  
Signature

13, June, 2017  
Date

**Parent/Guardian**

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J. Meghan Pulliam  
Signature

6-13-17  
Date

## City of Maricopa Youth Council Application

The vision for the City of Maricopa Youth Council is to empower caring youth dedicated to personal development and leadership. If you are interested in applying for membership to the council, please complete the following application. Applicants must be a resident of the city or surrounding areas and be of age 13 through 18. Please type or print clearly in blue or black ink. You may attach additional sheets if necessary: ALL information must be completed in order to be considered for the City of Maricopa Youth Council. Youth Council members must be able to adhere to the attendance requirements for the bi-monthly meetings.

Name: Isaiah A. Evans Age: 14  
School: Desert Vista Grade: 9  
Home Address: 18180 N Jameson Dr. Zip: 85138  
Home phone: 619.253.5043  
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E-mail: Isaiahe0313@yahoo.com  
Parent/Guardian: Joshua & Monica Evans  
Parent/Guardian E-mail: liubit@yahoo.com

The City of Maricopa does not discriminate based on race, ethnicity, sex, creed, national origin or disability. It is requested to facilitate the City of Maricopa goal of assembling a diverse group and possible federal grant opportunities. Omitting this information will not affect your application.

### **(Optional)**

Race or ethnic group:

American Indian  African American  Asian

White  Middle Eastern  Hispanic

Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:  Female  Male Birth Date March 13, 2013

Were you asked to apply for this position? Suggestion was given

If yes, by whom? Jamila Pulliam

Organization: Legacy Traditional

Why do you want to serve as a member of the Maricopa Youth Council? (Please feel free to add a sheet of paper; 300 - 500 word limit)

It will give me an opportunity to serve my community and get to network with youth from our city as well as authorities who serve Maricopa.

What are the three most important issues to you concerning your neighborhood, school and / or community?

1. Opportunities for youth to be involve in the community
2. Vandalism in different communities
3. Social media and the importance of using it as a tool

In what ways can the Youth Council benefit the City of Maricopa and the community?

Youth have a fresh approach, we can provide a different perspective, because we get to mingle, talk, connect with youth we can be their voice.

Please list any other activities you will be involved in during the school year. Include employment, sports, community, school and religious groups.

Right now I am enrolled in honors classes at school, currently I teach in Children's church some Sundays, volunteer in the community, and thinking about participating in speech and debate (school club).

What personal skills and characteristics do you possess that would make you a good representative?

Overall I am not shy, I am able to share my concerns and opinions while remaining polite. I am able to connect with others and able to work in a team. People in my community consider me as reliable and self driven.

If you could bring one thing to this City or change one thing, what would it be?

Opportunity for the youth to get together and talk about issues such bullying, social media, resume building, steps for the future. I also think some parents are busy and unable to provide guidance about money management, how to care for a car, etc.

Are you willing to attend the meetings, events and activities of the Youth Council for one year and commit to making a difference in our city?      Yes       No



Please list two adult references (non relatives) with phone numbers. We require one of the references to be from school based personnel and the other from a community member that knows you.

1. Name of reference: Grady Root

Title: Pastor at Maricopa Springs Family Church

Address: 19218 N. Taft Ave. Maricopa AZ 85138

Phone number: 480.370.7355

Email: Grady@maricopasprings.com

2. Name of reference: Jonathan Clark

Title: Summer Camp Leader/Coordinator - MHS Physical Education

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: jclark@musd20.org


*I have read and understand the commitment required for the City of Maricopa Youth Council. I also realize the importance of teamwork and cooperation and I am willing to make this commitment.*

Student Signature: 

Date: August 15, 2017

**Parent/Legal Guardian Permission:**

I give my permission for Isaiah A. Evans to seek the position of representative on the City of Maricopa Youth Council.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: 

Date: August 15, 2017

Emergency contact: Joshua Evans Relationship: Dad

Emergency Telephone number: 619.253.5391

Emergency Cell number: 619.253.5391

Deadline to Apply: August 18, 2017

**Mail to:**  
**Maricopa City Hall – C/O Maricopa Youth Council**  
**39700 West Civic Center Plaza**  
**Maricopa, Arizona 85138**

## **Oath of Office for Youth Council members**

I, Isaiah A. Evans, do solemnly swear that I will support, uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America, and the laws thereof; that I will support, uphold and defend the Constitution and laws of the State of Arizona, not inconsistent therewith, that I will observe and obey the laws and ordinances of the City of Maricopa, Arizona; that I will faithfully perform and discharge the duties incumbent upon me as member of the City of Maricopa Youth Council fairly and honestly and to the best of my skill and ability so help me GOD.

City of Maricopa Youth Council Member

This is the 15 day of August in the year 2017.