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MAYOR ANNOUNCES SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

Students offered opportunity to work in community.

CALUMET CITY, IL – Mayor Thaddeus M. Jones has announced Calumet City's Summer Youth Employment Program. The program offers local students an opportunity to work in their community during the summer months beginning Monday, June 5, 2023, and ending Friday, September 1, 2023.

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

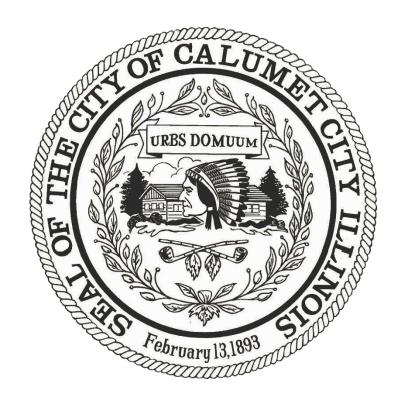
- 1. Must be a Calumet City resident
- 2. Must be sixteen (16) to twenty-one (21) years of age
- 3. Must have a valid Illinois driver's license or Illinois State identification card with a Calumet City address
- 4. Must be enrolled in high school or college for the 2022-2023 school year
- 5. Must be able to do physical labor outdoors (shovel, sweep, paint, etc.)

Application packets are available online at <u>Calumet City Summer Youth Employment Program</u> from Monday, May 1, 2023, through Thursday, June 1, 2023. **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 1, 2023.**

The Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program begins Monday, June 5, 2023, and will last until September 1, 2023. Students will be paid \$13 per hour and will be required to report to the Public Works Garage Monday through Friday, for up to 20 hours a week. Work duties will include cleaning of streets and alleys, painting of curbs and hydrants, and other city beautification projects.

Information and Application Packets are available at <u>Calumet City Summer Youth Employment</u>
Program

MAYOR THADDEUS M. JONES



YOUTH SUMMER EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM POLICY

SUMMER 2023

"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. This Summer Employment Students will be introduced to the world of work, receive a paycheck and a paycheck and a productive summer while local residents will see cleaner neighborhoods.

PROCEDURE

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

A. Requirements:

- 1. Must be a 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 valid Illinois driver's license or State I.D.
- 5. Must be able to do physical labor outdoors (shovel, sweep, pain, etc.)

B. Program Information

- 1. Thirteen (13) week program (2023 program begins June 5, 2023, through September 1, 2023).
- 2. Twenty (20) hours work week; \$13 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.