

Community Service Learning Partner Application for Local and State Board Approval

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Community Partner Information

Name of non-profit/ community organization: NLR Mayor's Youth Council - a service learning program

Name of Director/ Contact Person: Jan Scholl, Director - in our 22nd year

Address: 805 So. Claremont Ave. - Sherwood - 72120

Phone Number: 501-951-0866

Email Address: nlrmyc@aol.com

Hours of operation: as needed - this is a part-time job

What is the mission of the non-profit/community organization?

to provide a safe environment for members as a mentor - to write letters of recommendation and offer scholarships

to network with leaders of other nonprofits and community organization through service

to give volunteer support to nonprofits, school system, churches, McCain Mall, organizations, and gain work experience

What service(s) does the non-profit/community organization provide?

The 65 members answer requests from the community by working festivals; tending our community garden; raising

money for Smile Train, NLR Animal Shelter, Ridge Road Elementary, several homeless programs; collecting items

for the homeless, women's shelters, Salvation Army, Boys & Girls Club; helping the Cancer Society, LR Marathon

Please describe the volunteer activities students will participate in at the non-profit/community organization and how those activities may connect to curriculum learning goals. (*The Act 648 implementation guide on the ADE website contains a breakdown of a few subject areas and goals*)

The member identifies a need in the community and creates a project that will address the need. They sit with me and we discuss their

plan and make step by step goals to succeed. I monitor the project and assist where needed. For example, one project is

a little free library, one a blessing box for free food, one collected shoes and clothes all for Ridge Road. They then write a reflection piece.

What are the non-profit/community organization procedures and policies to ensure the safety of student

volunteers? I know all the volunteer coordinators at the nonprofits. If I don't, I go with the kids. Also if more than 4 volunteers

go to an event I always attend.

List any special considerations of the non-profit/community organization.

I try to have as diverse a group as I can - different ethnic groups, disabled, boys and girls. The members make life-long

Council and community friendships that could not have been possible without this program.

Local School Board approval of this site as a district partner



Signature of school board president

10/21/21

Date of meeting at which site was approved