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RACINE COUNTY ANNOUNCES NEW CLASS OF YOUTH IN GOVERNANCE REPRESENTATIVES

Racine – Racine County Board Chairman Russell A. Clark announced today the selections of the new class of representatives for the Racine County Youth In Governance program. For the fifth year, high school students from across Racine County will serve alongside Racine County Supervisors on County Board committees.

County Supervisor Janet Bernberg, Chairman of the Government Services committee, said incoming youth representatives will be sworn in at the regularly scheduled County Board meeting Tuesday May 8, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at the Ives Grove Office Complex, 14200 Washington Ave. The public is invited to attend. All youth representatives will take an oath to serve the residents of Racine County, with a reception following the meeting.

The Racine County Board of Supervisors welcomes the following participants to their committee assignments for the 2018–2019 year:

- Evan Schlicht and Hailey Stoltenberg: Economic Development & Land Use Planning Committee
- Kaitlyn Faust and Daniel Wan Rosli: Finance & Human Resources Committee
- Quinn Cafferty and Jessie Reschke: Government Services Committee
- Ethan Evans and May Kohler: Health & Human Development Committee
- Mackenzie Geschke and Achyut Krishnan: Public Works, Parks & Facilities Committee

Current Youth In Governance Representatives Ryan Anderson, Giselle Becerra, Paige Betthauser, Isabelle Craig, Meghan Flynn, Katie Fruth, Da'Zhur James, Rasheed Muhammad, Evan Schlicht, and Ruby Ward will also be honored Tuesday for their service during the 2017–2018 term.

"These young people are the future leaders of our communities, and I'm very impressed with the caliber of all of the applicants," Clark said.

For more information about the Racine County Youth In Governance program go to www.racinecounty.com or contact the Racine County UW-Extension office at 262-767-2929.

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