



**CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE**

**Office of the Mayor**

One Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, NM 87103

Timothy M. Keller, Mayor

**INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

March 4, 2021

**TO:** Cynthia D. Borrego, President, City Council

**FROM:** Timothy M. Keller, Mayor *TK*

**SUBJECT:** Mayor's appointment of Mr. Grant W. Leigh to the Youth Advisory Council

I am submitting for your advice and consent the following name for appointment to the Youth Advisory Council in accordance with the City of Albuquerque Ordinance 2-6-7-1.

**APPOINTEE NAME**

Mr. Grant W. Leigh  
8609 La Sala Grande NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87111

**TERM**

May 1, 2024

Grant Leigh is a 15-year-old freshman in the pre- International Baccalaureate program at Sandia High School. In addition to focusing on academics, Grant runs cross country and track with the Sandia Matadors teams. He is active in the Albuquerque community through a number of local organizations. He is a long-time participant in STEM programs at Explora and currently serves on Explora's Teen Advisory Group, which provides the organization's leadership feedback on the development of X Studio, their new STEM workforce development center for teens. Grant also has been involved with the organization, Rock 101, for several years and has worked as a junior camp counselor, assisting younger students with their music lessons. Grant plays bass guitar in the local band, Sunburnt. They've enjoyed playing events like the grand opening of the new Flying Star in Nob Hill and "Roust the House" at the Outpost. Grant would bring his experience as a life-long Albuquerque resident, a student at three very different local schools (Alice King Community School, Bosque School, and Sandia High School), and an active community member to the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council. He also follows through on the commitments he makes and has good time management, so he will be an active participant of the Council.

A resident of Council District 7, Mr. Leigh will fill an At-Large vacancy on the board and his first term will expire May 1, 2024.

**The remaining members are:**

	<b>Representing Name</b>	<b>Term</b>
1.	At-Large Ms. Audrey C Brunner	05/01/2021
2.	At-Large Mr. Mahdi Hossaini	05/01/2021
3.	At-Large Ms. Memar Ivy	05/01/2022
4.	At-Large Ms. Kamryn Johnson	05/01/2023
5.	At-Large Mr. Agustin Leon-Saenz	05/01/2023
6.	At-Large Ms. Isis I Lopez	05/01/2021
7.	At-Large Ms. Mireya Macias	05/01/2023
8.	At-Large Ms. Eilean V Mcfadden	05/01/2021
9.	At-Large Mr. Nicholas Padilla	05/01/2022
10.	At-Large Ms. Tess Reynolds	05/01/2023
11.	At-Large Mr. Makai Salazar	05/01/2023
12.	At-Large Ms. Atlanta R Taylor-Campagna	05/01/2021
13.	At-Large Ms. Samantha Thackaberry	05/01/2023
14.	At-Large Vacant	
15.	At-Large Vacant	
16.	At-Large Vacant	
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18.	At-Large Vacant	
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20.	At-Large Vacant	
21.	At-Large Vacant	

Youth Advisory Council

Appointment of Mr. Grant W. Leigh



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Sarita Nair, Chief Administrative Officer

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Date