

# Youth Services Bureau FY 20/21 Budget Summary

## **Key Changes and Challenges**

- Replacement of ropes course lost in Storm Isaias.
- Replacement of 2 personnel in department.
- Pivoting to run programs under Covid safe guidelines for summer 2020.

## **FY 20/21 Highlights**

- Secured insurance and FEMA money to replace ropes course.
- Provided summer programs to over 200 students in the height of Covid.
- Secured over 200,000 in grant funds to provide employment, chronic absenteeism initiative, leadership development and restorative practices for youth in Stamford.
- Summer camp for middle school will operate at full capacity in 2021.
- The Mayors Youth Employment Program (MYEP) was awarded a Community Impact Grant with State Street to work with their executive team to review best practices and sustainability for the program.