



The Restructuring of the Community Education Full Service Schools

July 7, 2011



Background

- ▶ The Community Education Program has been jointly funded by the SLPS and the City of St. Louis since its inception in 1968
- ▶ The City of St. Louis Community Development Administration (CDA) has reduced funding to the program from \$800,000 to \$450,000 for calendar year 2011
- ▶ SLPS will provide \$450,000 to fund the program from July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012
 - SLPS is matching the CDA contribution



Impact

- ▶ Programming will be reduced from 13 sites to 10 sites effective July, 30, 2011
 - Ford, Nottingham, and Stevens will no longer be CEFSS sites
 - All three sites have low adult and youth participation
- ▶ Thirteen specialists will work the remainder of July and two weeks in August to complete scheduled programming and administrative functions
- ▶ All full-time specialist positions will be eliminated with the last day of employment being August 12th
- ▶ Part-time coordinators will be hired to give oversight to community education functions starting September 12th



Summary

- ▶ Declining resources for both City Government and SLPS have necessitated a reduction in Community Education Full Service School sites
- ▶ The Executive Director will develop a plan that ensures continued programming at each of the remaining sites

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