

# Family Advisory Council



The Family Advisory Council (FAC) is a group of family members, youth, and young adults with experience in the juvenile justice system who will meet regularly to give advice and feedback to court staff. The Family Advisory Council is a partnership of family members, youth/young adults, and court staff who are dedicated to improving policies, programs, and the overall quality of the court experience for families and youth.

**FIRST MEETING**  
**Wednesday, DECEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2023, 5:30-7**

## **Lived experience Is a foundational value of the Family Advisory Council.**

FAC empowers families and youth/young adults to impact system change in partnership with the Juvenile Court  
We are seeking family members and youth/young adults for FAC membership.

## **WHO SHOULD APPLY?**

A young person who has lived experience with the court and has no pending court matters. A parent/caregiver of a young person who has been involved with the juvenile court. There will be compensation/stipend provided for participation in the FAC meetings.

## **To nominate yourself or someone else, please send the following information to:**

**JEFF OLSEN [Jeffrey.olsen@clark.wa.gov](mailto:Jeffrey.olsen@clark.wa.gov) or MICHELLE KARNATH [michelle.karnath@clark.wa.gov](mailto:michelle.karnath@clark.wa.gov)  
by **Friday, November 10, 2023**.**

- Name
- Age
- Address
- A few sentences about why you are interested in being a member of the FAC- or why you've nominated someone else for this position.
- Phone number
- Email