

New Vision Youth & Community Services

"Empowering Youth. Strengthening Families. Transforming Communities."

2026–2027 Sponsorship & Community Partnership Packet

Investing in the Future of Our Community

Milledgeville, Georgia • Baldwin County & Surrounding Communities

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A Letter from Our Leadership

Dear Friend, Neighbor, and Prospective Partner,

On behalf of the entire team at **New Vision Youth & Community Services**, we welcome you with grateful hearts and open hands. Every day, we have the profound privilege of walking alongside the young people and families of Milledgeville and Baldwin County — young people who carry enormous potential and deserve every opportunity to discover it. This packet represents not just an invitation to give, but an invitation to *belong* to something far greater than any single organization: a movement of neighbors choosing to invest in one another.

The challenges facing our youth are real — poverty, educational gaps, limited access to safe spaces, and the mounting weight of stress and uncertainty that too many children carry before they are old enough to name it. But so is the power of a caring community that decides to show up. We have seen firsthand what happens when a young person is mentored, supported, and believed in: they flourish. They graduate. They come back and give back. That cycle of transformation is exactly what New Vision exists to spark, and it is *your* partnership that makes it possible.

Whether you are considering a financial gift, a corporate sponsorship, an in-kind donation, or the gift of your time and talent, we want you to know that your investment is received with deep gratitude and fierce intentionality. Every dollar is stewarded carefully. Every volunteer hour is multiplied. And every act of generosity sends a message to our youth that says: *"You matter. We see you. We are not going anywhere."* We invite you to read on, to dream with us, and to take the next step toward partnership. Together, we are building a new vision for our community — and we are so glad you are here.

With gratitude and expectation,

The Leadership Team

New Vision Youth & Community Services

Milledgeville, Georgia

Who We Are — Mission & Vision

Our Mission

New Vision Youth & Community Services exists to **empower at-risk youth, strengthen families, and build resilient communities** through education, mentorship, wraparound support, and holistic services tailored to the real needs of Milledgeville, Baldwin County, and the surrounding Central Georgia region.

Our Vision

“A community where every young person has the resources, support, and opportunity to thrive.”

About Us

Founded in Milledgeville, Georgia, New Vision Youth & Community Services was born out of a recognition that the gap between a young person’s circumstances and their God-given potential does not have to be permanent — not when a community steps in. Since our founding, we have grown from a grassroots effort into a structured, community-centered nonprofit providing a comprehensive continuum of care for youth and families across Baldwin County. We are fiercely local, deeply relational, and unapologetically committed to the long game of community transformation.

Our Core Values

COMPASSION

INTEGRITY

EMPOWERMENT

COLLABORATION

EXCELLENCE

Service Area

We primarily serve Milledgeville and Baldwin County, Georgia, with outreach extending to Hancock, Putnam, and Jones Counties. Our programs are designed to meet youth and families where they are — in schools, neighborhoods, community centers, and homes throughout the region.

SECTION 3

The Need — Why It Matters

Understanding the need is not about dwelling in despair — it is about seeing clearly so we can act boldly. The young people of Baldwin County are navigating extraordinary challenges that demand an extraordinary community response.

Youth Poverty in Our Region

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, approximately **21.7% of Baldwin County residents live below the federal poverty line** — a rate significantly higher than the national average of roughly 12.5%. For children and youth, the impact is compounding: poverty limits access to nutritious food, stable housing, quality childcare, educational enrichment, and the kind of consistent adult support that every child needs to develop into a healthy, thriving adult. In a single county, over **2,100 children under the age of 18** are currently estimated to live in poverty — each one representing a family under pressure and a future that hangs in the balance.

Educational Achievement Gaps & Dropout Risk

Youth in poverty face dramatic educational disadvantages. Nationally, students from low-income households are five times more likely to drop out of high school than their more affluent peers. In Georgia, students who fall behind in reading by the third grade are four times less likely to graduate on

time. Without intervention, these gaps compound year after year — limiting college access, career opportunity, and lifetime earning potential. The cost of a dropout to society is estimated at over **\$272,000** in lost tax revenue and increased social services over a lifetime. Early, sustained intervention changes that trajectory entirely.

Mental Health Challenges Among Youth & Families

The youth mental health crisis is no longer a distant headline — it is present in our classrooms, our neighborhoods, and our homes. Nationally, **1 in 5 children** experience a mental health disorder each year, yet fewer than half receive any form of treatment. In rural Georgia communities like ours, the shortage of mental health providers is acute, with many families traveling long distances or simply going without care. Untreated mental health challenges are strongly correlated with school dropout, substance use, juvenile justice involvement, and family instability — creating cycles that span generations.

The Afterschool Gap

The hours between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. represent the highest-risk window for juvenile crime, substance experimentation, and unsupervised behavior. In Georgia, **nearly 4 in 5 children who want an afterschool program do not have access to one**. Statewide, over 853,000 children are not enrolled in afterschool programs despite their parents wanting one for them — with cost, transportation, and availability cited as the top barriers. In underserved rural counties, this gap is even wider. Safe, structured afterschool programming is not a luxury. It is a lifeline.

“The most dangerous time in a child’s day is the hour after school ends. The most powerful investment a community can make is ensuring that time is filled with mentorship, learning, and belonging — not risk.”

— New Vision Youth & Community Services Leadership

The Critical Window — and the Long-Term Payoff

Research consistently shows that investments in youth aged 5–24 yield some of the highest returns in all of public and philanthropic spending. Quality youth programming reduces juvenile crime, improves graduation rates, increases workforce participation, and strengthens the overall economic health of a community. Every **\$1 invested in high-quality youth services returns an estimated \$7–\$12** in reduced social costs and increased productivity over a lifetime. When we invest in the young people of Baldwin County today, we are literally building the community we will all live in tomorrow.

SECTION 4

What We Do — Programs & Services

New Vision takes a **holistic, wrap-around approach** to youth and family development. Our programs are interconnected by design, ensuring that no young person or family falls through the cracks. Below is an overview of our core program areas:

Youth Mentorship Program

Our flagship mentorship initiative connects young people ages 8–21 with trained, caring adult mentors through both one-on-one and group mentoring models. Mentors provide consistent, positive relationships that serve as anchors for youth navigating difficult circumstances — offering guidance, encouragement, accountability, and a vision for what is possible. Structured match activities, milestone celebrations, and mentor training ensure the quality and safety of every relationship.

◆ Educational Support & Tutoring

Academic achievement begins with access. Our educational support program provides free homework help, one-on-one and small-group tutoring, literacy development resources, and standardized test preparation for youth from elementary through high school. We partner with local educators and volunteers to close learning gaps and build the academic confidence that unlocks lifelong opportunity. We also support youth pursuing their GED and post-secondary enrollment pathways.

◆ Life Skills & Leadership Development

The skills that lead to a successful adult life — financial literacy, conflict resolution, communication, goal-setting, civic responsibility, and career exploration — are not always taught in classrooms. Our Life Skills & Leadership program delivers engaging workshops and experiential learning experiences that equip youth with real-world tools they can use immediately and carry into adulthood. Youth voice and leadership are centered throughout, building confidence alongside competence.

◆ Family Strengthening Services

We know that a child cannot fully thrive unless their family is stable and supported. Our Family Strengthening Services connect parents and caregivers with resources including utility and food assistance referrals, parenting workshops, crisis navigation support, and linkages to community partners in housing, legal aid, and workforce development. We approach every family with dignity, believing that parents are the first and most important influence in any child's life.

◆Community Outreach & Events

Building community requires showing up in the community. New Vision hosts and participates in a robust calendar of outreach events including annual back-to-school drives (distributing backpacks and supplies to hundreds of students), holiday giving initiatives, health and wellness fairs, neighborhood cookouts, and community resource expos. These events open doors, build trust, and ensure that families who need support know we exist and are ready to walk alongside them.

◆Mental Health & Wellness Support

Recognizing that whole-person wellness is inseparable from academic and social success, we maintain active referral partnerships with licensed mental health providers, school counselors, and community health organizations throughout Baldwin County. We provide trauma-informed programming, stress management workshops, and youth wellness activities that normalize mental health conversations and reduce stigma. No young person in our care is left without a pathway to professional support.

◆Summer Enrichment Programs

Summer learning loss disproportionately impacts children from lower-income households, widening the achievement gap with every passing summer. Our Summer Enrichment Programs provide a structured, engaging, and joyful environment where youth can continue learning, explore new interests, build friendships, and remain connected to caring adults throughout the summer months. Activities include STEM exploration, arts, athletics, college and career visits, and community service projects that build civic identity and pride.

Impact Highlights — Our Work in Numbers

The following figures represent the cumulative, illustrative scope of impact New Vision delivers annually across its programs and services. These numbers represent real young people, real families, and a real community being transformed.



Stories of Impact

The following stories are illustrative composites representing the real experiences of youth and families served by New Vision Youth & Community Services. First names have been changed to protect privacy.

"I used to hate school. Like, really hate it. I didn't think I was smart enough — nobody had ever told me I was. Then I started coming to New Vision for tutoring, and Mr. D became my mentor. He showed up every single week. He helped me with math, but he also just... talked to me. Like I mattered. I made the honor roll for the first time in seventh grade. I cried. He cried too. I want to go to college now. I think I actually can."

— **M, Age 14, Youth Mentorship & Educational Support Participant**

(Composite representative story. Name changed.)

"We were going through so much. My husband lost his job, and I didn't know where to turn. New Vision didn't just help my kids — they helped us as a whole family. They connected me to resources I didn't even know existed. They gave my kids backpacks and school supplies at the drive, and one of the staff members sat with me and just listened. I felt less alone for the first time in a long time. My children are doing so much better now because our family is more stable. That's because of New Vision."

— Denise, Mother of Three, Family Strengthening Services Participant

(Composite representative story. Name changed.)

"I signed up to volunteer thinking I would give a little time. What I didn't expect was to receive so much in return. These kids are brilliant, resilient, and hungry for someone to believe in them. Volunteering at New Vision has honestly changed the way I see my community. I've seen a young man who could barely make eye contact become a confident public speaker. I recruit everyone I know to come volunteer. This organization is the real deal."

— James, Community Volunteer & Business Partner, Milledgeville, GA

(Composite representative story. Name changed.)

The Ripple Effect of Youth Investment

The impact of investing in a young person does not stop with that individual. When a child graduates from high school, they are more likely to raise children who graduate. When a youth learns financial literacy, that knowledge is passed to their household and eventually to the next generation. When a family is stabilized, the neighborhood benefits — in reduced crime, increased civic participation, and greater economic activity. New Vision's work creates **generational change**: each young person we serve becomes an agent of transformation in their own right. The investment you make today will ripple outward for decades — into classrooms, homes, churches, businesses, and the public life of our entire region.

Sponsorship Levels — Partnership Opportunities

We are proud to offer a tiered partnership structure that allows organizations of every size to participate meaningfully in our mission. All sponsorships are **tax-deductible** and come with a personalized acknowledgment letter for your records. We are delighted to customize partnership arrangements to maximize mutual benefit — please contact us to discuss your goals.

★ PLATINUM — VISION CHAMPION | \$10,000+

Vision Champion Partner \$10,000 or more annually

Our highest level of partnership, reserved for visionary organizations committed to leading transformational change in our community.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: Premier logo placement on website (homepage), all print materials, banners, and event signage Named program or event sponsorship opportunity (e.g., “[Your Name] Youth Mentorship Program”) **Speaking opportunity** at New Vision’s Annual Community Partnership Gala Personalized Donor Wall of Honor recognition (physical & digital) Dedicated banner recognition at all major New Vision events VIP/priority seating for up to 10 guests at all New Vision events & gala Featured social media spotlight (monthly, across all platforms) Recognition in all e-newsletters and the annual report Personalized comprehensive impact report (semi-annual) Framed Certificate of Community Partnership (Premium) Dedicated thank-you letter with IRS 501(c)(3) acknowledgment Invitation to exclusive site visits and program tours Quarterly personal updates from organizational leadership Tax-deductible donation acknowledgment letter

★ GOLD — COMMUNITY CORNERSTONE | \$5,000

Community Cornerstone Partner \$5,000 annually

A cornerstone-level investment that positions your organization as a visible, respected pillar of community transformation.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: Logo placement on website, print materials, and event signage Named event or initiative sponsorship opportunity Donor Wall of Honor recognition (physical & digital) VIP/priority seating for up to 6 guests at all New Vision events & gala Featured social media spotlight (bi-monthly) Recognition in all e-newsletters and annual report Personalized impact report (quarterly) Framed Certificate of Community Partnership Dedicated thank-you letter with IRS 501(c)(3) acknowledgment Invitation to program events and site visits Quarterly leadership updates Tax-deductible donation acknowledgment letter

◆ SILVER — FUTURE BUILDER | \$2,500

**Future Builder
Partner \$2,500**

annually Your investment at this level builds the practical infrastructure that keeps our programs running and expanding.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: Logo placement on website and select print materials Recognition at all New Vision events VIP/priority seating for up to 4 guests at events & gala Social media feature (quarterly) Recognition in e-newsletters and annual report Personalized impact report (semi-annual) Certificate of Community Partnership Dedicated thank-you letter with IRS 501(c)(3) acknowledgment Invitation to select program events Tax-deductible donation acknowledgment letter

● BRONZE — HOPE PARTNER | \$1,000

Hope Partner \$1,000

annually A meaningful investment that directly funds programming and puts hope within reach for young people and families in our community.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: Name/logo recognition on website and event programs Recognition at major New Vision events Social media feature (bi-annual) Recognition in e-newsletters and annual report Annual impact report Certificate of Community Partnership Dedicated thank-you letter with IRS 501(c)(3) acknowledgment Tax-deductible donation acknowledgment letter

◆ COMMUNITY — COMMUNITY FRIEND | \$500

Community Friend \$500

annually A community-spirited gift that demonstrates commitment to the young people and families right here in our own backyard.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: Name recognition on website supporter page Recognition in e-newsletter and annual report Social media mention Annual impact update Certificate of Community Partnership Thank-you letter with IRS 501(c)(3) acknowledgment Tax-deductible donation acknowledgment letter

◆ SUPPORTER — YOUTH SUPPORTER | \$250

Youth Supporter \$250 annually

Every gift matters. At this level, your name joins a growing roster of community members who believe in a brighter future for our youth.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: Name recognition on website supporter listing Recognition in annual report Annual impact update Thank-you letter with IRS 501(c)(3) acknowledgment Tax-deductible donation acknowledgment letter

Individual & Planned Giving Opportunities

Generosity takes many forms. Whether you are an individual who wants to give today, a family planning a meaningful legacy, or an employer looking to amplify the giving of your team — there is a place for you at New Vision. We are grateful for every gift at every level.

Giving Type	Description
One-Time Gift	Make an immediate impact with a one-time gift of any amount. Whether \$25 or \$25,000, your gift goes directly to programming, services, and youth support. Every dollar is accounted for and celebrated.
Monthly Sustaining Gift	Recurring giving is the foundation of organizational stability. A monthly sustaining gift ensures we can plan ahead, hire quality staff, and never turn a youth away. Suggested levels: \$25/month provides school supplies for one student for a year; \$50/month covers tutoring materials and resources for two youth monthly; \$100/month helps fund a mentor match and program activities for an entire quarter.
Designated / Directed Giving	Passionate about a specific cause? You may direct your gift to fund a particular program or initiative — such as the Summer Enrichment Program, Back-to-School Drive, or Youth Mentorship. We honor all directed gifts with transparent reporting on how your dollars were used.
Matching Gifts	Many employers match charitable donations made by their employees, effectively doubling or even tripling your gift at no extra cost to you. Check with your HR department to find out if your employer participates in a matching gift program and let us know — we will provide all required documentation.
Memorial & Tribute Gifts	Honor the memory of a loved one, or celebrate a birthday, anniversary, or milestone by making a gift in someone's name. We will send a personalized acknowledgment to your honoree or their family and recognize the tribute in our communications. A tribute gift is a lasting way to connect the legacy of someone you love to the future of our community.
Planned Giving / Legacy Giving	Leave a lasting legacy by including New Vision Youth & Community Services in your estate plan. A bequest — whether a percentage of your estate, a specific dollar amount, or a residuary gift — ensures that the mission you believe in continues for generations to come. We encourage you to speak with your estate planning attorney about how a legacy gift can reduce your estate's tax burden while creating lasting impact.

Giving Type	Description
Crowdfunding & Peer-to-Peer	Harness the power of your personal network! Create or participate in a peer-to-peer fundraising campaign on behalf of New Vision. Whether it's a birthday fundraiser, a community challenge, or a themed giving campaign, your social influence can raise awareness and resources far beyond what any individual gift can achieve. Contact us to get campaign materials and support.

★ What Your Gift Does — Dollar-for-Dollar Impact

Your Gift Makes This Possible

\$25— Provides a backpack and a full set of school supplies for one student heading back to school

\$50— Funds two weeks of tutoring sessions and educational materials for a student at risk of falling behind

\$100 —Supports a youth through one month of mentorship activities, including mentor training and match programming

\$250—Funds a life skills workshop for a group of 15–20 youth, including materials, facilitator support, and refreshments

\$500—Covers the cost of a full community outreach event, including supplies, food, and resource tables serving 50+ families

\$1,000—Funds a full month of Summer Enrichment programming for up to 25 youth, including learning activities, meals, and field experiences

In-Kind Support & Volunteer Opportunities

Your generosity does not have to come in the form of a check. New Vision gratefully accepts in-kind donations of goods, services, and time — all of which are equally vital to our work and our community. All in-kind contributions are acknowledged and may be tax-deductible at fair market value (please consult your tax advisor).

In-Kind Giving Categories

Item / Category	How It Helps
School Supplies & Backpacks	Donated at back-to-school drives and distributed year-round to students in need. One of our highest-volume needs annually.
Hygiene & Personal Care Items	Shampoo, soap, toothbrushes, deodorant, feminine products, and other essentials distributed through family resource events and directly to families in crisis.
Clothing & Shoes (Youth Sizes)	New or gently used clothing items for children and teens. Donated through our seasonal clothing drives and provided directly to families experiencing hardship.
Non-Perishable Food Items	Shelf-stable food items used to stock our resource pantry, distributed at community events, and shared with families facing food insecurity between programs.
Technology (Tablets, Laptops, Hotspots)	New or refurbished devices support our educational programs, homework help sessions, and enable youth to access online learning tools. Internet hotspots are especially critical for youth in areas with limited broadband access.
Professional Services	Donated legal, accounting, marketing, printing, photography, and other professional services significantly reduce overhead, allowing more of every dollar to reach programming. We welcome skilled professionals who want to give their expertise.

Item / Category	How It Helps
Event Space & Venue Donations	Churches, businesses, and civic organizations that donate meeting space, parking, or event venues make our community programming possible at a dramatically reduced cost.
Gift Cards & Incentive Items	Gift cards to local restaurants, grocery stores, and retailers serve as powerful incentives for youth milestone achievements, volunteer appreciation, and family resource distributions.

★ Our Current Wish List — Most-Needed Items

- Backpacks (all sizes, new preferred)
- Composition notebooks & lined paper
- Pencils, pens, highlighters, markers
- Scientific calculators
- Wireless earbuds / headphones
- Tablets or Chromebooks (any condition)
- Wi-Fi hotspot devices
- Deodorant & hygiene kits (youth sizes)
- Non-perishable snacks (individually wrapped)
- Grocery gift cards (\$10–\$50)
- Walmart/Target gift cards
- Gently used youth clothing (all sizes)
- New athletic shoes (youth sizes)
- Printer paper & ink cartridges

Volunteer Opportunities

Our volunteers are the heartbeat of New Vision. Whether you can give an hour a week or a full corporate volunteer day, there is a meaningful role waiting for you.

Volunteer Role	Description & Commitment
Mentors	Commit to a consistent, one-on-one relationship with a youth participant. Training provided. Minimum 1–2 hours per week for a 12-month match. One of our most impactful volunteer roles.
Tutors & Educators	Provide academic support in reading, math, science, or other subjects. Ideal for retired educators, college students, or any adult with a subject-area strength. Flexible scheduling available.
Event Volunteers	Help with setup, registration, distribution, activities, and breakdown at our community events. Event volunteering is a great entry point and requires no long-term commitment — perfect for groups.
Board & Advisory Roles	Experienced community leaders, business professionals, and advocates are invited to explore board service or advisory committee roles. These positions help guide organizational strategy, governance, and community connection.
Skills-Based Volunteers	Professionals in graphic design, web development, marketing, human resources, photography, videography, social media, or other skilled areas can donate their expertise on a project basis. These contributions have enormous organizational value.
Corporate Volunteer Days	Bring your whole team! We welcome corporate groups for coordinated volunteer days that include event setup, supply drives, beautification projects, and direct youth engagement. We will work with your team to design a meaningful, branded experience.

SECTION 9

Donor Benefits & Recognition Plan

At New Vision, we believe that **donor stewardship is a sacred responsibility**. Every person and organization that invests in our mission deserves to know they are valued, their gift is making a difference, and their partnership is celebrated. Below is our full recognition plan for all donors and partners:

Recognition Benefit	Description
Annual Community Partnership Recognition Gala	Our signature annual event celebrating donors, partners, volunteers, and the youth we serve. All active partners are recognized publicly. Higher-tier sponsors receive VIP seating, stage recognition, and speaking opportunities.
Donor Wall of Honor	A permanent, prominently displayed recognition of our Gold-level and above partners, maintained both physically at our facility and digitally on our website. Updated annually to reflect current partners.
Personalized Impact Reports	Donors at all levels receive a personalized impact report detailing how their investment was used, the outcomes achieved, and the specific youth or programs supported. Frequency varies by giving level (monthly, quarterly, or annual).
Monthly & Quarterly Donor Newsletters	All donors receive our e-newsletter featuring program updates, impact stories, upcoming events, and community news. This keeps you connected to the work your generosity makes possible.
Social Media Spotlights	We regularly feature our partners and donors on our social media platforms, highlighting their commitment to youth and community. Frequency and prominence scale with giving level. Co-branded content available for higher-tier partners.
Certificate of Community Partnership	A beautifully designed, organization-branded certificate presented to all partners recognizing their commitment to New Vision's mission. Suitable for framing and display in your place of business or worship.
IRS-Compliant Thank-You Letters	Every donor receives a written acknowledgment letter that meets IRS 501(c)(3) documentation requirements for charitable deduction purposes. Letters are issued promptly upon receipt of each gift.
Program Event & Site Visit Invitations	Partners are invited to visit our programs in action, attend milestone events, and meet the youth whose lives they are changing. These personal touchpoints bring the mission to life and deepen the donor relationship.
Annual Report Recognition	All partners are recognized in our year-end Annual Report & Impact Publication, which is distributed to community leaders, civic organizations, and media contacts throughout the region.

Community Outcomes & Long-Term Vision

We are not simply running programs. We are **building a community** — one where the outcomes data tells a story of transformation, and where the investment of today’s partners is visible in the success of tomorrow’s leaders. Here is how we measure our progress and where we are headed.

Measurable Outcomes We Work Toward

Outcome Area	Our Goal & Approach
High School Graduation Rates	We track graduation milestones for all youth in our mentorship and educational programs, working to ensure that every participant who enters our program progressing toward a diploma achieves that goal. Our targeted tutoring and mentorship directly combat the dropout risk factors of disengagement and academic failure.
Reduction in Juvenile Justice Involvement	Safe, structured after school and summer programming reduces the unsupervised hours during which young people are most vulnerable to negative peer influence and risky behavior. We partner with school counselors and community stakeholders to provide proactive intervention before crises occur.
Family Stability & Economic Wellbeing	By connecting families to resources, workforce development pathways, and community networks, we aim to reduce family crisis incidents and improve long-term economic stability. Stable families raise more confident, successful children.
Workforce Readiness & Post-Secondary Success	Our Life Skills and Leadership programming equips youth with competencies that employers and post-secondary institutions value: communication, responsibility, financial literacy, and goal-setting. We track college enrollment, vocational program participation,

Outcome Area	Our Goal & Approach
	and first-job attainment among program alumni.
Community Civic Engagement	Youth who experience positive community institutions grow into adults who support them. We are investing in the next generation of Baldwin County volunteers, business owners, civic leaders, and neighbors.

Three-Year Strategic Vision (2026–2029)

- **Program Expansion:** Grow annual youth served from 350+ to 600+, expanding educational support and mental health referral capacity and launching a dedicated young adult transition program (ages 18–24).
- **Facility Development:** Secure a permanent, dedicated program space in Milledgeville that serves as a safe, welcoming hub for youth, families, and community partners throughout the week.
- **Partnership Growth:** Expand our organizational partner network from 35+ to 60+ partners, including stronger ties to Baldwin County Schools, Georgia College, local healthcare providers, faith communities, and regional businesses.
- **Staffing & Sustainability:** Build a sustainable staffing model including dedicated program coordinators, a full-time development director, and a robust volunteer management system to reduce dependence on any single funding stream.
- **Data & Evaluation:** Implement a comprehensive outcomes tracking system to generate rigorous, evidence-based impact reports that inform programming decisions and strengthen grant applications.

The ROI of Investing in Youth

For every **\$1 invested in high-quality youth programming**, research suggests returns of **\$7 to \$12** in reduced social costs: lower juvenile justice expenditures, reduced reliance on public assistance, higher tax revenue from productive adults, and lower healthcare costs associated with poverty-related conditions. When the Milledgeville business community, faith community, and civic sector invest in New

Vision, they are not simply being generous — they are making one of the wisest economic investments available in this region.

*“Together, we are writing a new story for Milledgeville and Baldwin County—
one where no child is left without a mentor, no family is left without a lifeline,
and no young person’s potential is ever left unreached.”*

— New Vision Youth & Community Services

The Community Transformation Story We Are Writing

Milledgeville has always been a community of resilience, creativity, and deep-rooted strength. New Vision exists to ensure that every young person born into this community has access to the full inheritance of what it means to belong here — the history, the relationships, the resources, and the future. With your partnership, we will see graduation rates climb, families stabilize, young leaders emerge, and a community narrative shift from one of need to one of undeniable triumph. **That is the New Vision we are building. And it starts with you.**

SECTION 11

Join Us in Building a New Vision for Our Community

The young people of Milledgeville and Baldwin County are counting on neighbors like you to decide that their future is worth investing in. There has never been a better time. There is

no more important place than right here. And the role you play has never been more needed.

GIVE | VOLUNTEER | SPREAD THE WORD

Three Steps to Partnership

1. GIVE Choose a sponsorship level or giving option that is right for your organization or family. Complete the response form below or contact us directly to make your gift today.

2. VOLUNTEER Sign up to mentor, tutor, or serve at one of our events. Your time is one of the most valuable gifts you can give. We will train and support you every step of the way.

3. SHARE Tell your church, your civic club, your colleagues, and your neighbors about New Vision. Share our story on social media. Invite someone to a giving event. Be an ambassador for this mission.

Contact Us

New Vision Youth & Community Services

Location: Milledgeville, Georgia 31061 | Baldwin County

Phone: 404-884-1907

Email: programs@newvisionyouth.org

Website: www.newvisionyouth.org

Facebook:

Instagram:

LinkedIn:

◆Partnership Response & Commitment Form◆

Please complete and return to New Vision Youth & Community Services by mail, email, or in person.

Thank you for your partnership!

Full Name

Organization / Business / Church

Mailing Address

City, State, ZIP

Phone Number

Email Address

Sponsorship / Giving Level of Interest (please circle or check one)

☐ Vision Champion
(\$10,000+)

☐ Community
Cornerstone
(\$5,000)

☐ Future
Builder
(\$2,500)

☐ Hope
Partner
(\$1,000)

☐ Community
Friend
(\$500)

☐ Youth
Supporter
(\$250)

☐ Individual Gift
Amount:
\$ _____

☐ Monthly Sustaining Gift: \$ _____ / month

☐ In-Kind / Volunteer / Other: _____

How I Would Like to Help (check all that apply)

☐ Financial
Sponsorship

☐ Volunteer / Mentor

☐ In-Kind Donation

☐ Board / Advisory Role

☐ Event Volunteer

☐ Corporate Volunteer
Day

☐ Skills-Based
Volunteer

☐ Spread the Word /
Ambassador

Additional Comments, Questions, or Special Instructions

Return this form to: New Vision Youth & Community Services | Mail Address |
programs@newvisionyouth.org | 404-884-1907

A Heartfelt Word of Gratitude

*Thank you for taking the time to learn about New Vision Youth & Community Services and for considering a partnership with our mission. Whether your gift is large or small, your time is an hour or a year, your role is financial or relational — it matters. Deeply. Our youth will carry the impact of your investment forward into futures we cannot yet fully imagine. We are honored to have you alongside us in this work. **Together, we are building a New Vision.***

Tax-Deductibility Notice:

New Vision Youth & Community Services (dba New Vision Community Development INC) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. All donations are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law. No goods or services were provided in exchange for this contribution beyond those described in the applicable sponsorship benefits package. Please retain your letter of acknowledgment for your tax records.

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