

Reading Is Fundamental Pittsburgh

*2023-2024 City of Pittsburgh STOP the
Violence Community Investment Grants*

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FollowUp Form

Question Group

Organization Name*

Please enter the name of your project/program in the box below.

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Based on the outcomes outlined in your STOP the Violence proposal and your submitted goal sheets, respond to the following prompts about your organizational/program activities from the time your organization or group received the grant funds through the first 60 days.

Violence Prevention Logos*

Did your group or organization use one of the Violence Prevention logos programming or marketing efforts?

Yes

LOGO USE*

If "yes", where did the logo(s) appear? Check all that apply.

Organization/Group Website

Printed Materials

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If you used a logo in printed materials, please upload a document in which it was used.

Neighborhood Community Time Calendar Summer 2024.pdf

Community Engagement*

Did your organization or group attend any community meetings related to your STOP the Violence grant work?

Yes

Public Safety Council*

Did your organization or group attend a meeting of your Police Zone's Public Safety Council?

No

Elected Officials*

Did your organization or group intentionally engage in any interaction with elected officials?

No

Interaction with Elected Officials*

If you answered "yes", did your organization/group document the interaction? If so, how?

Type "N/A" if your organization or group did not have any interactions.

N/A

City Training Events*

Did your organization or group participate in any training events organized by the City?

No

REACH Engagement*

Did your organization or group engaged with any REACH street outreach team members?

No

Engagement with Pittsburgh Police*

Did your organization or group intentionally engaged with any officers from the Pittsburgh Police?

No

Scheduled Interactions with Pittsburgh Police

Did your organization schedule any opportunities for participants to interact positively with the Pittsburgh Police?

No

Safer Together*

Did your organization or group engage in a conversation with your Zone's "SaferTogether" Coordinator?

No

Upcoming Events*

Is your organization or group planning an upcoming event, activity, or engagement that City representatives may participate in or publicize?

No

Upcoming Events -- Additional Information

If "yes", please provide a link to the information and/or upload any appropriate announcements/marketing materials.

PROGRESS*

Please provide an update on the progress of your program or project, as outlined in your proposal and goal sheets.

Since May, our Storymobile program has helped to provide more than 4,400 high-quality, culturally diverse books, resources and engaging storytimes to more than 2,100 children and families in our community, working upstream to help prevent violence.

IMPACT*

Please describe the impact of your program or project on violence in your neighborhood(s).

By promoting literacy, filling children's homes and classrooms with high-quality books, and offering at-risk youth more opportunities to engage in healthy, productive learning activities, RIF is helping to deter violence in our target neighborhoods.

Share Your Stories

Share any stories that illustrate your progress or significant milestones in your project, program, or organization.

Feel free to provide any links to social media posts or to upload flyers or other promotional materials.

2024 RIF Pittsburgh Pictures.pdf

Here is some of the positive feedback we have received from educators, parents and community members that speaks to RIF's role in providing safe, welcoming spaces for at-risk youth to learn, grow and explore together:

- "The Storymobile plays a big role in children reading and selecting books. It's a cool place to pick out books besides school and the library."- Teacher, Angel Academy JC
- "They are so excited when they know it's a Storymobile day! It is a great way to introduce them to the library too!"- Teacher, PPS Manchester
- A caregiver shared, "I really hope you guys realize how big of an impact you make with our family. The kids absolutely adore getting books and they love putting them in the book library when they're done... I know the teenagers and myself, especially myself, I can't thank you enough for giving me something to read."

File Attachment Summary

Applicant File Uploads

- Neighborhood Community Time Calendar Summer 2024.pdf
- 2024 RIF Pittsburgh Pictures.pdf

STORYMOBILE COMMUNITY TIME



NORTHSIDE

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
SUE MURRAY POOL	301 Cedar Ave	Monday 3-5	24th	8th, 22nd	5th, 19th
ALLEGHENY DWELLINGS	1710 Belleau	Tuesday 3-5 PM	18th	2nd, 16th, 30th	13th
NORTHVIEW HEIGHTS (UPPER)	Chicago St	Tuesday 3-5 PM	18th	2nd, 16th, 30th	13th
NORTHVIEW HEIGHTS (LOWER)	Penfort St	Tuesday 3-5	25th	9th, 23rd	6th, 20th
JEFFERSON REC CENTER	605 Redknap St	Wednesday 3-5 PM	26th	10th, 24th	7th, 21st
RIVERVIEW PARK	400 Riverview Ave	Thursday 3-5	20th	18th	1st, 15th

STORYMOBILE COMMUNITY TIME



HILL DISTRICT

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
AMMON REC CENTER	2217 Bedford Ave	Tuesday 3-5 PM	18th	2nd, 16th, 30th	13th
SKYLINE TERRACE	385 Elmore St	Wednesday 3-5 PM		3rd, 17th, 31st	14th
AUGUST WILSON PARK	1803 Cliff St	Wednesday 3-5 PM	26th	10th, 24th	7th, 21st
SALEM'S MARKET	1850 Centre Ave	Thursday 3-5 PM	20th, 27th	11th, 18th, 25th	1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd
OAK HILL	480 Oak Hill Dr	Thursday 3-5 PM	20th	18th	1st, 15th

STORYMOBILE COMMUNITY TIME



HOMEWOOD

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
PAULSON REC CENTER (LINCOLN- LEMINGTON)	1300 Paulson Ave	Monday 3-5 PM	17th	1st, 15th, 29th	12th
HOMEWOOD NORTH	1213 Mohler St	Tuesday 3-5 PM	25th	9th, 23rd	6th, 20th
EAST HILLS	2290 Wilner Dr	Wednesday 3-5 PM	26th	3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st	7th, 14th, 21st

STORYMOBILE COMMUNITY TIME



WILKINSBURG

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
PAULSON REC CENTER (LINCOLN- LEMINGTON)	1300 Paulson Ave	Monday 3-5 PM	17th	1st, 15th, 29th	12th
HOMewood NORTH	1213 Mohler St	Tuesday 3-5 PM	25th	9th, 23rd	6th, 20th
EAST HILLS	2290 Wilner Dr	Wednesday 3-5 PM	26th	3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st	7th, 14th, 21st

STORYMOBILE COMMUNITY TIME




EAST LIBERTY

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
GARFIELD COMMONS	242 Fern St	Monday 3-5 PM	17th	1st, 15th, 29th	12th
PAULSON REC CENTER (LINCOLN-LEMINGTON)	1300 Paulson Ave	Monday 3-5 PM	17th	1st, 15th, 29th	12th
HOMewood NORTH	1213 Mohler St	Tuesday 3-5 PM	25th	9th, 23rd	6th, 20th

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HAZELWOOD

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
BURGWIN SPRAY PARK	328 Mansion St	Monday 3-5 PM	17th	1st, 15th, 29th	12th
GLEN HAZEL	734 Johnston Ave	Wednesday 3-5 PM		3rd, 17th, 31st	14th

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SOUTHSIDE

LOCATION	ADDRESS	TIME	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
ORMSBY REC CENTER	79 S 22nd St	Tuesday 12:30-2:30 PM	25th	9th, 23rd	6th, 20th
ARLINGTON SPRAY PARK	1523 Fernleaf St	Thursday 12:30-2:30 PM	27th	11th, 25th	8th, 22nd
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS	3026 Arlington Ave	Thursday 3-5 PM	27th	11th, 25th	8th, 22nd



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