

Introduced by: Councilmember Seamens

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND**

**RESOLUTION 2019-37  
APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE 2019-2020 YOUTH COUNCIL**

WHEREAS, City Council established the Takoma Park Youth Council to provide an opportunity for the youth of Takoma Park to acquire a greater knowledge of and appreciation for local government through active participation in the system; help the City Council to address problems and accomplish the goals of this community by working directly with the representatives of youth; and, to serve the youth of Takoma Park; and

WHEREAS, the Youth Council is to consist of 11 Takoma Park youth appointed by the City Council representing a cross-section of the City's youth; and

WHEREAS, application for membership in the Youth Council is open to Takoma Park residents in grades seven to 12; and

WHEREAS, the one-year term of the Youth Council is to begin on September 1 and end on August 31; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the applications submitted for the 2019-2020 Youth Council and selected applicants for appointment; and

WHEREAS, there will be two vacancies which can be filled by the City Council during the Youth Council term.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK MARYLAND THAT the following young people are hereby appointed to the 2019-2020 Takoma Park Youth Council:

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| 1. Mihret Asfaw     | Ward 5 |
| 2. George Ashford   | Ward 2 |
| 3. Asha Henry       | Ward 6 |
| 4. Jason Kaplan     | Ward 1 |
| 5. Dawit Kelil      | Ward 4 |
| 6. Shakur Moulton   | Ward 5 |
| 7. Kamilla Sorenson | Ward 3 |

8. Amelia Tydings-Lynch                      Ward 2

9. Eliza Van Camp                              Ward 5

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the term of the 2019-2020 Youth Council will begin on September 1, 2019 and end on August 31, 2020.

Adopted on this 31st day of July, 2019.

Attest:

Jessie Carpenter, CMC  
City Clerk