

CORONA CITY HALL - JULY 20 2021

Together we can empower tomorrow's community leaders



EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE

# Welcome to the Limitless Youth Leadership Forum

It takes great courage to face and overcome the challenges and trials of being a foster child. Being removed from your family is painful enough but surviving in insecure environments while in constant transition can be an overwhelming process.

Coupled with the upheavals of adolescence and statistics that work against them, many foster youth chart a perilous journey through to adulthood – often completely alone. In choosing to take part in the Limitless Youth Leadership Forum, you're showing our community's young people transitioning from foster care the power of a community that cares, connects and equips them as overcomers, bringing hope for a brighter tomorrow.

# Care and Support for Foster Youth Transitioning from Care to Adulthood

The Limitless Youth Leadership Forum is designed for high-school aged foster youth who are facing an imminent transition out of the foster care system. Many of these young people suffer with isolation, anxiety and depression developed after years of adversity; and they lack important life skills, safe connections and basic resources. Through hands-on learning opportunities, youth will discover their interests, build relationship and career skills, and develop connections to resources and community leaders that can assist them as they transition into adulthood. A Limitless Youth Scholarship Fund will be established to help qualified youth address barriers to wellbeing, education, housing and career opportunities.

"We live in a world in which we need to share responsibility. It's easy to say "it's not my child, not my community, not my world, not my problem." Then there are those who see the need and respond. I consider those people my heroes."

### **Embracing and Empowering Foster Youth**

With the participation of certified educators, mental health professionals, leading foster care agencies and nonprofit partners, business, faith leaders, and civic, state and county leaders, the one-day program helps youth come to realize their limitless worth and the vast network of caring, safe people and reliable resources they can access for support at a critical time in their lives. They also learn that the brokenness in their home lives was not their fault and despite extreme adversity, they can choose to be overcomers by developing healthy and permanent relationships with caring adults, building new skills, and accessing reliable resources and opportunities available to them to ensure their well-being and success. In the process, youth discover that they're not alone, they have limitless capacities, and that other young people face the same challenges and have overcome to achieve their dreams and lead happy, connected and fulfilling lives.

#### The hands-on learning sessions include:

- Personality styles
- Communication skills
- Resume, dress for success, interviewing and landing the job
- Discovering your passion: career tracks
- Leadership 101
- Speed Networking
- Mentoring as a pathway to success
- Lunch with Corona Police & Fire and other community leaders

## **Investing in Tomorrow's Leaders**

By fostering collaboration between agencies working with foster youth, the 2O21 Forum aims to inspire an annual event to invest in foster youth – our communities' future leaders. Additionally, each participant in the 2O21 Forum will have the opportunity to suggest a younger participant that they can support over the next year, accompanying to a potential 2O22 Limitless Youth Forum proposed to target middle-school aged foster children.



# Thanks to the City of Corona, the Forum will be held in City Hall in the Council Chambers on July 20 2021

This program is the 2021 community service project of the Executive Leadership Roundtable (ELR) Program of the Corona Chamber of Commerce. The purpose of the ELR is to prepare selected applicants for public service. For further information, visit https://bit.ly/2Rnb3re

### **Giving Opportunities**

#### Power sponsor \$5000

- Logo recognition at event and marketing materials
- · Logo featured on each title slide
- Visual and verbal recognition of company logo on event presentation
- Recognition in Corona Chamber's Business newspaper and e-newsletter, including special mention, stories & photos in postevent recap article
- · Social media recognition
- Promotion of your commercial video to social media

#### Elevate Sponsor \$1000

- Name recognition at event and marketing materials
- Shared visual recognition of company logo at ceremony
- Social media recognition

#### Challenge Sponsor \$2500

- Logo recognition at event and marketing materials
- Visual and verbal recognition of company logo on event presentation
- Recognition in Corona Chamber's Business newspaper and e-newsletter, including special mention, stories & photos in postevent recap article
- · Social media recognition

#### Student Scholarship \$500

- Sponsor one student for the cost of attendance to the forum
- Social media recognition

# Registration Form

Name:	City:
Organization:	State:
Address:	Zip:
	Phone number:
Donation amount \$	Email:
Credit card number:	Expiry date: CCV:
Make this an annual contribution	I would like to volunteer for the event

# **Donation Deadline 10 July 2021**

Donate online at www.givebigcorona.com (all gifts are tax deductible). Make checks payable to Corona Chamber Foundation, 904 E. 6 Street, Corona, CA 92879

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