Milwaukee Promise Zones Purpose & Program Design

File # 160739 – Proposed
Substitute Resolution Authorizing
the Expenditure Of Keeping
The Promise SPA Funding







Introduction

Goal of Today's Presentation:

- Respond to request for information related to Milwaukee Promise Zones Initiative
 - File # 160739 May 3rd Finance & Personnel Committee

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Goal of Today's Presentation:

- 2. To secure F&P Committee's recommendation to establish a competitive RFP process for the amount of \$336,882 to:
 - Conduct and track pre & post door to door surveys utilizing a community needs assessment
 - Develop work plans in collaboration with MPD to improve community relations
 - Recruit at risk youth for year-round employment
 - Enhance economic activity by encouraging private investment

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- 3. To secure F&P Committee's recommendation to:
 - Fund Employ Milwaukee for \$135,118 to hire 104 Promise Zones youth for Summer Employment in the Earn & Learn Program

Background

- MPZ is Inspired by Federal Promise
 Zones Designations
- HUD & DOE invested and partnered with high-poverty urban, rural and tribal communities to:
 - Create jobs
 - Increase economic activity,
 - Improve educational opportunities
 - Leverage private investment
 - And reduce violent crime



Promise Zone Communities

www.hud.gov/promisezones

FIRST ROUND

Los Angeles

Philadelphia

San Antonio

Kentucky Highlands

Choctaw Nation

SECOND ROUND

Camden

Indianapolis

Minneapolis

North Hartford

Sacramento

St. Louis

Pine Ridge Indian Reservation

South Carolina Low Country

THIRD ROUND

Atlanta

Los Angeles

San Diego

Nashville

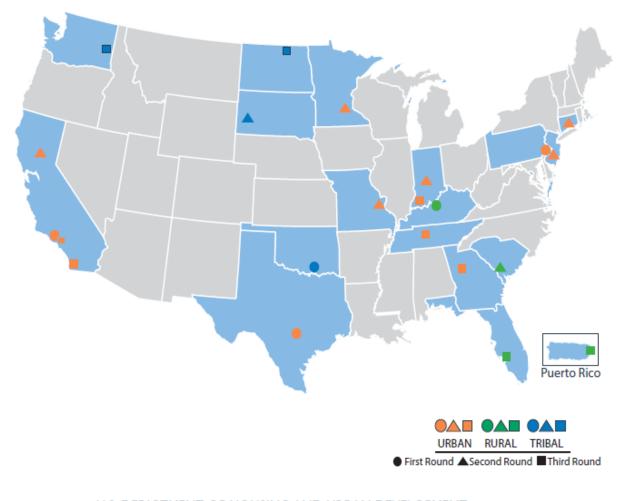
Evansville

Southwest Florida

Roosevelt Roads

Spokane

Turtle Mountain Band



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Background

- In 2013 City of Milwaukee was eligible to apply for Promise Zone (PZ) Designation
 - Eligible as recipient of Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Grant
- President Hamilton had collaborated on individual PZ priorities since 2004
- In 2016 The Promise Zones Special Purpose Account was approved to implement a City Wide Strategy

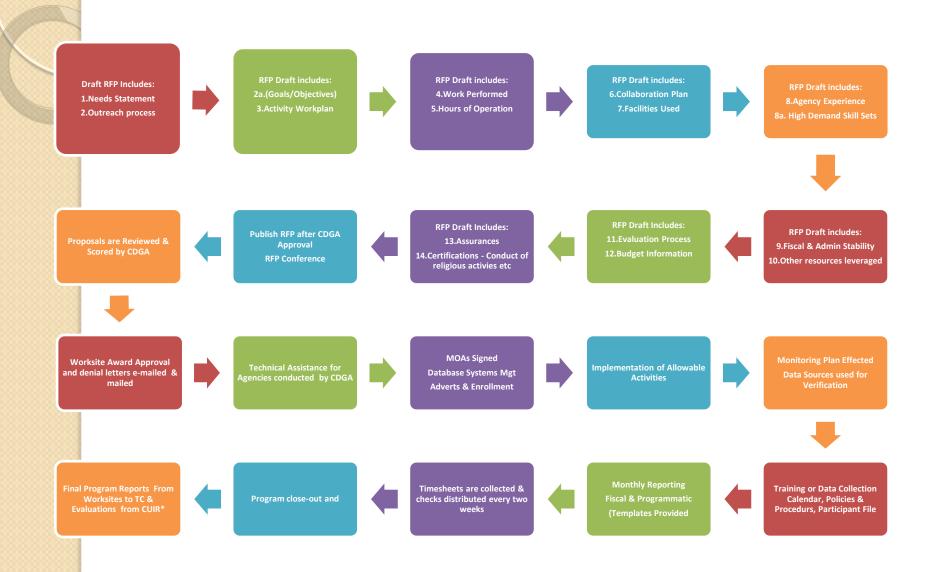


- Identify & define challenged neighborhoods and focus on community needs to increase concentration of services.
- Engage the targeted Neighborhoods in Local Job training and employment opportunities.
- Create and manage a targeted community supported infrastructure, designed to improve outcomes for children and families in the targeted neighborhoods

CDBG Competitive RFP Process

- Community Based Organizations will be selected based on:
 - Demonstrated experience
 - Cultural Competency
 - Fiscal & Administrative Stability
 - There are committed CBOs currently working in Promise Zones, with limited capacity, using allowable NSP funding.
 - These CBOs located in Aldermanic Districts
 1, 6, 9, 12 & 15, will be requested to apply

CDBG Competitive RFP Process



E&L Competitive RFP Process

- Employ Milwaukee's Earn & Learn
 Summer Program will hire Promise Zone
 Youth. Employ Milwaukee will be:
 - Employer of Record for 104 Youth
 - Payroll Processing
 - Data Tracking
 - Career Enrichment Workshops
 - Competitive Procurement Oversight for FBO Worksites
 - Technical Assistance



Competitive Process

Milwaukee's Summer Youth Employment Initiative

| Thursday May 5th, 2017 Time: 2:00 p.m. | Bidder's Conference at Employ Milwaukee 2342 N. 27 th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53210 |
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| Friday May 19 th , 2017 Time: 4:00 p.m. | Completed proposals must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. at 2342 N. 27 th Street, Milwaukee, WI. 53210 |
| TBD – May 25 th or 26 th , 2017 | Approval by Executive Committee and Youth Council |
| Week of May 29th, 2017 | RFP applicants notified of decision/number of slots (date may change) |
| Thursday, June 1 st , 2017 Time: 10:00a.m. | Agency supervisor technical assistance training (mandatory) |
| Friday, June 2 nd , 2017 Time: 10:00 a.m. | |
| Monday June 26 th , 2017 | Summer cycle begins (No orientations prior to this date) |
| Friday, August 4 th , 2017 | Summer cycle ends (Prior approval needed to end beyond this date) |

E&L Competitive RFP Process

| Budget Category | Budget Detail | Amount |
|---|--|-----------|
| Youth Wages - 104 individuals | Estimate 104 youth, \$7.25/hour, 20 hours/week, 6 weeks | \$ 93,600 |
| Youth Fringes | FICA Taxes (7.65%) and Workers Comp Insurance (6%) | \$ 12,776 |
| Program Staff Salaries (Position title/function of staff assigned to project- specific program services, activities, salary/wage, time charged to project. | 2 Staff, \$55,000 average annual wage, .25 FTE for 4 months of contracted services | \$ 9,167 |
| Program Staff Fringe Benefits (Type and cost of fringe benefits for each position inlcuded in project budget) | 40% fringe rate to include FICA, health, dental, vision, long-term disabilty and workers comp insurance, state unemployment and retirement plan contribution | \$ 3,667 |
| Travel (Costs of mileage, lodging, meals and other travel-related costs for staff). | 2 staff, 20 miles per week X 8 weeks X \$0.565 per mile | \$ 181 |
| Materials & Supplies (Office, other supplies required to carry out project, detailed by type of costs) | Office and participant supplies for project - estimate \$750 per month X 3 months. | \$ 2,250 |
| Failities (Rent, conference/meeting space, etc. detailed by type of activity and related facility costs specific to the project.) | 2 staff allocated facilities, \$10,000 annual X .25 FTE X 4 months. | \$ 1,667 |
| Administration | Allocated administration at 10% to include payroll, fiscal, human resources, data and executive office. Costs are allocated monthly based on direct costs and approved cost allocation plan. | \$ 11,810 |
| Total Budget | | \$135,118 |

MPZ Four Part Strategy

I. Data Driven
Community Needs
Assessment

4. Public Safety Measures

Crime Reduction

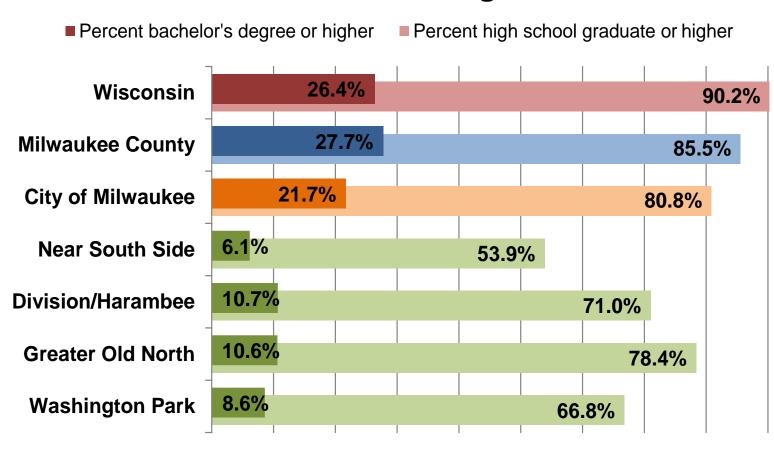
2. Enhancing Healthy Neighborhoods

3. Creation of Job and Increased Economic Activity



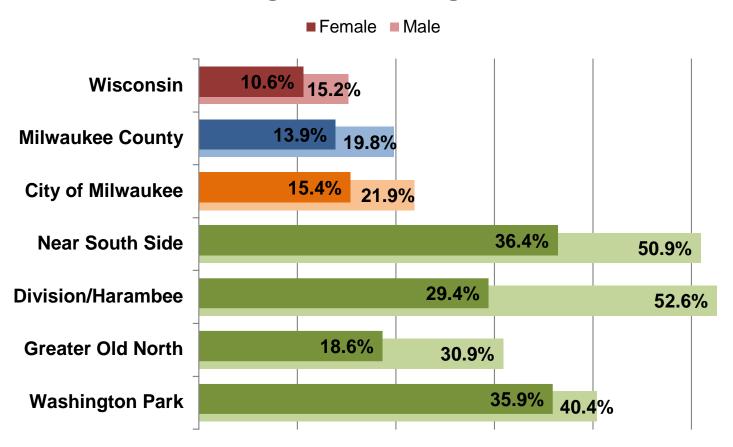
MPZ Educational Attainment

Educational Attainment, Age 25 and Over

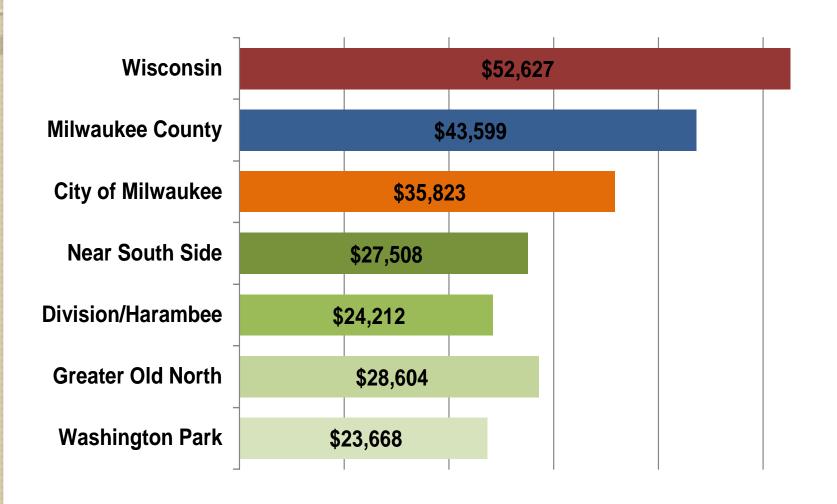


MPZ High School Disparity

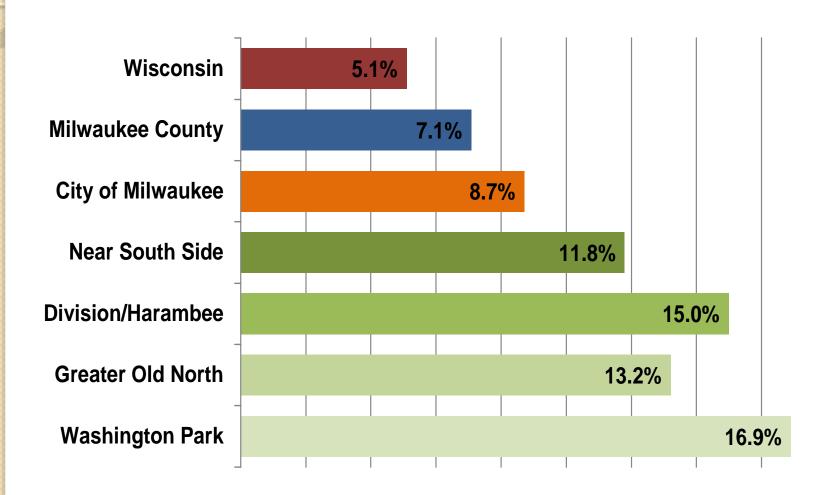
% of 18 to 24-Year-Olds with Less Than a High School Degree



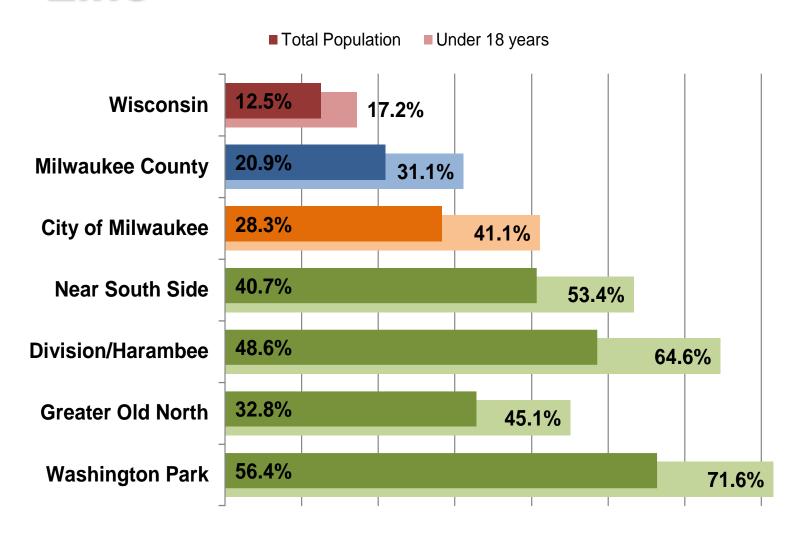
MPZ Median Household Income



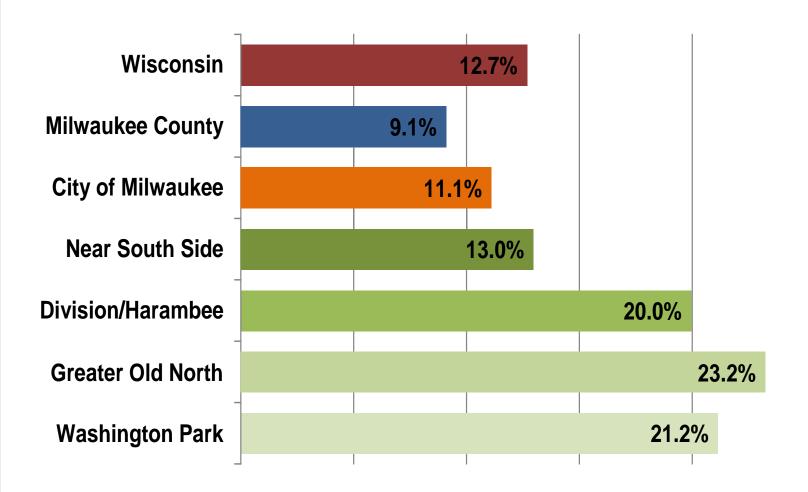
MPZ Percentage Unemployed, 16 years and Older



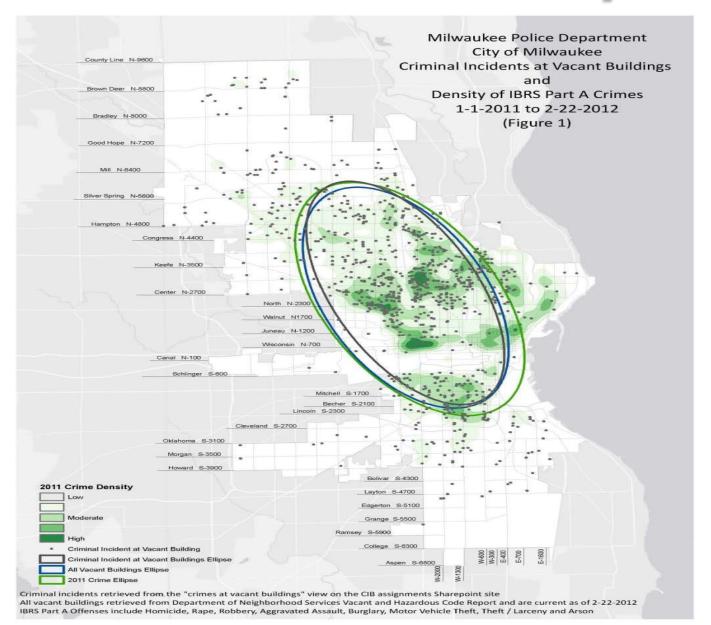
MPZ Percentage Below Poverty Line



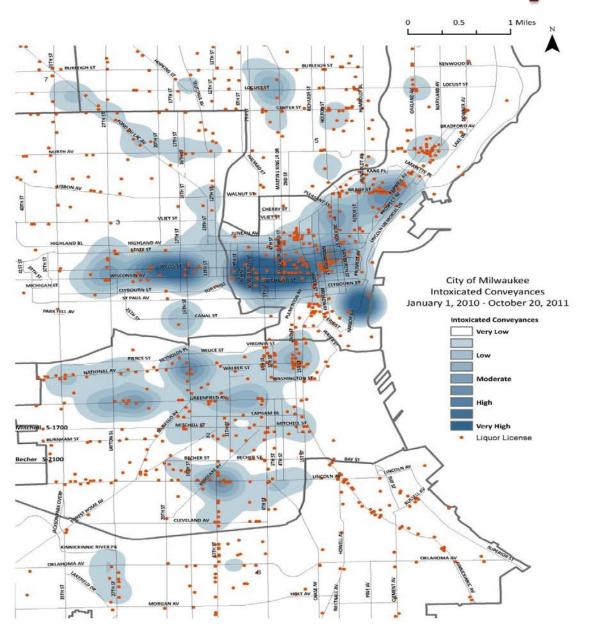
MPZ Vacant Housing Units

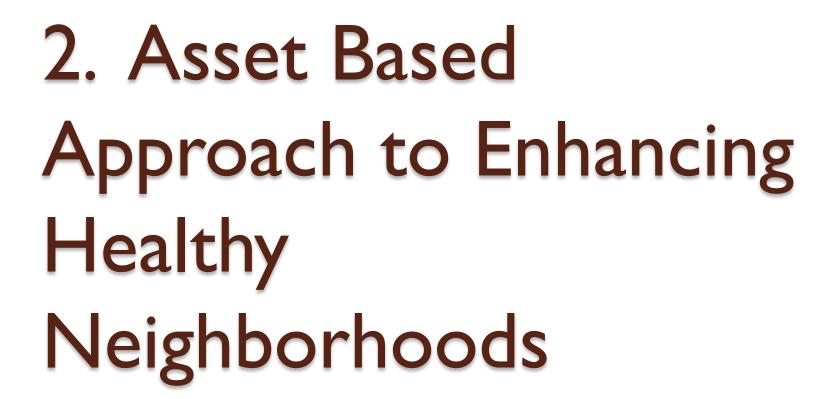


MPZ Criminal Activity

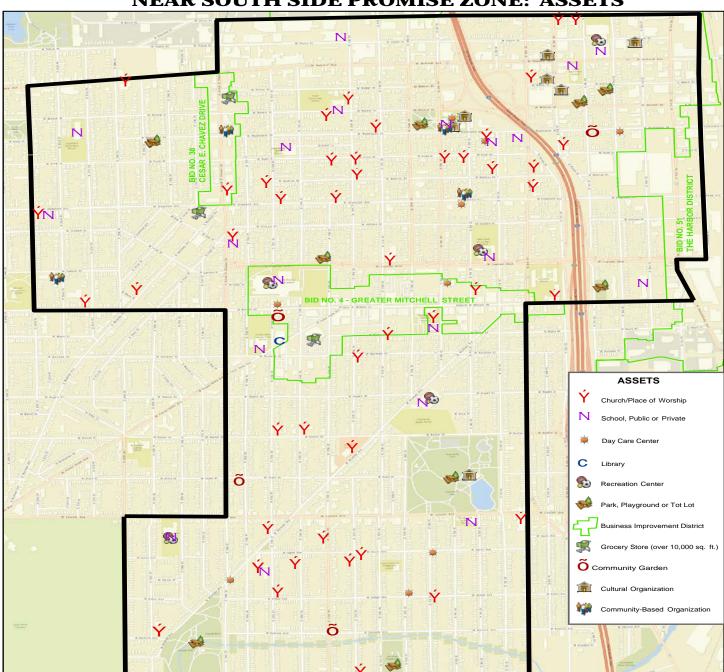


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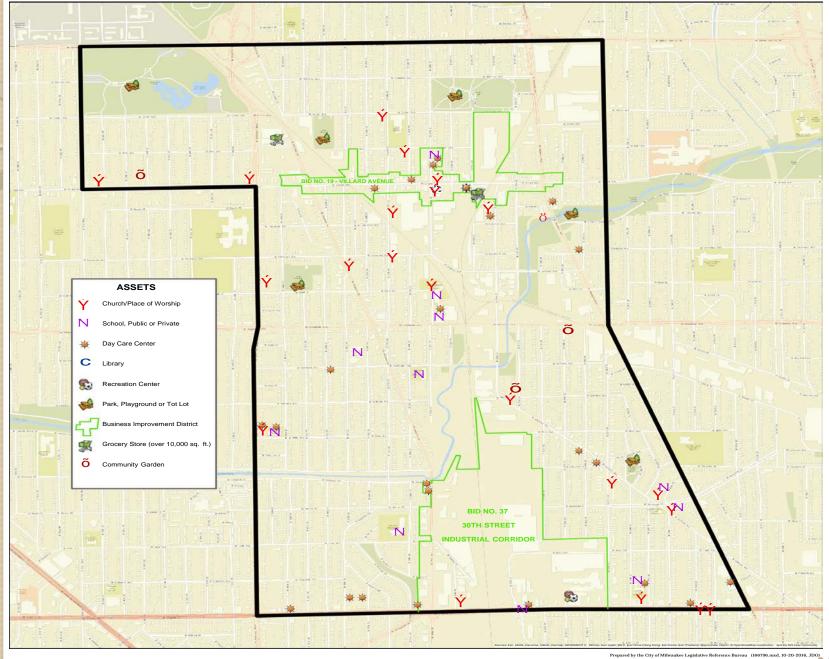


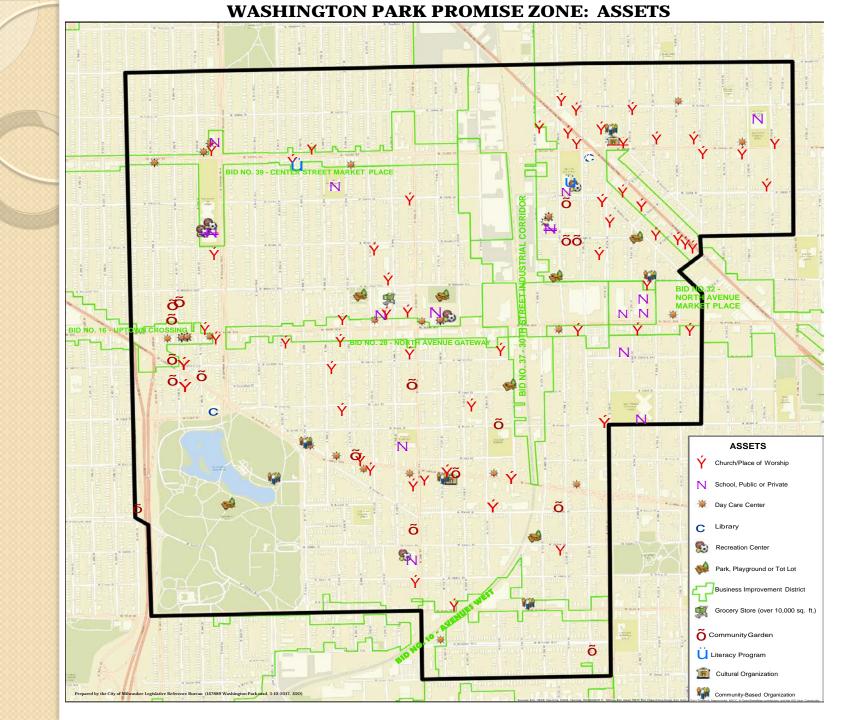


NEAR SOUTH SIDE PROMISE ZONE: ASSETS



GREATER OLD NORTH MILWAUKEE PROMISE ZONE: ASSETS





NORTH DIVISION/HARAMBEE PROMISE ZONE: ASSETS **ASSETS** Church/Place of Worship School, Public or Private Day Care Center С Library 8 Recreation Center Park, Playground or Tot Lot **Business Improvement District** Grocery Store (over 10,000 sq. ft.) Community Garden Cultural Organization Community-Based Organization õ õ Nõ **BID NO.32 - NORTH AVENUE** õ Prepared by the City of Milwaukee Legislative Reference Bureau (167889 North Division Harambee 2.mxd, 3-14-2017, JDO)



Evaluating Youth Job Placement

Milwaukee Promise Zones Goals: (1) Define Community Needs. Increase Concentration of Services. (2) Engage community in local job training and placement opportunities. (3) Improve outcomes for children and families. (3)

NEEDS

- STATEMENT
- Violent environment
- Lack of role models/ support
- Lack of employment opportunities
- Lack of socialemotional learning

Resilience:

- Strong community support
- Groundwork for collaboration is in place
- Replicating successful models
- Community values

INPUTS

Keeping The Promise SPA Funding

Volunteers

CDBG Funding

Staff FTE Allocation

Time

Technology/ Equipment

Partners/
Collaborators:

Employ Milwaukee

ATC

30th Street Corridor

West Care

United Methodist

SOC

McPyles McDonald

ACTIONABLE GOALS & OBJECTIVES

GOALS

Provide knowledge & mentoring to make successful transitions from school to career

Provide Job skills training & Career Enrichment

Provide violence prevention selfawareness and emotional intelligence classes

Matching youth with jobs

Evaluation and monitoring

OBJECTIVES

104 Youth Milwaukee will start summer work experience in 8-13 faith based worksites

Partner with 4 CBOS to facilitate career activities

Refer 70% of youth to EM's WIOA Program services after Summer job ends including sector-based internship opportunities

OUTCOMES

SHORT-TERM

Adolescents spend more time in valuebased work, community and/or school activities (less availability for negative actions)

Increase in adolescents' income and work experience

Increase in selfawareness skills (anger management, conflict resolution, etc.)

LONG-TERM

Improved commitment to school

Youth crime rates and arrests fall

Recidivism reduces

Reduction in unemployment among youth

Improved ability to maintain employment

Increased participation in community service

INDICATORS

<u>Process measures:</u> 1) income at baseline compared to when employed; 2) hours worked; 3) attendance at work; 4) attendance at self-awareness violence prevention sessions.

<u>Outcome measures:</u> 1) 75% of youth will show an increase of at least 10% in self-awareness skills when comparing pre- and post-surveys; 2) 75% of youth will demonstrate good attendance, defined as at least 90% of work & class hours; 3) 90% of youth completing programming will engage in non-violent activity during programming, defined as no arrests or suspensions; 4) Upon follow-up six months post-program, 75% of youth who completed programming will show no violence arrests or suspensions.

4.Public Safety Measures Crime Reduction

Milwaukee Police Department

Public Safety Measures.

- Commitment to crime reduction
- Byrne Grant Model
- 21st Century Community Centered Policing
- Increased Police presence
- Foot Patrols





