

City of Edmonton Youth Council - Side-By-Side Comparison

Bylaw 20676 repeals Bylaw 14126 and establishes the City of Edmonton Youth Council (CEYC) as a Council Committee and sets out its membership and mandate. The following table is a comparison of Bylaw 14126 and Bylaw 20676.

Clerical changes and sections that have been maintained have not been included in this document. There are several instances in the existing Advisory Committee establishing bylaws that duplicate standard powers, duties and functions already included in Bylaw 18156 - Council Committees Bylaw (Bylaw 18156), or other governing documents, such as annual reporting requirements or the role of the Chair. These have been removed in the new establishing bylaws to streamline the governing documents.

Action	Bylaw 14126	Bylaw 20676	Rationale
Updates to Implement Governance Review Recommendations			
Replaced ▾	<b>MANDATE AND TERMS OF REFERENCE</b> 5(1)(k) inform Council of initiatives of other levels of government that could affect Youth and advocate for the City in the manner directed by Council if Council directs.	<b>FUNCTIONS &amp; AUTHORITIES</b> 5 To carry out its mandate, the City of Edmonton Youth Council may:  5(k) inform Council of initiatives of other levels of government that could affect Youth.	Clarify Advisory Committees have an advisory and not an advocacy function.
Updates to Streamline Bylaws			
Removed ▾	Preamble		No legislative impact.
Removed ▾	<b>DEFINITIONS</b> 2(c) <b>“Committee”</b> means the City of Edmonton Youth Council established by this bylaw;  2(j) <b>“member”</b> means an individual appointed to the		Not necessary for interpretation of bylaw.

	<p>Committee by Council, except for the City Manager, a Councillor, or the Mayor;</p> <p>2(e) <b>“Councillor”</b> means an elected official of the City;</p> <p>2(f) <b>“FOIP Act”</b> means the <i>Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act</i>, RSA 2000 c F-25;</p> <p>2(g) <b>“FOIP Head”</b> means the individual or group appointed by the Committee to perform the powers and duties and exercise the functions of the FOIP Act authority for the Committee;</p> <p>2(i) <b>“Mayor”</b> means the chief elected official of the City;</p> <p>2(k) <b>“Municipal Government Act”</b> means the Municipal Government Act, RSA 2000 c M-26;</p>		
Removed ▾	<p><b>ESTABLISHMENT</b></p> <p>4 The City of Edmonton Youth Council is established as a committee of Council.</p>		Included in purpose section of Bylaw 20676 - City of Edmonton Youth Council.
Replaced ▾	<p><b>MEMBERS</b></p> <p>6(1) The Committee will consist of up to 20 Youth appointed by Council from the General Assembly.</p>	<p><b>MEMBERSHIP</b></p> <p>6 The City of Edmonton Youth Council will be comprised of up to 20 members appointed by Council.</p>	Updated to reflect current practice. CEYC members are recruited through a public recruitment process and not from the General Assembly.
Removed ▾	<p>6(2) Members will serve the Committee for terms of up to one year.</p>		Term length and limits included in Bylaw 18156.
Removed ▾	<p>6(3) One Councillor will be appointed by Council to act as a liaison between the Committee and Council for each Council</p>		Included in Council Procedure C575D -

	term.		Agencies, Boards, Committees and Commissions.
Removed ▾	6(4) The Mayor will not be a member of the Committee.		Included in Bylaw 18156.
Removed ▾	<b>REMOVALS</b> 7 The Committee may ask Council to terminate the appointment of any member who misses three consecutive meetings of the Committee without Committee approval		Removal Included in Bylaw 18156. Bylaw 20669 - Council Committees Bylaw Amendment no. 9 also includes proposed amendments regarding non-attendance and removals.
Removed ▾	<b>ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING, CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIRS</b> 8(1) At the first meeting of the Committee after Council appoints its members, the Committee will:  (1)(a) appoint two interim co-chairs; and		Included in Bylaw 18156.
Removed ▾	8(1)(b) establish the annual meeting schedules for the Committee and the General Assembly of Youth.		Included in Bylaw 18155 - Council Procedures Bylaw and Council Procedure C575D - Agencies, Boards, Committees and Commissions.
Removed ▾	<b>CHAIRS</b> 8(2) At the first scheduled meeting of the General Assembly of Youth, the General Assembly will elect two co-chairs of the Committee from the Committee's members.		Included in Bylaw 18156.

Removed ▾	8(4) The co-chair may serve for up to three successive one year terms.		Removed to allow flexibility.
Removed ▾	<b>SUB-COMMITTEES</b> 11(1) The Committee may establish sub-committees to perform research, public engagement and other activities to assist the Committee to fulfill its mandate.  (2) All sub-committees will be chaired by a Committee member and will report to the Committee.		Removal of sub-committees is addressed in Bylaw 20669 - Council Committees Bylaw Amendment no. 9.
Removed ▾	<b>BUDGET</b> 14 The City Manager will perform the following powers, duties and functions for the Committee:  (a) Assign members of the City administration to provide technical, administrative, and other supports to the Committee as required;  (b) Provide facilities and meeting management support for Committee meetings;  (c) Publish Committee and General Assembly meeting Schedules;  (d) Act as the Committee's FOIP Head until such time as it passes a resolution appointing a FOIP Head in the manner required by the FOIP Act, but may, with the City Manager's consent appoint the City Manager as the Committee's FOIP Head;  (e) Manage the Committee's minutes and records;		Included in Bylaw 18156 and Council Procedure C575D - Agencies, Boards, Committees and Commissions.

	<p>(f) Present budget requirements for the Committee during the City’s budget process; and</p> <p>(g) Facilitate the preparation of Committee reports to Council.</p>		
Removed ▾	<p><b>RESOURCES</b></p> <p>15 The Committee will report to Council at least once per year to inform Council of progress on its mandate, issues of significance to the Committee, and the Committee’s work plan for the next year.</p>		Included in Bylaw 18156.
Added ▾		<p><b>TRANSITION</b></p> <p>8 On the coming into force of this bylaw, members appointed to the City of Edmonton Youth Council will continue to be members until the expiry of their current term.</p>	To implement repeal and replace of Bylaw 14126 with Bylaw 20676.
Added ▾		<p><b>REPEAL</b></p> <p>9 The Youth Council Bylaw, Bylaw 14126, is repealed.</p>	