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Youth Master Plan Update

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Youth Master Plan – An Update



- We present this update to the Youth Master Plan as a document that captures the voices and needs of our youth. This document is both:
 - Aspirational and
 - A Vision for Our Youth
- Since last presenting the Youth Master Plan at the Joint Meeting in February of 2016, we have worked closely with City staff, PUSD staff, community-based organizations, and our students to work towards the goals identified and to update the Youth Master Plan.
- This document represents these collaborative efforts, and we intend to share the progress we have made with you.



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Youth Master Plan – Three Documents for Your Review



1. The Youth Master Plan as presented in February of 2016 – a reminder of where we started.
2. Our Progress Report of Today
 - Reflects the actions that have been accomplished and are being accomplished in the 6 Priority Areas of the Plan:
 - Priority Area 1 – Access to Healthy Food Environment
 - Priority Area 2 – Life Ready
 - Priority Area 3 – Feeling Free To Be Me
 - Priority Area 4 – United Youth Support
 - Priority Area 5 – Buses and Bikes
 - Priority Area 6 – Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco
3. Feedback and Progress Shared from City Departments and PUSD



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Youth Master Plan – Thoughts and Reflections



- We have made every effort to capture the actions within the Priority areas of the Youth Master Plan that the City, PUSD, and community organizations are working on and are already doing.
- We are pleased to present to you that collectively we are making progress. As we move forward, we need to keep these efforts and accomplishments in mind as we continue our future planning on behalf of our young people and their needs.
- It is important that the Youth Master Plan be received today as
 - **Aspirational**: As we continue our work with our students, City Departments, PUSD, and the community, we are aspiring to respond to the expressed needs of our youth.
 - **A Vision**: The Youth Master Plan is a living document and represents a work in progress and a vision for our youth as expressed in the 6 Priority Areas.



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Youth Master Plan – Looking Ahead: Conclusions and Next Steps

Conclusions:

- This plan requires **no** additional fiscal support , but provides us with an opportunity to collectively streamline our resources to make progress in the areas identified by our local youth.
- We hope that the priorities identified by our youth are used as a guiding tool in defining our organizational and strategic goals as a community.
- Whatever is being done is based on the action steps accomplished as part of the continuing planning and strategy efforts by the City, PUSD, and our community-based organizations.
- We will continue to partner with the City, PUSD, and community-based organizations in the planning and implementation of the Youth Master Plan.





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Next Steps:

- Today we request that the City Council and the Members of the Board of Education receive the Youth Master Plan and the 2019 Progress report -recognizing it as a continuing work in progress.
- Going forward, we will utilize existing city committees and community coalitions to ensure the progress of the plan.
- Students will continue to meet every first Wednesday of the month at the Pasadena Central Library 4th floor to continue the advancement of the plans progress.