



City of Pomona  
505 S. Garey Avenue  
Pomona, CA 91766

## YOUTH COMMISSION APPLICATION

The City of Pomona Youth Commission is an advisory body to the Pomona City Council dedicated to promoting the youth voice in local government. The Youth Commission is comprised of seven (7) high school students who are driven to make our community the best possible place for youth.

Please type or print (in blue or black ink) your responses. If additional pages are needed to answer questions, please attach additional pages to this application. Applications must be submitted by e-mail, mail, or in person by Tuesday, April 30, 2024 to City of Pomona, Office of the City Clerk, 505 S. Garey Avenue, Pomona, CA 91766.

In which Council District do you reside? \_\_\_\_\_ (See map)

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

High School (2024/25) \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: (2024/25) \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you prefer to be contacted? (Please circle):    Text        Call        E-mail

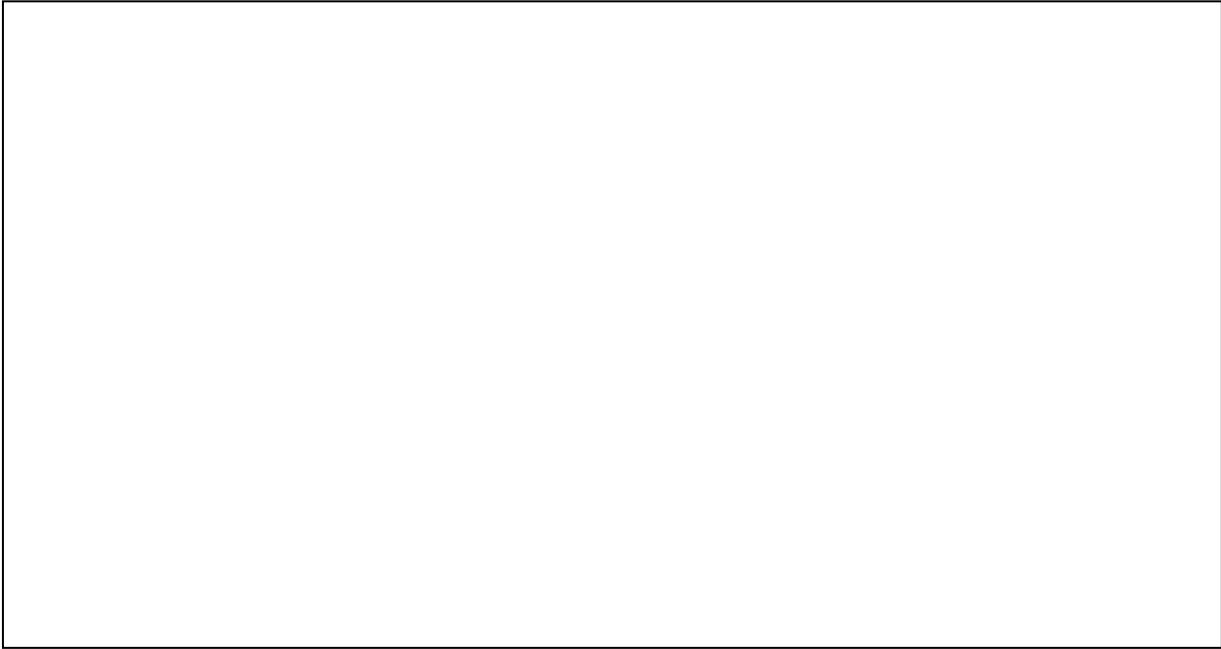
Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Why do you wish to serve on the City of Pomona Youth Commission?**

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**What do you feel is the most significant issue/challenge facing the youth of Pomona today and what do you think the Youth Commission can do to address the issue/challenge?**



**Please list and briefly describe any classes, skills, achievements, and life experiences that you feel would qualify you to be a member of the Youth Commission. Please also include school and community activities you are involved in (clubs, volunteering, athletics, music, employment, etc.)**



**If appointed, I understand I must attend monthly Youth Commission meetings and related trainings. I also understand this is an unpaid volunteer position. I declare that all statements contained in the application are true and that any misrepresentation or omission may result in rejection of my application or removal from the Youth Commission. I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand the above statements.**

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**I understand the commitment involved with the City of Pomona Youth Commission and approve of my son/daughter applying.**

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Media Release** City of Pomona requests permission to reproduce, through audio or visual means, activities related to your child's Commission activities. City of Pomona uses photographs in City-produced materials, including printed publications, website posts, and official City social media platforms. Your signature on the form will enable City of Pomona to increase public awareness and promote Youth Commission successes on the City website, social media outlets, and official City publications.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Hold Harmless Agreement** The applicant and its successors in interest shall indemnify, protect, defend (with legal counsel reasonably acceptable to the City) and hold harmless the City of Pomona and any agency or instrumentally thereof, and its elected or appointed officials, directors, officers, employees, agents, volunteer, or contractors from and against any and all liabilities, claims, actions, causes of action, proceedings, suits, damages, judgement, liens, levies, costs, and expenses of whatever nature, including reasonable attorney's fees and disbursements (collectively "Claims") arising out of or in any way relating to this event, any discretionary approvals granted by the City related to the development of the project. If the City Attorney is required to enforce any conditions of approval, all costs, including attorney's fee, shall be paid for by the applicant.

**Youth Mentoring Program** The Youth Mentoring Program assigns a City of Pomona employee with a Youth Commissioner to help youth develop knowledge, skills, and values to understand City functions and processes, find out about the rewards and challenges of being a City employee, and navigate civic engagement activities that would enrich Pomona's diverse community. I hereby give my permission and approval for my child to participate in the aforementioned program with full knowledge of all inherent risks and hazards associated and incidental to said program and do hereby release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless the City of Pomona including its elected or appointed officials, officers, directors, employees, agents and volunteers from and against any and all claims for damages due to personal injury or other damages that my child may sustain as a result of his or her participation in this program. I further waive any and all such claims against any and all sponsors, volunteers, and staff of supervisors appointed by the City of Pomona, as well as any persons providing transportation to and from the program activities and fieldtrips.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

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**E-mail:** Please title your e-mail Youth Commission Application to [cityclerk@pomonaca.gov](mailto:cityclerk@pomonaca.gov).

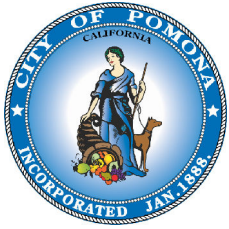
**Drop off:**

City of Pomona / Office of the City Clerk  
505 S. Garey Avenue  
Pomona, CA 91766

**Mail to:**

ATTN: Office of the City Clerk  
City of Pomona  
P.O. Box 660  
Pomona, CA 91769

If you have questions regarding the Youth Commission application, please call the Office of the City Clerk at (909) 620-2341 or you can e-mail your question to [cityclerk@pomonaca.gov](mailto:cityclerk@pomonaca.gov).



Pomona Mayor  
Tim Sandoval

# City of Pomona Council Members

These are the new boundaries adopted by the commission or the council. For legal and election purposes the new boundaries will first apply to Districts 2, 3 and 5 in the 2022 election, and then will apply to 1, 4 and 6 in the 2024 election. However, for purposes of communications and City operations the City will use the new boundaries as depicted in this map.



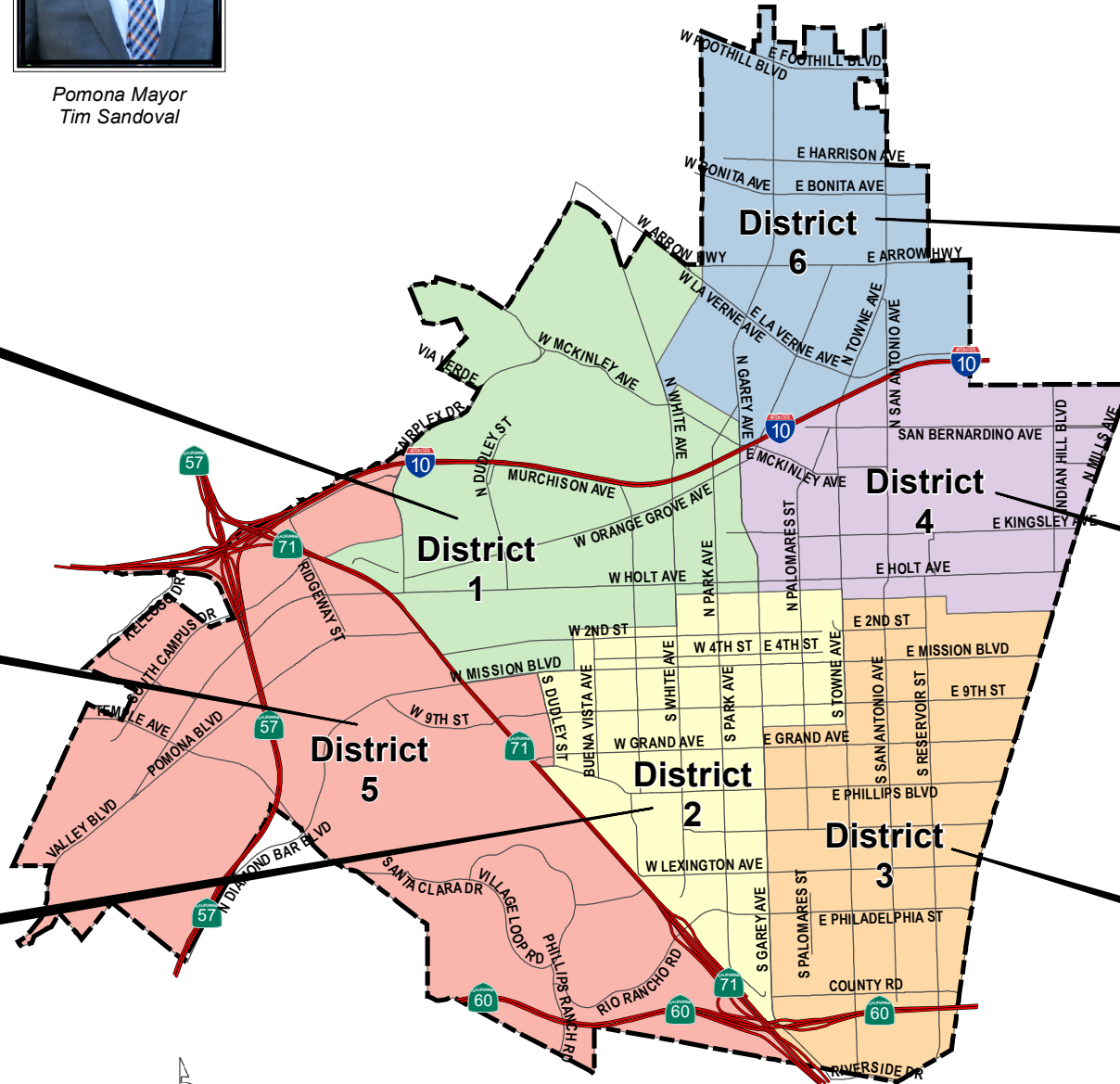
District 1  
Council Member  
John Nolte



District 5  
Council Member  
Steve Lustro



District 2  
Council Member  
Victor Preciado



District 6  
Council Member  
Robert S. Torres



District 4  
Council Member  
Elizabeth Ontiveros-Cole



District 3  
Council Member  
Nora Garcia

