## **GREAT FUTURES START HERE.**



## Pledge to our Youth

We, the undersigned, as representatives of the Staff and Board of Directors at the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell, make the following commitment to all youth in Greater Lowell, to do the following:

- Treat each and every young person that we encounter with respect and dignity without regard to their race, ethnic origin, abilities, religious/spiritual beliefs, sexual orientation, or gender identity/expression.
- Acknowledge the unlimited potential that each and every young person has to grow into a caring, productive adult.
- Listen and seek to understand your lived experiences without passing judgement.
- Provide resources and support to help you advocate for yourself when faced with any form of discrimination.
- Seek opportunities for you to understand how you can affect change in the community, and stand alongside you in solidarity as you do so.
- Advocate on your behalf if others aren't listening.
- Challenge anyone associated with the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell who displays attitudes of racism, or other forms of harassment or discrimination, including staff, vendors, board members, volunteers, partners and/or donors.
- Commit to educating ourselves on diversity, equity and inclusion, including annual anti-racist and anti-bias training, reflection and assessment.

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