

Helena Teen Council Application

Our mission is to be active young members of the community, build civic knowledge and leadership skills, and bridge the link between the city's youth and adults.

All applications due **September 14, 2020**. They can be mailed or dropped off at Helena City Hall, 816 Hwy 52E, Helena, AL. 35080. Be sure to mark the envelope **TEEN COUNCIL**, attention: Alice Lobell. They can also be emailed to Alice Lobell at alobell@cityofhelena.org

Student's full name _____

Phone number _____ **Email address** _____

Birthday _____ **Current age** _____

Physical address _____

School _____ **Grade** _____ **GPA** _____

By signing this application you are committing to being an outstanding leader in the community and in school. You are also committing to abide by the Helena Teen Council rules and guidelines, including performing least 20 hours of community service per year and maintaining a GPA of 3.00 or higher.

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

With your application attach:

- A recent photo of yourself
- A recommendation from a teacher, minister or community leader
- A short essay that includes the following: What does leadership mean to you? What do you believe the teens of Helena need? What do you believe you can contribute to Helena Teen Council?

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QUESTIONNAIRE

Are you willing to commit to a full year of community service? YES NO

Are you willing to stay out of trouble with the law and with the school? YES NO

Are you willing to accept others and their ideas? YES NO

Are you willing to represent Helena Teen Council in a positive manner? YES NO

What kind of community service projects are you interested in when participating with Helena Teen Council?



Parent Permission Form

If selected, I consent for my child _____ to participate in the Helena Teen Council and their activities. I understand the teen council meets on the second and fourth Mondays of each month after the Helena City Council meeting. Normal time is from 6:00pm until 7:00 pm (there may be exceptions). I understand the teens are required to abide by the Helena Teen Council guidelines, including serving at least 20 hours of community service per year, maintaining a GPA of 3.00 or higher, and maintaining good character.

Parent name _____

Parent phone number _____ Email _____

Parent signature _____ Date _____