LaMuth's Clean Energy Council Presentation Rubric (for grades 6 -8; Common Core ELA aligned)

Council Member's Name:	
Group # Presenting:	

	Accomplished	Developing	Emerging
Explanation of Ideas & Information	states main idea and moves from one idea to the next in a logical order, emphasizing main points in a focused, coherent manner (CC 6-8.SL.4)	moves from one idea to the next, but main idea may not be clear or some ideas may be in the wrong order	moves from one idea to the next, but main idea may not be clear or some ideas may be in the wrong order
Organization	has an effective introduction and conclusion organizes time well; no part of the presentation is rushed, too short or too long	has an introduction and conclusion, but they are not effective generally times presentation well	does not have an introduction and/or conclusion uses time poorly
Skills	keeps eye contact with audience most of the time; only glances at notes or slides (CC 6-8.SL.4)	makes infrequent eye contact; reads notes or slides most of the time	does not look at audience; reads notes or slides

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Voice	speaks clearly; not too quickly or slowly(CC 6-8.5L.4) rarely uses filler words	speaks clearly most of the time; sometimes too quickly or slowly occasionally uses filler words	mumbles or speaks too quickly or slowly frequently uses "filler" words ("uh, um, so,and, like, etc.")
Presentation Aid	uses well-produced audio/visual aids or media to clarify information, emphasize important points, strengthen arguments,and add interest (CC 6-8.5L.5)	uses audio/visual aids or media, but they sometimes distract from or do not add to the presentation	attempts to use one or a few audio/visual aids or media but they distract from or do not add to the presentation
Response to Audience Questions	answers audience questions clearly and completely seeks clarification, admits "I don't know," or explains how the answer might be found when unable to answer a question	answers some audience questions, but not always clearly or completely	does not address audience questions(goes off topic or misunderstands without seeking clarification)
Participation in Team Presentation	All team members participate for about the same length of time	All team members participate, but not equally	Not all team members participate; only one or two speak