

# Seattle Youth Commission

Agenda

**Seattle Youth Commission**

Wednesday, April 9th, 2025

7:00 PM PST – 8:30 PM PST

# Online Meeting Link:

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| **Number** | **Topic** | **Time** |
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| 1 | **Welcoming**  | **12 min** |
| 2 | **Approval of Agenda (Apr. 09, 2025)****Approval of Minutes (Mar. 8, 2025 )** | **2 min** |
| 3 | **In-Person Public Comment**No members of the public wished to speak, the commission proceeded onto the next agenda item.  | **1 min**  |
| 4 |  **DEEL Presentation*** Amelia Moore from DEEL presents about City of Seattle’s youth mental health initiatives
* Explained 3 coordinated implementation strategies:
	+ Awareness and de-stigmatization through citywide marketing campaign
	+ Prevention and early identification through free educational resources, expansion of universal screening in SPS and psychological first aid training
	+ Intervention by increasing access to clinical treatments and non-clinical services through third party providers and the addition of more mental health providers and counselors in schools
* Discussed prior youth engagement and activism in providing these services done mainly by Seattle Student Union
* Commissioners ask questions
* Commissioners brainstorm potential avenues for collaboration with DEEL mental health program; proposed youth ambassadors, student engagement with funding implementation
* Commissioners also discuss a joint youth mental health summit with DEEL
 | **71 min** |
| 5 |  **Commission Meeting** * A motion was made to extend the meeting time by 10 minutes as the meeting was nearing the end — passed unanimously
* **Sub-Committee Updates** — commissioners share updates about subcommittee work, organizations they reached out to, and final survey questions
* A second motion was made to extend the meeting 10 more minutes
* Commission discussed the survey project
* **City Updates + Further Projects** — Co-Chairs and staff liaisons share information from prior meetings and potential future actions that can be taken by sub-committees
 | **20 min** |
| 7 | **Announcements**Members and staff share about upcoming events  | **Up to****2 min** |
| 8 | **Closing & Next Steps**  | **5 min** |
|  9 | **Adjourn** |  |