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as Inquiry into ACT Budget 2021–22 ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE 29 October 2021

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Asked by MR DAVIS on 29 October 2021 MS BERRY took on notice the following question(s):

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In relation to:

Of the 22 over the last year it would be great to get a breakdown of how many of those were the youth advisory council coming to government saying we want to give opinions on X, versus how many was it going to the group saying we would like your opinion on X.

YVETTE BERRY MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:-

In 2020-21, Council participated in and contributed to 22 engagement activities, and consultations across the ACT Government and the Canberra community.

- ACT Government initiated: 18 (six of the 18 consultations were a collaboration between the ACT Government and the Council).
- Minister initiated: 1
- Council initiated: 2
- Community initiated: 2 (Collaboration between community organisations and Council)

The below table identifies the participation, engagement, and consultation activities that the Council participated in.

DATE	NAME OF CONSULTATION	INITIATED BY WHO
1. July 2020	ACT Wellbeing Framework	ACT Government initiated.
2. July 2020	Family Safety Hub and the ACT Children and Young People Commissioner consultation.	ACT Government initiated.
3. July 2020	Survey to collect information on the impact of COVID-19 for young Canberrans	Council initiated.
4. August 2020	A Picture Refresh and Wellbeing Framework – Children and Young People's lens	ACT Government initiated.
5. August 2020	Impact of COVID-19 for young Canberrans	Council initiated.
6. August 2020	Raise the Age of Criminal Responsibility Campaign	ACT Government initiated.
7. October 2020	How to build resilience for young Canberrans.	ACT Government initiated.
8. March and May 2021	Youth Navigation Portal	ACT Government initiated.
9. February 2021	ACT Discrimination Act consultation	ACT Government initiated.
10. February 2021	Orientation Week Market Days	ACT Government initiated.
	 Canberra Institute of Technology (Reid 	

	 Campus) Orientation Week Market Days Canberra Institute of Technology (Bruce Campus) Orientation Week Market Days Australian National University 	Community Engagement activity
11. March 2021	Child and Family Service Reform Forum	ACT Government initiated. Collaboration between the
		ACT Government and the Council.
12. April 2021	Convention on the Rights of the Child in Australia	Community organisation initiated.
		Collaboration between the community organisation and Council.
13. April 2021	LGBTIQA+ Forum	ACT Government initiated.
14. May 2021	Education Act 2004 (the Act) consultations	ACT Government initiated.
15. May 2021	ACT Student Congress	ACT Government initiated.
		Collaboration between the ACT Government and the Council.
16. June 2021	Minimum Age of Criminal Responsibility	ACT Government initiated.
17. June 2021	Australian War Memorial's Youth Advisory Group	ACT Government initiated.
18. June 2021	The Step for Our Kids -Out of Home Care Strategy	ACT Government initiated.
19. June 2021	2021 ACT Youth Assembly	ACT Government initiated.
		Collaboration between the ACT Government and the Council.
20. June 2021	Legal Aid ACT consultation	Community organisation initiated.
		Collaboration between the community organisation and Council.
21. June 2021	Consultation with Minister Chris Steel MLA about current issues of concern for young Canberrans including, transport; the Graduated Licensing Scheme; and accessibility and safety of public spaces for young people.	Minister initiated.
22. June 2021	Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Working Group - Prevention Group	ACT Government initiated.

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