



CHOOSE 180

CHOOSE 180 transforms systems of injustice and supports the young people who are too often impacted by these systems. We envision a future where youthful behavior is decriminalized and young people are offered restorative practices in lieu of traditional prosecution. In place of the school-to-prison pipeline, a community will exist to help young people realize their potential and provide them with the tools necessary to achieve their goals.

About CHOOSE 180 Happy Hours:

Gathering the community together to share about our work is critical for us. We need our community members to help broaden our reach, amplify our message, and help us raise the support we need to do this work long term.

Happy Hours are one way we can connect with our community, share our work, and invite interested friends and neighbors to join the journey toward justice for young people.

Format of CHOOSE 180 HHs:

- o A host convenes and shares why they're organizing this event, brief introductions
- o CHOOSE 180 representatives are introduced, offer information CHOOSE 180 programs and impact
- o Open for Q&A

What We Will Offer:

CHOOSE 180 HH Hosts will be provided with an invitation (and a Zoom link for virtual Happy Hours) to share with their community. A CHOOSE 180 staff member will be available at each Happy Hour event to do an introduction of our work and what's in store for the future. You provide the audience and location, and we provide the guest speaker! Happy Hours are a total of one hour.

I'm in! What's the Next Step?

Great! Email us with a few potential dates and times and we'll get back to you with the dates that work best for us. Then, you can start gathering your community!

Questions? Ready to host?

Please reach out to Cemal Ford, Director of Community Engagement: cford@choose180.org