Hello Mayor Wheeler and Commissioners!

Thank you for having my students today. They have self-chosen areas of improvement for Portland and are happy to present to you their research and ideas.

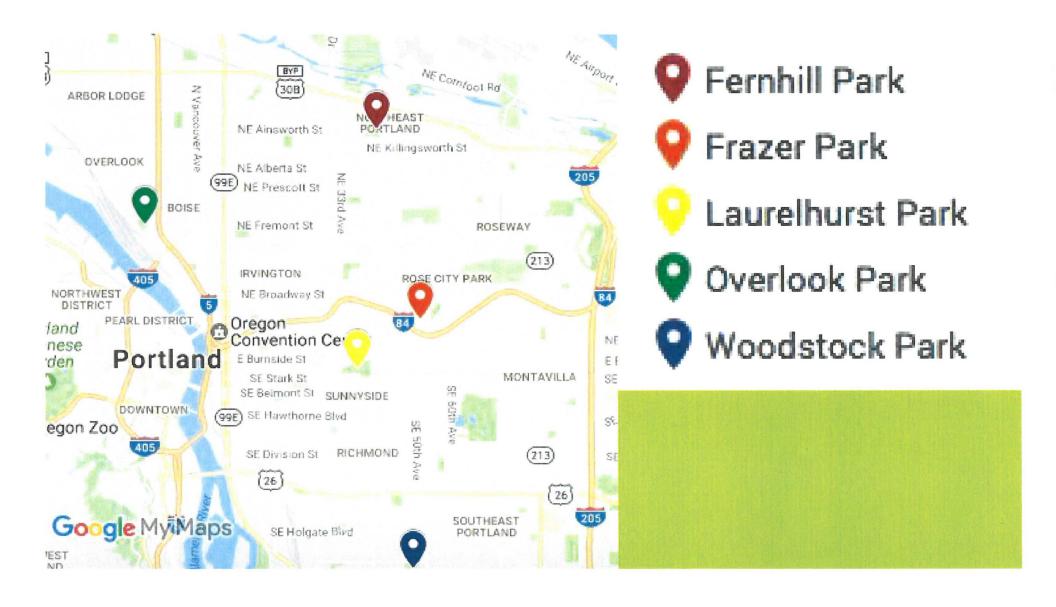
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Communications timeslot. I would ask for your indulgence for the last student to present despite this. I realize you have a full agenda (as usual); part of the goal in coming today was to introduce students to the idea of civic engagement, so I hope that you can hear them through. As well, it'd be really nice to take a photo at the end, but I will leave that up to you to suggest due to possible time constraints.

Sincerely,

Minda McCandless (teacher)
French American International School





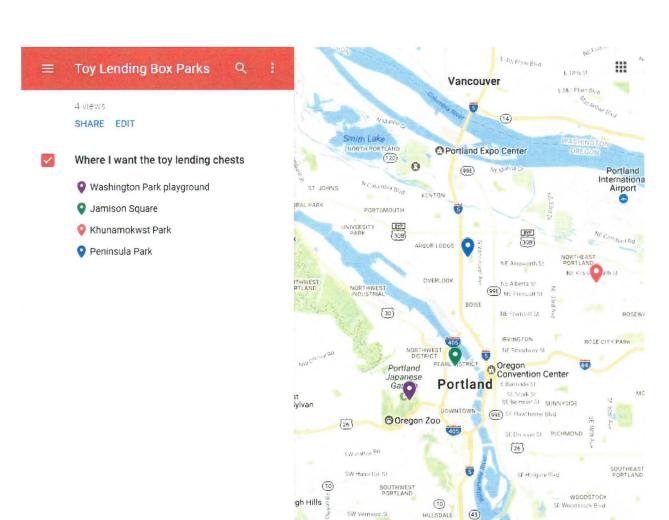
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Thank you!



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From:

Minda McCandless <mmccandless@faispdx.org>

Sent:

Friday, May 05, 2017 10:44 AM

To:

Moore-Love, Karla

Subject:

Re: May 24 Council Meeting

Hi Karla,

Also I just looked at the current agenda. If you'd like a reason for their communications, all would fall under "address Council regarding community concerns from the youth perspective."

Minda

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Hi Minda,

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Karla

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Sent: Wednesday, April 12, 2017 8:31 AM

To: Moore-Love, Karla < Karla. Moore-Love@portlandoregon.gov >

Subject: May 24 Council Meeting

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Sent:

Friday, May 05, 2017 4:50 PM

To: Cc: 'Minda McCandless' Parsons, Susan

Subject:

RE: May 24 Council Meeting

Hi Minda,

Thank you for sending the student's names and the topic they will be listed under.

- 1. Yes, still the same, three at a time can come up and sit in the chairs at the table with the microphones. If you want to put more than three in a group, please let me know the additional names and I can have more microphones (4 is probably max) set out. I believe in the past we did not always have the correct speaker's names and it still worked out. Noon on Tuesday, May 16th is the deadline for the names to be printed on the agenda.
- 2. I can fit as many names as you would like under each of the 5 spots but, I cannot add any additional Communications spots as five is our Code limit. If the group goes over the 3 minutes, it will be up to the Mayor to let them continue. He usually does not have a problem allowing students to do so. Thank you for being mindful that Council will have a full morning agenda and the first Time Certain item is scheduled at 9:45 though most are aware we tend to run behind.
- 3. Visual aids should be handed to the Clerk before the meeting for distribution. Due to new security measures the public can no longer approach the dais.

I will not be in the office the week you are coming. Sue Parsons the Assistant Council Clerk will be there to assist you.

Regards, Karla



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Sent: Friday, May 05, 2017 10:34 AM

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Subject: Re: May 24 Council Meeting

Hi Karla,

Thanks for all your help with this. I have my updated list of presenters and a few questions.

Here are the presenters:

Ashwin Pillai Parsa Nasri Meira Fiber-Munro Lily Segna Andrew Kashiwagi Smrithi Raj Adriana Mon Belle Melisa Mamakli Camille Weber Addy Reid

This is a few shorter than the original list because some students chose issues which are state issues vs city.

I hope you all are staying safe down there!

Now to the questions/clarifications:

- 1. In the past, a few kids have sat in the big chairs, presented, then the next group came up. I am assuming this is the way it will work this time?
- 2. In the past, the timer has been there but I have told kids to ignore it/not get stressed. I think we officially have 15 minutes. In our timed practice, the whole group is at 18 minutes. Is there this leeway there, unofficially? Or, is it too late to get 1-2 students on the agenda outside of these community minutes? They have worked really hard on gathering data and possible solutions and I would like to let them speak as this is their first realistic opportunity with civic engagement and feeling like they have voices which can be "heard". I also recognize the Council has other things to do. I think there has been a little bit of leeway in the past, but that was under a different mayor. Although we are actually Quinlann Wheeler's school! So maybe the mayor can be flexible with those extra three minutes? I want to abide by the rules and hope that we can go over those few minutes, but if you say no, well, I will tell them they have to cut out time.
- 3. Two presenters have some visual aids. Should we just bring those the day of and hand them out (mostly maps/diagrams)?

Thank you very much for your help in coordinating,

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Request of Ashwin Pillai and Parsa Nasri to address Council regarding community concerns from the youth perspective (Communication)

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