## Vermont Youth Council DRAFT Application July 2020

Preferred name, Pronouns:

Address:

County:

Date of Birth:

Grade:

Gender (optional):

Please list your extracurricular activities (school-related, work, sports, etc. Include any and all activities):

Questions (suggested length: 1-3 paragraphs per question OR 2-5 mins per question for video application):

- 1. Why do you want to be on the Vermont Youth Advisory Council?
- 2. What unique experience, perspective, or expertise would you bring to this council? If you are involved in any community initiatives or if you have leadership experience, please share that here.
- 3. If you had to pick one, what is one Vermont issue that matters to you the most? If you served on the Council, how would you use your position to address that issue?
- 4. What do you think needs to change about Vermont government operations or policies in order to better serve youth? What areas do you see needing the most change or improvement?

## **Optional:**

Do you have a personal story or background that your application would feel incomplete without? If so, please share that story/background here.

Please submit two letters of recommendation from adults in your community. (Suggestions: teachers, guidance counsellors, mentors, employers, coaches, or other)