All in! For children & youth
MAY 1-10, 2023
5:30 – 7:30 pm
DAVIS | WEST SACRAMENTO | WINTERS | ESPARTO | WOODLAND
AS YOU ARRIVE...

- Be sure to check in at the registration table
- If you require Spanish translation, notify the registration table.
- Enjoy dinner!
- You are welcome to sit at any open table
- Please introduce yourself to your table
As we get started...

- Stay engaged, present, and involved.
- Please refrain from devices or distractions for others.
- Listen with an open mind.
- Share the mic to create space for each person to contribute.
- Stay on topic according to what is planned.
- Use the **red dot** if you do not want to be used in photos
Yolo County is creating a Roadmap to the Future, and we need to hear from YOU!

Thank you for being here to provide input on how Yolo County should allocate the remaining $2.2 million in funding for children and youth.

Learn more at www.ycoe.org/roadmap.
PROGRAM SPEAKERS

County Supervisor
Jim Provenza

County Supervisor
Lucas Frerichs

County Superintendent
Garth Lewis
ROADMAP TO THE FUTURE PROJECT TEAM

• Children, Youth, and Families American Rescue Plan Workgroup
• YCOE Roadmap Steering Team
• Asset Mapping & Community Engagement by Concordia
• Project Management by Consero Solutions
• Needs Assessment & Community Engagement by Valley Vision
• Event Support by Community Event Co.
• Communications Support by Terry Koehne Communications
EVENT PROGRAM

- **5:30 PM**: Welcome & Dinner
- **5:45 PM**: Opening & Introductions
- **6:00 PM**: Needs Assessment
- **6:25 PM**: World Café Activity: Round 1
- **6:45 PM**: World Café Activity: Round 1
- **7:20 PM**: Report Outs & Closing Remarks
- **7:30 PM**: Adjournment
WELCOME

Yolo County Office of Education

Garth Lewis
County Superintendent of Schools
Purpose of all in! sessions

- **Continue** the strong community energy from the first round of All In! Sessions.
- **Inform** you on how your voice was integrated into the draft findings and recommendations.
- **Engage** you in refining and expanding key recommendations in the needs assessment.
- **Ask** you to help prioritize recommendations.
- **Inspire and motivate** you to stay tuned and stay engaged with this important work as we progress.
WELCOME

Jim Provenza
County Supervisor,
District 4
All In! for Children and Youth Session Recap

- 370 attended, 550 registered
- 80 Winters | 64 Esparto | 67 West Sacramento | 78 Davis | 80 Woodland
- 56 volunteers
The Roadmap to the Future is a long-term plan to help effectively coordinate the services, supports and services children, youth and families in Yolo County need to thrive.

Items to be delivered include:

- Asset maps
- Community online tool
- Youth development framework
- Community engagement process, and
Update on Asset Mapping

- Working to incorporate all revisions and requests from the first All In! Session into final maps
- Detailed summary of engagement sessions now on Roadmap website.
What if just by simply **being born in Yolo County** becomes an advantage for every child?

How does a community begin to **transform** itself for the benefit of its children?
We Need YOU to be all in!

- You **know** the services and supports that exist in the community.
- We **need** your input and information to inform gaps in the system that need to be addressed.
Purpose and Mission

For 28 years, Valley Vision has served as a trusted nonprofit civic leadership organization in the region, driven by a “triple bottom line” approach of co-equally advancing social equity, economic prosperity, and environmental sustainability, and with a proven record in bringing diverse groups together to develop long-term solutions to the region’s greatest problems. This history of civic leadership and engagement runs across local, regional and statewide platforms, and across sectors and disciplines.
Mentimeter
What is a Needs Assessment?

**Data and Statistics**
A collection of secondary quantitative data from readily available public sources, focused on youth aged zero to 24 with input from the Yolo County Office of Education

**Interviews and Small Groups**
Interviews centered around community partners’ perspectives on the current needs of youth, the state of youth services in the county

**Community Engagement**
The Needs Assessment themes will be shared with community members, and youth in Round 2 engagement meetings. Feedback and input will be utilized to improve and refine the final report.
Yolo County Needs Assessment Results so far

Data + Interviews + Youth Voice + Community Engagement Sessions

Five Key Themes
Key Countywide and Community Themes

- Accessible Youth Enrichment Activities
- Youth Services and Basic Needs
- Physical and Mental Health Support
- College and Career Readiness
- Accessible and Affordable Child Care
Most Requested Assets in Districts 2 and 4

Davis and Winters

- Youth Enrichment
- Youth Services and Basic Needs
- Physical and Mental Health
- College and Career Readiness
- Child Care
- Other

Graph showing the bar chart with the requested assets in Districts 2 and 4.
Conditions in Yolo County

Yolo county has a greater share of people under 24 than the state as a whole.
We need for affordable, safe gathering spaces outside of school, especially for LGBTQ accessible transportation is a challenge - we need more satellite services.

We should embed services and programs in schools - they are community assets!

We need free and low cost after school programs.
# Needed Increase in Accessible Youth Enrichment Activities

## What did Davis/Winters residents say?

- Teen center
- More/affordable summer programs
- Recreation programs for free or low cost
- Cultural/artistic classes
- Sports center
- Art for kids aged 0-5 yrs.
- Free tutoring
- Mentoring
- Staff to support programs
- Drivers ed
- Family rec center
- Summer camps that last more than a week

- Swimming classes and Community pools
- Indoor, air conditioned summer activities
- Childrens' science or play center
- ADA compliant playgrounds
- Life Skills and college readiness for teens
- Sports field
- Community pool
- Early learning program
- After school counseling
Yolo County is doing worse compared to California in:
- Total poverty rate
- Median household income
- Home ownership rate

Yolo County is doing better compared to California in:
- Poverty rate for those under 18

Davis has unique socioeconomic differences due to UC Davis, with low homeownership and high poverty despite a highly educated population.
Youth Services and Basic Needs

Community Partners Say...

- We need stronger outreach and support for struggling youth.
- We need trusted liaisons to help youth connect to services.
- There is a high need for flexible funding to fill in the gaps for basic needs.
- Urban and rural communities have unequal access to resources.
- We need an ongoing lead to continue collaboration efforts.
Youth Services and Basic Needs

What did Davis/Winters residents say?

Top Themes in this category

- Transportation
- Affordable housing
- Access to healthy, affordable food
- Low income health clinics
- Need support for families in addition to youth

We need low income clinics for vision, dental, and health

Need accessible transportation outside of school hours

Affordable housing is a key issue, especially for transition age youth

Need access to healthy, affordable food
Yolo County has a high rate of uninsured youth aged 19 to 25, particularly in West Sacramento, Winters, and Woodland.

Davis' highest rate of uninsured is for those under 6 (8%).
Physical and Mental Health Support

Community Partners Say...

- Family support services are needed in addition to direct services for youth
- Need accessible, multilingual mental and physical healthcare [Davis & Esparto]
- Need support for affordable housing
- Need more culturally responsive and ESL support for youth and parents
Physical and Mental Health Support

Davis/Winters residents say we need....

- Mental health services for youth in general
- Mental health services specifically in schools
- Health services such as vision, dental, pediatrics, orthodontics, drug and alcohol treatment
- Support for families and parents
- Special education services
- Suicide prevention and transgender and LGBTQ services
- Services for foster youth
- Mental health services for youth on Medi-Cal
- Early assessments
College and Career Readiness

Conditions in Yolo County

- Yolo County has a lower percentage of college-educated residents and lower youth graduation rates compared to the state average.

- The majority of jobs are in the service industry, which pays less and typically requires less education.

- Yolo County has below-average college attendance and completion rates.

Davis as an Outlier

- Davis has a higher educational attainment rate, a high median income, fewer free or reduced lunch, and fewer suspensions than the rest of Yolo County.
Youth need to work to help support their families

Foster & youth transitioning into adulthood need employment support

Community Partners Say...

Workforce development is key, especially for folks from diverse backgrounds and cultures

Youth need to work to help support their families

Limited funding available to provide work-based learning opportunities
College and Career Readiness

Davis/Winters residents say we need....

- Technology center/computer lab
- Youth career center
- Classes and locations for college exams
- Post-secondary, Trade and Career Tech Ed for every young adult
- Trade worker role models
- More jobs
- Classes in work skills, job preparedness, life skills, fiscal literacy
- Mentorship
- Internship opportunities
- Student work program
Accessible and Affordable Child Care

Conditions in Yolo County

- Child care is unaffordable for lower-wage earning families
- There are not enough subsidized childcare slots for both infants and school-aged children (ages five to 12)
- We need over 10,000 additional slots to meet county requirements for needed childcare slots for working parents eligible for subsidies
Community Partners Say...

Affordable or subsidized child care is often not available to parents due to qualifying income thresholds.

Lack of child care slots prevents parents from going back to work.

Support for quality child care instruction and diverse teachers.

There is an increased need for infant care along with overall capacity challenges.
Accessible and Affordable Childcare

Community partners and Davis/Winters residents say we need....

- Affordable childcare
- Infant care
- Babysitting for new parents
- Drop in care for parents with sick kids
- Free care before and after school
- City coordination of childcare resources
- Childcare in South Davis
- All day childcare
World Café Mixer
Mentimeter
Discussion Questions

1. Is there anything that you think is missing from the key themes when you think of what is needed to help youth be successful?
2. Of the key themes shared, what would you prioritize as the top need in your community? What makes you think so?
3. In response to the key theme that you saw as the highest priority, what types of actions or solutions do you think are needed? Share your ideas.
4. The Board of Supervisors will use this needs assessment to guide investments to support youth. What do you want them to know about your community as they make those decisions?
Share Your Thoughts
All in! for children and youth sessions

- 4 remaining sessions this week
  - May 2: West Sacramento
  - May 3: Winters
  - May 4: Esparto
  - May 10: Woodland

- Tell your friends to attend!
- More info at www.ycoe.org/roadmap
Coming Soon!

Roadmap to the Future Newsletter

April 2023
370 Community Members Participate in “All In! for Children and Youth” Sessions

Community Engagement Sessions Help to Inform Asset Mapping Process

Nearly 400 stakeholders and community members participated recently in one of five sessions throughout Yolo County, and each session was bursting with optimism and creative energy! The purpose of the All In! for Children and Youth sessions was for the community to give their thoughts and ideas regarding services and resources that may or may not exist in our county, cities and neighborhoods, but are necessary in order for us to build a strong, healthy community where children and youth can thrive.
UPCOMING EVENTS

- More information on back of agenda
- Whole Child Equity Summit, May 11, 8:30-4:00 pm
- Transition Age Youth Resource Collaboration, May 19, 10 am-noon
- Early Learning Summit, June 14, 8:30 am-noon
I'M ALL IN!
FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH IN YOLO COUNTY
Thank You and Call to Action