

City of Houston

Council Committee on Childhood & Youth

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Notice of City Council Committee Meeting via Videoconference Wednesday, February 10, 2021 at 2:00 P.M.

Due to health and safety concerns related to the COVID-19 coronavirus, this meeting will be conducted by videoconference. The Committee will be participating by videoconference in accordance with the provisions of Section 551.127 of the Texas Government Code that have not been suspended by order of the Governor.

Microsoft Teams Live Meeting
Type this link into your browser: <https://bit.ly/febCY>
Presentation handouts will also be available at:
<http://www.houstontx.gov/council/committees/childhood-and-youth.html>.
This meeting will also be broadcast on HTV, the City of Houston's Municipal Channel.

1. Welcome and Introduction

- Council Member Karla Cisneros, Chair
- Council Member Carolyn Evans-Shabazz, Vice Chair

2. How COVID-19 Affects Children

- Dr. David Persse, Chief Medical Officer, City of Houston
This presentation relates to the following [Developmental Assets](#): Community Values Youth (7), Safety (10), and Sense of Purpose (39).

3. The Health and Wellbeing of Children in a Pandemic

- Stephen Williams, Director, Houston Health Department
This presentation relates to the following [Developmental Assets](#): Family Support (1), Community Values Youth (7), Safety (10), Youth Programs (18), and Sense of Purpose (39).

4. Academic Initiatives in the City

- Juliet Stipeche, Director, Mayor's Office of Education
This presentation relates to the following [Developmental Assets](#): Community Values Youth (7), Safety (10), Youth Programs (18), and Sense of Purpose (39).

5. Public Comments

- Public comment will be allowed via videoconference; no in person input will be allowed. To sign up for Public Comment, please fill out the form at <http://bit.ly/febCYpublicspeakers>, before 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday, February 9th. Only those who sign up in advance will be able to provide public comments during the meeting. Public speakers will receive a specific link that will allow them to speak during the public comment portion of the meeting at their designated time.

Action may be taken on any item above. Committee meetings are open to the public. For information about this committee, please contact Carisia Banda at districth@houstontx.gov

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