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## TOWN OF NORTHBOROUGH Family & Youth Services

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### YOUTH COMMISSION AGENDA

Thursday, June 23, 2022, at 7:00 pm

Town Hall, Conference Room B

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Date of Next Meeting – August 18, 2022
3. Review of Minutes
4. Director's Report:
  - Discussion of the Select Board's ARPA Community Forum that was held on June 16, 2022
  - INTERFACE reports "a tsunami of need" for mental health services, impacting the wait time for resident appointments from 14 days to 40 days. We are now providing "Bridge Counseling Services" to those who cannot wait due to the seriousness of their issues.
  - MetroWest Health Care Foundation's Key Findings of their Adolescent Survey
  - FYS assisted the Northborough Library in scheduling the Mental Health 1<sup>st</sup> Aid Training. Shrewsbury Youth & Family Services will be providing this free training to the staff and public. Dates TBD.
  - Review of the "Northborough Be Well Kick-Off" that was held on June 22, 2022
  - Four family's success in securing State Housing Programs and affordable rental property
  - Mission Statements for the Youth Commission and Family & Youth Services
5. Board Members:
  - Review the High School Student Liaison Application
  - Develop a Plan to recruit high school students to serve as liaisons to the Youth Commission for the Fall of 2022.
6. Other Business
7. Adjourn