



**Commission on Children and Youth
Annual Planning Retreat: Meeting Summary-**FINAL**
December 8, 2021
Meeting held via Microsoft TEAMS (virtual)**

Members Present via Microsoft TEAMS: Kirsten Andersen, Renae McPherson, Jeanett Peralta, Anna Marie Finley, LaTanya Johnson, Tatiana Marina Lollo , Phebe Melaku, Thanh-Thuy "twee" Nguyen , Albert D. Reed, Chanel M. Speaks, Simoni Mishra, Stephanie Clark, James S. Hopkins

Members Absent:

Staff Present: Pearline Tyson (DHHS)

Chair Calls the Full Commission Meeting to Order 6:33pm

Roll Call (to determine quorum)

Introduction of Guests

Chair's Opening Remarks

Commission approved November 10, 2021 meeting minutes (sent electronically)

Subcommittee Break Outs

Guest presenters:

Cintoya Somerville-CCIC (College/Career Information Coordinator)

Chass Seymour- Coordinator, TeenWorks

Full Commission Reconvenes/Subcommittee Report Outs

- **Career and post-secondary partnerships can be found on Montgomery County website.**
- **Accessible spaces will have two guest speakers at the next meeting.**

Commission Business

- **Brainstorming: Youth Having a Voice Roundtable**

- **A poll will be sent out to commissioners to finalize the date-Feb 16th or March 2nd**
- **overview of (virtual) event format**
- **soliciting additional youth facilitators**
- **Shared Folder/Best Practices guides**

Questions from Guests
No guest questions

Adjournment 8:39 pm