

**THE WORLD AS IT COULD BE IS WITHIN REACH 2015-16  
FOCUS AREAS AND RELATED ISSUES FOR COMMUNITY ACTION PROJECT**

<b>POLICE</b> (Including BART Police)	<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>HOMELESSNESS</b>	<b>PROSTITUTION</b>	<b>OTHER ISSUES RAISED</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The way cops at my school look at my group</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More passionate teachers teaching</li> <li>More permanent teachers - some students have different subs everyday, and it affects learning</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>People with no home</li> <li>People need money to have food and a home</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Women sexualized</li> <li>Women being raped</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gay friends treated differently</li> <li>All people being treated the same</li> <li>Drought</li> <li>10% tax</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The fact it seems cops can do what they want and not get in trouble</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good education makes knowledge; Without good education people don't have knowledge</li> <li>More sports for good health</li> <li>Not enough after-school programs/clubs</li> <li>Kids who have no education at all</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>People in my apartment house getting thrown out, when they have nowhere to go</li> <li>A lot of homeless people on my block sleeping on trash bags</li> <li>People who ask me for change everyday</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Human trafficking</li> <li>Gang-raped</li> <li>Small kids</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More of a People of Colors culture</li> <li>More empowerment, Black leaders</li> <li>More Black male role models</li> <li>More women empowerment</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Police Officers – Black Lives Matter</li> <li>Less police brutality</li> <li>Corrupt cops not only to minorities</li> <li>I can feel secure with cops that I can think of as family</li> <li>Police all around school/ neighborhood</li> <li>People being taken away by other people/police</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School has become a place of memorization and not learning</li> <li>Not enough variety of curriculums</li> <li>Structuring schools so kids understand their true worth</li> <li>ICE Raids in public schools in San Francisco.</li> <li>Children afraid to go to school because they fear deportation of their parents or themselves</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Many homeless people near my neighborhood – no clean water/food/ shelter, or money</li> </ul> <p>In West Oakland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>People living in tents</li> <li>Women with children asking for money</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prostitution in East Oakland</li> <li>Prostitution in West Oakland – women with substance abuse</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drugs and alcohol</li> <li>Crackheads</li> <li>Certain kinds of men</li> <li>Children being bullied – may be because of looks or race or actions</li> <li>Some people do not have the right of life due to bullies, circumstances of finances</li> <li>Fighting</li> <li>8-wheelers zoned in low-income, predominantly POC neighborhoods</li> </ul>