A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 10-1991 CONCERNING THE CITY OF ABILENE ADVISORY YOUTH COUNCIL OF ABILENE, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene has provided an opportunity for youth to share in local government matters and to learn to become responsible citizens through their participation on the Abilene Advisory Youth Council; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to allow youth representation from existing and future schools; and

WHEREAS, Section 1 of Resolution No. 10-1991 requires amending to provide this representation;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. CREATION, COMPOSITION, AND METHOD OF APPOINTMENT

There is hereby created the City of Abilene Youth Advisory Council to be composed of two (2) members from each middle and high school appointed by the City Council as follows:

- A. One representative and one alternate from each of the middle schools including Project Pass in the Abilene Independent School District and Wylie Independent School District, and Abilene Christian Middle School.
- B. Two representatives from each high school in the Abilene Independent School District, Wylie Independent School District, and Abilene Christian High School.

Members shall be representative of the racial and gender population of the youth community.

SECTION 2. QUALIFICATIONS

Council members will not be younger than thirteen (13) nor older than 19 years of age. Council members must be in good standing with their respective school and have an 80.0 grade point average. Recommendations for Council appointments will be received from each school, youth organizations, Teen Court Coordinator, and Abilene Independent School District At-Risk Coordinator.

SECTION 3. TERMS OF OFFICE

A representative to the Council shall serve for a term of one year. Each member may be reappointed to serve a second term not to exceed a total of two years.

SECTION 4. ORGANIZATION OF THE COUNCIL

The Council shall elect a Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, and Treasurer from among its members at the first meeting to serve a term of one (1) year. The Council shall adopt Bylaws pertaining to the performance of its duties and the time and frequency of its meetings. Such Bylaws shall be approved by the City Council. The Council shall have the following standing committees:

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- A. Bylaws
- B. Recreation/Entertainment
- C. Legislative Issues
- D. Public Relations
- E. Environmental
- F. Employment Projects
- G. Training Projects
- H. Service Projects

SECTION 5. PURPOSE AND DUTIES

- A. To serve as an advisory committee to the City Council on youth affairs.
- B. To organize and supervise programs of all types that will benefit the youth and community of Abilene
- C. To be the voice of youth in the Abilene community.

AD	OPTED	by	the	City	Council	of	the	City	of	Abilene,	Texas,	this
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ATTEST:

City Secretary

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APPROVED:

City Attorney

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