



STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

I, _____, agree to participate on the Lake County After School Coalition Advisory Board and support the vision, mission and goals of the Lake County After School Coalition by actively advocating for adequate after school programming in Illinois at the national, state and local level.

Vision

All Lake County youth will have access to quality after-school and youth development programs in Lake County based on each community's needs.

Mission

The Lake County After School Coalition will advocate and support the development and continuation of effective after-school programs, based on each individual community's needs that will empower all Lake County youth to learn and thrive.

Goal 1

Conduct a comprehensive needs assessment to establish community needs, gaps, and current after-school programs

Goal 2

Formalize a permanent organizational structure for the Coalition

Goal 3

Continue coalition building and partnering to maximize support and resources, including funding for after-school programs, which ensure a community wide commitment to youth development

Goal 4

Facilitate a process to ensure that participants are safe

Goal 5

Facilitate a process to develop and implement effective, engaging, and inclusive after-school programs

Goal 6

Facilitate a process for ongoing assessment and evaluation

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed Name/Title _____

Organization _____