

Minneapolis Youth Coordinating Board

The Minneapolis Youth Coordinating Board (YCB) is dedicated to promoting the healthy, comprehensive development of Minneapolis children and youth ages 0-20 through collaborative action and policy alignment. The YCB has four primary goals:

- 1) All Minneapolis children enter kindergarten ready to be successful in school.
- 2) All Minneapolis young people succeed in school and graduate from high school on time.
- 3) All Minneapolis children and young people have access to safe, quality out-of-school opportunities.
- 4) All Minneapolis children and young people will build the grit, curiosity, and character to be contributing citizens and residents engaged in furthering their education, career, and civic life.

YCB also has infrastructure goals related to developing capacity to address policy issues affecting Minneapolis children and youth, educating legislators on related policy matters, and disseminating information on such issues.

Financial Arrangements and City Funding Relationships

Funding Sources

The YCB's 2016 revenue budget is \$1.4 million. In addition to the Joint Powers Agreement between the City, County, School District and the Park Board under which the YCB receives some of its funding, the YCB also receives funds from Hennepin County and various foundations.

2016 City Funding

The YCB, consisting of an appointed Board of Directors sets its own budget independently of the City. While the YCB budget is set independently, the City has, at times, directly funded joint ventures in collaboration with the YCB and dedicated specific allocations to functions carried out by the YCB.