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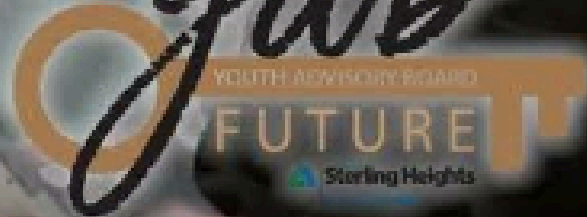
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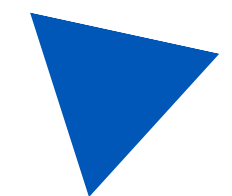
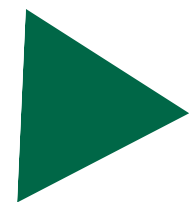
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CITY OF STERLING HEIGHTS YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD

our mission

To develop and promote programs, services, amenities, events and civic engagement opportunities that make Sterling Heights a more appealing community for those between the ages of 13-18.



WAYS YAB CAN HELP STERLING HEIGHTS **BECOME A BETTER COMMUNITY FOR ALL**

One

Create Engagement

Create community involvement between young residents and local government.

Two

Use Our Voice

Advise City Council and City Administration on important youth and teen issues.

Three

Develop and Grow

Present ideas and assist in development of new programs geared towards youth.



HOW WE ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE

our main focus

Sustainability

Engage local youth in the practice of a sustainable lifestyle.

Mental Health

Increase awareness regarding mental health issues among area youth.

Diversity & Inclusion

Promote the creation of safe environments and provide resources for teens across the City .

Local Government Awareness

Educate teens on local government and increase opportunities to serve and connect with the City.



WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO IN **STERLING HEIGHTS**

year in review

TRIP TO LANSING

Invited City Council and elected officials to join us for a day at the Capitol to learn and engage in government.

PARKS & RECREATION

We have worked with Parks and Recreation to provide input on programs we would like to see, such as Teen Yoga, and also partner on an Exam Cram event!

CIVIC INVOLVEMENT

YAB members have increased their involvement, as well as their own peers, with City opportunities and events.

TEEN MOVIE NIGHT

Hosted a Teen Movie event at the Library to provide a fun space and teen experience for our community.

OPERATION WARMTH DRIVE

Organized a winter wear drive and promoted throughout the community to donate to the Macomb Foster Closet.





WHAT TO SEE NEXT FROM THE **YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD**



INCLUSION

Work with community organizations and Parks and Recreation to create a safe space designated for teens.

EDUCATE

Work with local leaders and organizations to help educate our residents on sustainable practices to help better our quality of life.

CONNECT

Continue to create opportunities for younger residents to connect with our local leaders and City officials.

RAISE AWARENESS

Work with local organizations and professionals to continue to conversation around student's safety in schools and create a strategy on how YAB can help.



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