

**Rainier Beach Action Coalition
Rainier Beach Five**



Organization: Rainier Beach Action Coalition (RBAC)

Project Name: Life Long Learning – Rainier Beach Five (funded by King County Best Starts for Kids Positive Young-adult Development Initiative)

Position Title: The Beach Fives

Reports to: Managing Strategist

Schedule: up to 20 hours per week, part-time employee

Compensation: \$20/hour

Description of Work

Under the supervision of the Managing Strategist, represent Rainier Beach Action Coalition in its efforts to support young-adult empowerment and leadership initiative, where young adult leaders learn-by-doing and lead by example. This is a citizen-led neighborhood service for young adults to leverage the neighborhood they come from.

Outcomes (performance level measures)

How much will we do?

- 2 weekly meetings/activities
- 2 RBAC partner outreach each week
- 1 weekly focus task

How well will we do it?

- 90% positive response from partners & contacted stakeholders
- 80% positive results following outreach and engagement efforts
- 100 resident/young-adult engaged over the year

Who will be better off?

- The Beach Fives:
 - Will be mentored and turned young-adult mentors themselves
 - Will Increase their ability & comfort navigating bureaucracy & accessing services

Products (Activities we are able to do)

- Attend Corner Greeter Planning Meetings and events
- Shadow RBAC strategist staff
- Support Social media campaign (FreedomNet)
- Attend on-going standing meeting with Beach Five team, debrief with staff afterwards
- Attend weekly training + hands on activities (draft letters, research issue, reach out to partners...)
- A self-determined agreed upon project for personal growth and development

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Essential Impact

- Belief in ability to succeed
- Positive social-emotional development
- Strong peer relationships
- Success beyond school or employment
- Young-adult live in supportive neighborhoods
- Young-adult who have an adult to turn to

Skills Required

- A friendly personality
- Ability to work under pressure
- Time-management skills – ability to manage and organize your time
- Deal with multiple young-adult and adult cultures while supporting a fun cultural diverse environment,
- Adaptability
- Need to be comfortable working in areas where violence and crime may occur - these are often places that the Beach Five will be working to improve the beautification of
- Awareness or ability to employ restorative justice principles

To Apply

Email cover letter, resume to gregory@rbactioncoalition.org, ATTN: Gregory Davis. Deadline is March 2, 2018

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