



**News from the Shelby County Mayor's Office**  
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**Applications Being Taken for the Mayor's Youth Council**

Shelby County Mayor Mark H. Luttrell, Jr. wants young people to give their insights and perspectives about government by serving on the Mayor's Youth Council.

**"This is our third year for the council. It's vital for elected officials to get ideas and suggestions from our next generation of leaders,"** said Mayor Luttrell.

Last year, the 30-member council attended presentations about Shelby County Government and held a mock 2016 Presidential debate. The students also attended *Government Day* activities and even helped a local Memphis company design a youth marketing campaign.

Membership requirements:

- For grades 9-12 beginning in August 2016 and attend public, private or a home school in Shelby County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Participate in *Government Day* activities on Friday, January 6, 2017
- Attend at least 10 of 14 council sessions from August 2016 - May 2017

Applications for the Mayor's Youth Council must be filled out online by midnight, May 22, 2016 at: <https://surveymonkey.com/r/98FRZ6H>

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