

**Council of the District of Columbia**  
**COMMITTEE ON RECREATION, LIBRARIES AND YOUTH AFFAIRS**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

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**COUNCILMEMBER TRAYON WHITE, SR., CHAIRPERSON**  
**COMMITTEE ON RECREATION, LIBRARIES AND YOUTH AFFAIRS**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE ON**

**PUBLIC SAFETY CONCERNS WITH THE**  
**DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH REHABILITATION SERVICES (DYRS)**

**Tuesday, May 21, 2024**

**12:00pm**

Live via Zoom Video Conference Broadcast

<https://www.youtube.com/@CouncilmemberTrayonWhite/streams>

DC Council Website ([www.dccouncil.gov](http://www.dccouncil.gov))

On Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at 12:00pm, Councilmember Trayon White Sr., Chairperson of the Committee on Recreation, Libraries and Youth Affairs, will hold a public roundtable to discuss public safety concerns and issues with the Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services (DYRS).

Anyone wishing to testify must sign up in advance using the Hearing Management System at <https://lims.dccouncil.gov/hearings> by 5:30pm on Monday, May 20, 2024.

The Committee encourages the public to submit written testimony to be included in the public record. Copies of written testimony should be submitted through the Hearing Management System. All testimony received will be made part of the official record, which will close on 5:30pm on Tuesday, June 4, 2024.

All public witnesses appearing on their own behalf will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes to testify. Public witnesses of a bona fide organization will be allowed a maximum of five (5) minutes to testify. At the discretion of the Chair, the length of time provided for oral testimony may be reduced due to schedule constraints.

Witnesses who anticipate needing language interpretation, or require sign language interpretation, are requested to inform the Committee on Recreation, Libraries, and Youth Affairs of the need as soon as possible but no later than five (5) business days before the proceeding. The Committee will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, however requests received in less than five (5) business days may not be fulfilled and alternatives may be offered.

Hearings can be viewed live on the Councilmember's [YouTube channel](#), [Facebook page](#), and on the Watch Hearing link on the [DC Council website](#).