### PROGRAMS

- Good Food Fridays (CW) residents receive a bag of freshly picked produce from the North County Agricultural Education Center along with recipes, and nutrition information
- Healthy Community Market (EMP,CW,A, Ed) – monthly affordable farmer's market with cooking demonstrations, & exercise activities
- Back to School with Books (Ed) A Red Circle partners with EyeSeeMe African American Children's Bookstore to provide students with books, school supplies, fresh food, and reenactments
- Racial Equity Book Club learn about racial equity through the lenses of diverse authors
- Happenings at The Creative Spot (A) –
  new in 2023 is A Red Circle's very own art
  center where community members can
  unleash their creativity and heal through
  the arts
- Community Health Network (CW) pairs
   Community Health Workers with our
   Good Food programming to ensure
   residents are meeting their health goals

# WAYS TO GET INVOLVED:

- Follow A Red Circle on Social Media
- Donate
- Volunteer
- Intern
- Join the Racial Equity Book Club

#### LOCATIONS

Main Address: 6439 Plymouth Ave, Suite W130, St. Louis, MO 63133

**The Creative Spot:** 414 South Florissant Road, Ferguson, MO 63135

**Healthy Flavor Community Garden:** 351 Chambers Road, St. Louis, MO 63137

North County Agricultural Education Center: 4521 Hamilton Ave, Pine Lawn, MO 63120



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A Red Circle

Economic development through a racial equity lens

...BECAUSE ALL BLOOD IS RED

# ABOUT US

A Red Circle was founded in 2017 to address racial disparities that exist in North St. Louis County, MO. Its mission is to "promote community betterment in North County, through a racial equity lens." Its vision is to create and encourage spaces and opportunities in North County that will lead to good health and economic prosperity.

Located in a federally designated Promise Zone, A Red Circle's programming focuses on:

- Education
- · Community Wellness
- Arts



**February**: Community Resource Fair **March**: Healthy Flavor Community, Garden Launch & Town Hall: Safety

**April**: Rental Assistance Clinic,

Art in the Garden

May: Good Food Fridays (weekly)
Healthy Community Market

reopens (last Saturday of the month)

**July: Partnership North County** 

**Community Clean-up** 

August: Back to School with Books,

**Brunch in the Garden** 

**November:** Thanksgiving Harvest

**December:** Kwanzaa: The Village it Takes





- Chosen Pathways (A) young adults enjoy a summer internship learning how they can choose a positive life path through the Arts
- Education Advocacy Coalition (Ed) –
  community stakeholders come together
  to address policy concerns around
  education and student success
- Student Advocates for Education (Ed) –
  SAFE volunteers advocate for students in
  pre-K through 5th grade to address the
  root causes of certain behaviors to help
  kids avoid suspension and detention
- Parent Café (Ed) monthly workshops designed for school-age children cover topics such as IEPS, trauma-informed care, social-emotional and learning
- Food & Justice Fellowship (CW) –
  community members participate in
  several modules to acquaint themselves
  with the work needed to improve a food
  system: equity & justice, growing food &
  STEM, business & entrepreneurship
- Community Speak Outs (POL) listening sessions provide space for community members to share what systemic changes they want to see in North County
- Enrichment Town Halls (CW, Ed, A) team members and guest speakers will discuss various topics such as safety, credit, budgeting, nutrition, and student needs