



# 'If I Were Mayor...'



Student Contest 2024-25

The Cities of Aumsville, Stayton, and Sublimity invite you to enter the "If I Were Mayor..." Student Contest.

Let your creativity shine and share your vision of what you would do as mayor!

**LOCAL CONTEST DEADLINE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY EMAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_



## *Posters - Grades 4-5*

- Students are encouraged to be creative and may use any art medium (paint, felt pens, colored pencils, pastels, crayons, 3D art, etc.).
- Send a photo of the poster as .PNG, .JPEG or PDF file.
- Students who win will receive **\$50** and **\$50** for their classroom.

## *Essays - Grades 6-8*

- Essays must be 500-1,000 words in length and typed.
- Formats: Word, PDF, or PowerPoint
- Students who win will receive **\$100** and **\$100** for their classroom.



## *Digital Media Presentations - Grade 9-12*

- Presentations must be one to three minutes in length and submitted via email.
- Formats: MP4 or online video format
- Students who win will receive **\$150** and **\$150** for their classroom.



## LOCAL SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- Students must submit their projects to the city where they are enrolled.
- Submissions must be emailed to the city by a parent, teacher, or guardian.
- Submissions must have an OMA Entry Form. For forms and additional information about the 'If I Were Mayor' contest: [www.oregonmayors.org/special-programs/page/student-contest](http://www.oregonmayors.org/special-programs/page/student-contest).
- Winning Submissions will be sent to the state contest for a chance to win a prize worth \$500.

For more information about the local contest, please contact: \_\_\_\_\_

## STATE CONTEST RULES

**First-place statewide winners will receive their prizes during the OMA Summer Conference, to be held August 14-16, 2025 in Baker City at the Geiser Grand Hotel.**

- All submissions must be accompanied by a completed entry form. 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 will be accepted at the state level.
- Previous statewide winners may participate, but are not eligible to receive a prize in the same category they previously won in. They are eligible to receive a prize in a new category.
- 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.

For more information about the state contest please contact Angela Speier at [aspeier@orcities.org](mailto:aspeier@orcities.org).