Montana YMCA Youth and Government Program
Governor's Cabinet Application Form
Due February 15

*If you are going to be a **lobbyist** at Youth and Government, you are eligible to apply for a position on the Governor's Cabinet. Fill out the application below. The Youth Governor will select up to five people. Remember: lobbyists who become cabinet members must commit to the Cabinet position and cannot "move up" to fill a legislative seat even if there is an opening in their delegation.*

Your name:

Delegation:

Year in school (circle one): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Have you previously been to Youth & Government (circle one)? Yes No

Please read the Governor's philosophy statement and then answer the following questions (Use a separate sheet of paper as needed):

1. Explain why you feel able and qualified to represent the Youth Governor's positions (as described in the philosophy statement) on the issues that will probably come up at Youth Legislature.

2. What would you do if you found that you DID personally disagree with the Governor on a particular bill or issue? (Do **not** say that you would never disagree. Explain how you would handle such an issue if it came up, just in case it does)

3. Please choose one political issue, briefly state your position on that issue, but then explain the core arguments for **both** (or all) sides of the issue. *(i.e. for abortion, give both pro-life and pro-choice arguments.)*