



**Youth Advisory Commission**

**Work Plan  
FY2024**

**Goals should be consistent with the City’s goals:**

- Maintain a community where residents and visitors feel safe
- Ensure a strong financial outlook through careful planning, sustainable service levels, and fiscal sustainability
- Promote a high quality of life that current and future generations can afford to call home
- Invest in infrastructure to serve the needs of the community
- Nurture an organizational culture where employees are recognized for the delivery of high-quality services to the community

**Staffing Department:** Community Services Department

<b>GOALS</b>	<b>DUE DATE</b>	<b>TRACKING MILESTONES</b>	<b>STATUS</b>
1. Coordinate volunteer service opportunities	Spring & Fall 2024	Attend City operated service events, Park Appreciation Day, Earth Day, and cleanup events.	
2. Host a Teen Night	April 2024	Create an event for teens to enjoy a safe and fun environment.	
3. Learn about government agency operations	Fall 2024	Schedule a day and time to tour City Hall. Meet the Directors of each department and get a brief description of their department’s operation.	

**La Mesa Municipal Code:**

2.71.060 - Mission, duties and functions.

The Youth Advisory Commission shall have the following duties and functions:

- (a) The mission of the Youth Advisory Commission is to advise the city council on policy matters pertaining to programs, projects, and issues which address the concerns of youth in the community.
- (b) The duties and functions of the commission shall include:
  - (1) Prepare an annual work program;
  - (2) Participate in, and help sponsor workshops dealing with youth issues;
  - (3) Plan and execute an annual event to promote positive youth awareness in the community;
  - (4) Provide a forum for discussion by the commission and the community on youth issues;
  - (5) Consult with other youth groups to best coordinate the activities of the commission with these other groups;
  - (6) Explore and develop other activities/issues which will promote positive youth relations in the city of La Mesa;
  - (7) Recommend awards and recognition of individuals or groups.