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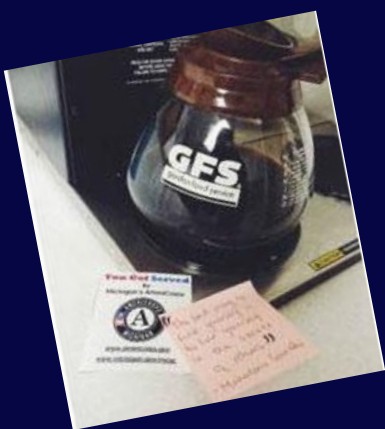
YOU GOT SERVED!

Michigan's AmeriCorps members will be taking to the streets of their local communities performing random acts of kindness. Here's how you can participate!

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STEP 1

Perform one or more random acts of kindness on your own or with a group of AmeriCorps members in your area. See the You Got Served ideas in the following sections or come up with your own idea!



STEP 2

Leave a You Got Served card with the person or group you performed the act of kindness toward. You may print a copy of the cards.



STEP 3

Share pictures of you performing your act of kindness with #MIACWeek and #MadeInAmeriCorps



YGS Note Card



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It's Michigan's AmeriCorps Week and we want to inspire others to practice kindness and pass it on.



SCAN ME

If you received this act of kindness, tell us about it!

www.surveymonkey.com/r/AC_YGS



#MIACWeek
www.americorps.gov
www.michigan.gov/mcsc

YGS Card

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Visit www.michigan.gov/mcsc for more information on AmeriCorps in the Mitten!

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SCAN ME

Did you receive an act of kindness? Tell us about it!

#MIACWeek

Be sure to like the Michigan's AmeriCorps Facebook page and follow @miamericorps on Twitter to follow the action!



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IDEAS FOR RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS



NO COST IDEAS

- Shovel someone's driveway or driveways in a neighborhood.
- Help someone pack up and take groceries to their car.
- Stay after school and help out teachers or custodians, as needed.
- Send/Give a note of appreciation to someone who wouldn't expect it.
- Offer to babysit for a parent who needs some respite.
- Deliver cards to a group of people who may not normally get cards as a way to brighten their day (e.g., local senior home, nursing home, etc.).
- Offer to do household jobs for someone who needs them (e.g., cleaning, organizing, light repairs, etc.).
- Arrange for a group of students to do a service project for their school (e.g., pick up trash, paint a classroom, etc.).
- Put something you don't need on Craigslist or Marketplace for "Free" and include a You Got Served card when you give the item away so they know it came from an AmeriCorps member.
- Offer to pet sit and/or walk a neighbor's/friend's dog or volunteer at a pet shelter.
- Coordinate a donation drive to benefit a group or nonprofit (e.g., collect
- travel size toiletries for Red Cross comfort kits, collect books for a classroom, etc.).
- Return stray carts in the parking lot at a grocery store.
- Let someone go in front of you in line at a store.

LOW COST

- Make treats to give to site staff, volunteers, and/or other members (e.g., cookies, brownies, donuts, etc.).
- Pay for someone's coffee or fast food order in line behind you at the drive-thru (be sure to have the staff member give the person the You Got Served card!)
- Hand out cups of coffee/hot chocolate and/or "essentials kits" to the homeless.
- Purchase outerwear (scarf, hat, gloves, etc.) and distribute/leave items at a local homeless shelter.
- Order take-out and share a meal with a friend.
- Pay someone's expired parking meter.
- Give a donation to a local charity.
- Pay someone else's bus fare.



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