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Florida League of Cities Announces 2020 Youth Council Photography Competition Winners

Atlantic Beach, Homestead, Satellite Beach, St. Petersburg and Wellington youth councils win statewide competition

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TALLAHASSEE, Fla. – The **Florida League of Cities**, the united voice for Florida’s municipal governments, today announced the winners of the 2020 Youth Council Photography Competition. The competition asks Florida’s municipal youth councils to showcase what they love about their city, town or village with a photo of their favorite aspects of it. The competition coincides with Florida City Government Week, an annual event taking place this week that encourages cities to celebrate, showcase and engage residents in the work of municipal government.

Municipal youth councils are special councils that typically serve as an advisory board to the local government. They are composed of high school students within the city and are sometimes referred to as youth corps, teen advisory boards or mayor's youth councils.

“Seeing the passion these students have for their communities and how engaged they are with their cities is incredible,” said **FLC President Tony Ortiz, commissioner** for the **City of Orlando**. “If what we’ve seen from municipal youth councils throughout the state is any indication of what’s to come for our cities, our future looks strong. Congratulations to this year’s competition winners!”

The 2020 Youth Council Photography Competition winners are:

- **City of Atlantic Beach Youth Council.**
- **City of Homestead Youth Council.**
- **City of Satellite Beach Youth Council.**
- **City of St. Petersburg Mayor’s Youth Congress.**
- **Village of Wellington Youth Council.**

Winners will be showcased on the League’s website and social media platforms, be recognized in the League’s *Quality Cities* magazine and receive a monetary award and a plaque.

To view the winning photos and their descriptions, [click here](#).

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Founded in 1922, the Florida League of Cities is the united voice for Florida's municipal governments. Its goals are to promote local self-government and serve the needs of Florida's cities, which are formed and governed by their citizens. The League believes in "Local Voices Making Local Choices," which focuses on the impact citizens and city leaders have in improving Florida's communities. For more information, visit flcities.com.