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MAYOR ANNOUNCES 2024 SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT **PROGRAM**

Offering students an opportunity to work in their community!

CALUMET CITY, IL – Mayor Thaddeus M. Jones has announced Calumet City's 2024 Summer Youth Employment Program. The program offers local students an opportunity to work in their community during the summer months beginning June 3, 2024, and ending September 6, 2024.

Students interested in applying for the program must meet the following requirements:

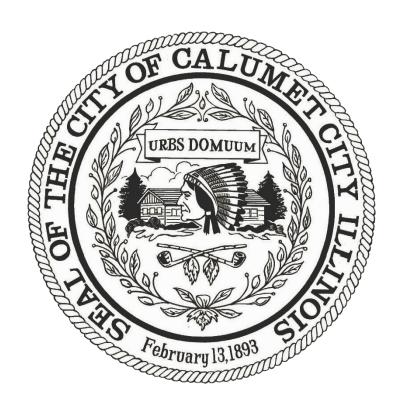
- 1. Must be a Calumet City resident
- 2. Must be sixteen (16) to twenty-one (21) years of age
- 3. Must have a current valid Illinois Driver's License or Illinois State identification card with a current Calumet City address
- 4. Must be enrolled in high school or college for the 2024-2025 school year
- 5. Must be able to do physical labor outdoors (shovel, sweep, paint, etc.)

Application packets are available online at www.calumetcity.org from April 29, 2024, through June 30, 2024. Applications must be returned, accompanied with a resume, a copy of your social security card, a copy of your school identification card, and a copy of your Illinois driver's license or Illinois State identification card, to City Hall, 204 Pulaski Road, by close of business on June 30, 2024.

The Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program begins June 3, 2024, and will last until September 6, 2024. Students will be paid \$15.00 per hour and will be required to report to the Department of Public Works Garage located at 1701 Dolton Road, Monday through Friday, for up to 20 hours a week. Work duties will include cleaning streets and alleys, painting curbs and hydrants, and other city beautification projects.

Information and application packets are available on the Calumet City website at www.calumetcity.org or please contact Personnel Director Deston Dorchack at (708) 891-8113 or ddorchack@calumetcity.org.

MAYOR THADDEUS M. JONES



2024 SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM POLICY

SUMMER 2024

"Studies have shown that youth who entered the work force at an early age are more successful as adult workers." – U.S. Conference of Mayors

PURPOSE

The purpose of this program is to provide work experience for Calumet City students 16 to 21 years of age who might not otherwise have the opportunity to find gainful summer employment, due to their studies. Additionally, this program will further instill a sense of community pride, accomplishment and belonging to the young people of our City.

POLICY

The City of Calumet City will utilize the Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program to further the City's beautification efforts by assigning community clean up teams throughout Calumet City. Through this Summer program, employed Calumet City Students will be introduced to the world of work, receive paychecks accordingly, and engage in what's certain to be a productive summer all the while contributing towards cleaner neighborhoods.

PROCEDURE

The City will employ up to forty (40) Calumet City students.

A. Requirements:

- 1. Must be a current Calumet City resident
- 2. Must be sixteen (16) to (21) years of age
- 3. Must be an active student (high school or college)
- 4. Must have a current valid Illinois Driver's License or State I.D.
- 5. Must be able to do physical labor outdoors (shovel, sweep, paint, etc.)

B. Program Information:

- 1. Nine (9) week program (2024 program begins June 3, 2024, through September 6, 2024).
- 2. Twenty (20) hour work weeks; \$15.00 per hour
- 3. Type of work includes cleaning streets and alleys, painting curbs and hydrants, picking up and removing debris
- 4. Location of work will vary throughout Calumet City