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Subject: Re: Hoops 4 All - Chester Addison Community Center Proposal
Date: Monday, January 16, 2023 12:53:00 PM

Good afternoon everyone, Happy MLK Day. I hope all is well. Our organization Hoops 4 All & Young Athletes 4 Change would like to access this space Chester Addison to provide creative programming for our youth who are struggling in our communities with lack of activities, after school programs, mentorship programs and to keep them productive during after school hours. I hope that we all can work together and bring change to make this community center a thriving location.

Blessings!

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 13, 2023, at 5:30 PM, Christine Smyth
<christine@youngathletes4change.com> wrote:

Thank you Chief Shaw. Appreciate that.

On Fri, Jan 13, 2023 at 5:10 PM Shaw, Timothy <TShaw@stamfordct.gov>
wrote:

Christine, Thank you for the proposal. We (Stamford Police Activities League) now run the old Chester Addison Center and are a new non-profit and we are just starting to look into future athletic programs. We have a Board of Directors and I will bring up the proposal at the next meeting. The PAL initiative is supported by the city but it is not connected to the city as it is a stand alone non profit.

I added some of my staff on this email as future points of contact. I'll be away next week and will reach out after our next Board of Directors meeting. Thanks again and talk soon.

Respectfully, Chief T. Shaw

On Jan 13, 2023, at 3:59 PM, Christine Smyth
<chrismyth1971@gmail.com> wrote:

Hello,

Wilner Joseph and I recently took a tour of the Chester Addison Community Center. The center is a great space for the community and Hoops 4 All would like to enhance that space with our various community outreach programs. We feel we could be a value add to the space and the surrounding community. Our programs would be open to all but focus on the youth in our low to moderate income neighborhoods.

Please find attached our proposal for the space for your consideration.

Best regards,

Christine Smyth - Hoops 4 All Operations Director
Wilner Joseph - Hoops 4 All Founder & CEO

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