



RMC Youth Engagement Committee Meeting
Tuesday, December 16, 2025
10:00 am - 11:00 am
Zoom Teleconference

Agenda

Invited Participants: Members of the RMC Youth Engagement Committee and RMC Staff

- I. Welcome and Introductions Charlotte Davis, Executive Director
- II. Guest Speaker: Mark Milby, Executive Director, Maryland FFA Foundation
- III. Review of August 7, 2025, Meeting Minutes
- IV. Overview of Updated Committee Mission and Outcomes
- V. Setting Committee Priorities and Developing a Committee Profile
- VI. 2026 Meeting Dates
 - a. Wednesday, March 11
 - b. Wednesday, June 10
 - c. Wednesday, September 9
 - d. Wednesday, December 9
- VII. Other
- VIII. Adjourn

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 11, 2026, 10:00 am 11:00 am, Zoom teleconference

Committee Mission

The RMC Youth Engagement Committee is dedicated to empowering young people in rural communities by creating opportunities for leadership, education, and civic participation. Our mission is to foster a sense of belonging, amplify youth voices, and support sustainable development through inclusive programs, mentorship, and community collaboration. We strive to ensure that rural youth are equipped, inspired, and connected to shape the future of their communities.

Expected Committee Outcomes

- Track youth engagement initiatives and identify potential cases or programs for resources and development
- Identify and promote innovative summer enrichment or workforce development programs across the State
- Highlight counties and school districts for potential expansion of the youth engagement project
- Work with local governments on identifying local boards and commissions to include student members
- Organize and implement a student Rural Maryland Day in Annapolis
- Increase visibility of youth engagement efforts statewide by developing coordinated outreach strategies
- Recognize and address transportation barriers that limit youth participation in enrichment, workforce development, and civic engagement opportunities