





# ARE YOU A TIGARD STUDENT IN GRADES 4-12? WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU WERE THE MAYOR?

Calling all youth leaders - enter the Oregon Mayors Association and City of Tigard's "If I Were Mayor..." Contest!

## ENTRIES DUE SUNDAY, MARCH 9 AT 8PM

- Share your creative ideas about what you would do as mayor.
- Local winners are entered into the state contest for a chance to win up to \$500!
- Three local winners will be awarded a \$50 gift card and be honored at the Tigard City Council meeting on Tuesday, April 22, 2025.
- All submissions must be accompanied by a completed entry form. www.tigard-or.gov/MayorsContest
- First-place statewide winners will receive their prizes during the Oregon Mayors Association (OMA) Summer Conference, to be held August 14-16, 2025 in Baker City at the Geiser Grand Hotel.

#### **CONTEST RULES**

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- All submissions must be accompanied by a completed entry form (www.tigard-or.gov/ MayorsContest). All forms for students under the age of 18 must be signed by the student's parent or guardian.
- Only one submission per student and one student per entry.
- If selected to be submitted to the statewide contest, state-level submissions become property of the Oregon Mayors Association (OMA).
- OMA retains the right to publish state-level entries along with the names and likeness of each student.
- League of Oregon Cities (LOC) employees and dependents are not eligible to enter.

#### **QUESTIONS?**

For more info about the state contest please contact Angela Speier at aspeier@orcities.org

For more information about the Tigard contest please contact Alex Richardson, Management Analyst at alex.richardson@tigard-or.gov.

#### **ENTRY RULES**

#### **POSTERS:** Grades 4-5

Format: Take a photo of the poster you designed and save as a PNG, JPEG, or PDF file.

- Open to students enrolled in grades 4 & 5 or being home-schooled at the same grade level for the 2024-2025 school year.
- Students are encouraged to be creative and may use any art medium (paint, felt pens, colored pencils, pastels, crayons, 3Dart, etc.).

#### ESSAYS: Grades 6-8

Format: Word, PDF, PowerPoint

- The essay contest is open to students enrolled in grades 6-8 or being home-schooled at the same grade level for the 2024-2025 school year.
- Essays must be 500-1,000 words in length and typed.

### **Digital Media Presentations: Grades 9-12**

Format: MP4 or online video format

- Open to students enrolled in grades 9-12 or being home-schooled at the same grade level for the 2024-2025 school year.
- Presentations must be one to three minutes in length and may be submitted via email.

# TIGARD STUDENTS ONLY SUBMIT ORIGINAL WORK & ENTRY FORM TO:

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