



- **What Is the Pecos Youth Advisory Commission?**

In February 2020, the Town of Pecos City Council recognized a need and a want to enrich the lives of the youth of Pecos. City Council recognized that the youth of Pecos is very vibrant and will accomplish great things throughout their lives. City Council established the Pecos Youth Advisory Commission to aide in the addressing of issues affecting today's youth not only in Pecos but in the entire nation.

Pecos Youth Advisory Commission will consist of students that are in the 9th through 12th grade that are students enrolled in PBT-ISD. Commission is recognized by the State of Texas as a commission under the Town of Pecos City Council. Students will submit an application to be considered to be appointed on one of four spots that will be determined by City Council. All applicants will go through an interview process and will be selected to serve on the commission based on the interview.

Appointed members will be sworn in during a special City Council meeting in May 2020 and will start their term as a Commission member in September 2020.

Commission members will meet the on the second and fourth Monday of each month unless otherwise changed at 6 o' clock pm at City Hall. Commission members will meet to discuss service projects the Commission wishes to carry out along with fundraising projects to help cover expenses to participate in a Youth Summit held every year. Service projects will be projects that will help in the aide of addressing youth issues or community issues. Service projects may and will include:

- **Community Cleanup**
- **Community Beautification Projects**
 - **Community Drives**
 - **Youth Outreach Projects**

If you would like more information or have questions you can contact Oscar Ornelas (Community Engagement Specialist) or Heather Ramirez (Executives Assistant to The City Manager) by dropping by City Hall at 115 W. 3rd Street or by calling

(432) 445-2421 or emailing us at engage@pecostx.gov. We are excited for you to become a part of this very special group and doing amazing things for your community.