

CIVICS RENEWAL NETWORK

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Issue I found that graffiti was affecting citizens' happiness. People were complaining that there was too much graffiti in public places like the skate park. It was also influencing the youth. Say a young adult or child sees graffiti with foul language, they might decide to repeat it. This can cause them to go the wrong way in life. Also if there is graffiti in public it would display that town or city as dirty or filthy.

Project Description Our group's first actions were to think of solutions to this problem. Our first idea was to adopt an app that allows you to send pictures of graffiti and their location to the Parks and Recreation Department to be removed. This app would be free and easy to use. Our second solution was to have a substance called Graffiti Max to be sprayed in common areas for graffiti. This substance stops graffiti from being used on public equipment. I found that it is cheaper and easier to use Graffiti Max than to keep trying to remove the graffiti. We combined these two ideas to be the most efficient they could be. We then took our project and presented it to Gillette City Council and at a civic renewal meeting in Casper.

Project Outcome The results of our project influenced the Gillette City Council to look into adopting our project.

Request I would like to have my project considered to be policy for some counties or the state of Wyoming