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NEW MEMBERS OF MAYOR'S YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL TO BE ANNOUNCED NEXT WEEK

Kenner, LA. – The application period for the 2016-17 Mayor's Youth Advisory Council has ended, and new members will be announced by the end of next week, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer Maria Leon announced Friday.

An orientation for new members will be held June 1 at 5:15 p.m. and they will be inducted at the June 2 City Council Meeting at 5:15 p.m.

The 20-member Youth Council was established three years ago to give Kenner teens an up-close look at local government and the ability to make a difference in their hometown. Since 2013, Kenner elected officials have welcomed feedback from the Youth Council on a variety of issues.

Members be between 14 and 19 years old and must live in Kenner but can be home-schooled or attend any high school in the metro area.

"We are pleased that the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council continues to attract interest from some of the top high school students in the New Orleans area," Leon said. "Our returning members are eager to meet and begin working with the new members to have an impact in the community."

Anyone with questions about the Youth Council can contact Leon at (504) 468-7240 or email MYAC@kenner.la.us.

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