

# Mayor's Office of Prevention, Intervention and Opportunity for Youth and Young Adults

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#### Agenda

- I. Goals for Expenditure of Contract Services Funds
- II. Employment Program
- **III. Expanded Programs**



# Goals for Expenditure of Contract Services **Funding**

- Provide high-quality programming for Out-of-School time in our Neighborhood Resource and Recreation Centers (NRRCs) and other community spaces
- Provide employment opportunities for youth ages 14-18 and stipendbased community service opportunities for youth ages 10-14





## **Employment** & Expanded Programs

#### **Youth Employment**

- Summer employment and academy opportunities provided by YOU
  - Lifeguard Training (34 participants, 28 certified, 21 hired)
  - Marketing Academy (10 participants received certification in coding and marketing)
- o City and County Extended Summer
  - High school graduates with no employment or post-secondary plans
- Two stipend-based community service programs during summer
- o Cleveland Freedom Project

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#### **Expanded Programming**

- o Youth & Adult Education
- Job & Career Readiness
- Health & Wellness
- Youth Leadership Development, Mentorship & Community Service
- The Arts
- Non-Traditional Sports & Recreation





# **Employment**

### Y.O.U Summer Youth Employment

248 students served

### City and County Extended Summer

67 funded through City (150 participants in partnership w/ County)

## **Stipend-based Community**

Service

55 students served

## **Public Safety Career Pipeline**

30 students served

#### TOTAL

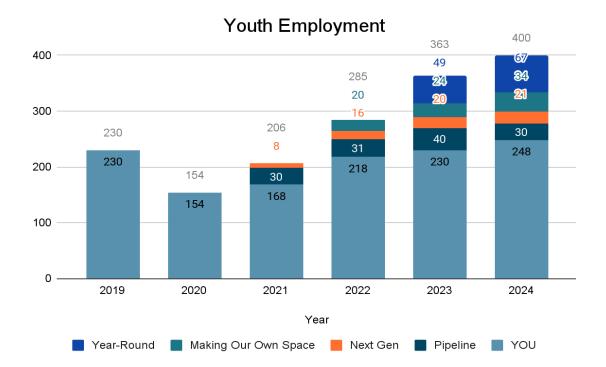
400 students served

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#### **2024 Accomplishments**

# **YOU 1,211 City of Cleveland Youth By Ward Representation**

Ward 1	95
Ward 2	126
Ward 3	35
Ward 4	79
Ward 5	96
Ward 6	78
Ward 7	80
Ward 8	63
Ward 9	78

Ward 10	73
Ward 11	72
Ward 12	79
Ward 13	48
Ward 14	81
Ward 15	64
Qard 16	39
Ward 17	25







#### **2024 Accomplishments**

## **Employment Highlight: Making Our Own Space**





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- 15 youth participated at Michael Zone NRRC to earn a total of \$4,131.80 (avg of \$275.45 per youth) over the 3 week period
- 16 youth participated at Alexander Hamilton to earn a total of \$3,554.90 (avg of \$222.18 per youth) over the 3 week period
- Learned engineering principles from engineer and architect
- Other Guest Speakers
- Created benches and swings for the NRRCs





## **Expanded Programs**

Youth & Adult Education

12 programs

**Job & Career Readiness** 

2 programs

Health & Wellness

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2 programs

Youth Leadership Development, **Mentorship & Community Service** 

4 programs

The Arts

13 programs

**Non-Traditional Sports & Recreation** 

5 programs

TOTAL

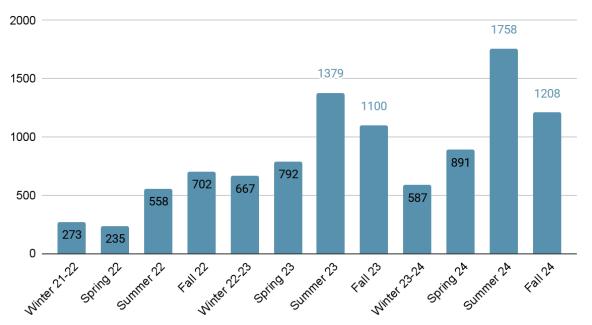
38 programs





## **Expanded Programs**

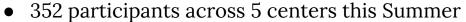
Number of Participants Who Attended at Least One Session





## **Expanded Programs Highlight: Esports**





- Participants played Fortnite, Overwatch, Rocket League, and League of Legends with coaching and skill sessions
- Final Competition hosted at Frederick Douglass with prizes and awards



	Rocket League	Fortnite	NBA 2K
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Estabrook Team	Estabrook	Frederick Douglass
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Frederick Douglass Team	Frederick Do	uglass Estabrook
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Cudell Team	Frederick Douglass	Cudell







## 2024 and 2025 Expanded Program & Employment Contracts by Area

	2024	2025
Arts	\$363,562	\$405,720
Education	\$217,663	\$512,105
Non-Traditional Sports and Recreation	\$340,373	\$284,852
Leadership, Mentorship, and Community Service	\$149,450	\$149,450
Health and Wellness	\$82,310	\$82,310
Career and Job Readiness	\$27,500	\$83,000
Youth and Young Adult Employment and stipend based programs	\$1,641,700	\$1,636,060
Total	\$2,822,558	\$3,153,497





## 2025 Projected Contracts

Program Providers and Projected Amounts					
Teen Enterprise	\$149,450	Cray Consulting: Parenting & Fit Circuit	\$56,232		
Advantage Tennis	\$54,151	Rhonda Crowder	\$57,635		
Karamu House	\$60,000	YOU	\$999,337		
CAIL Music Lessons	\$150,720	GCNCA: NextGen Leadership	\$144,986		
Reach Success	\$72,000	Kent State University: Making Our Own Space	\$108,130		
After School All Stars	\$264,056	\$264,056 YOU Extended Employment			
GCNCA: Photography, Iconnect, STEAM	\$30,000	Murtis Taylor	\$230,303		
Henry Johnson Center	\$83,000	EsportScholar	\$90,000		
Total: \$2,800,000 for Ord. # 43*2025 - Temporary Budget					







