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February 10, 2001

Malika Sanders  
Executive Director  
21st Century Youth Leadership Movement  
P.O. Box 2516  
Selma, AL 36702  

Dear Malika  

I am formally requesting to begin a New York City chapter of 21st Century Youth Leadership Movement. I am putting together a formal advisory council that will help me execute the goals of 21st Century in the New York City area. Because of this I am not sure if we want to apply for our own 501©3. In order to complete the Chapter/Affiliate Application I checked that we would not apply to become incorporated but that may change.  

The advisory board will comprise of both adults and youth and I would love your help in attracting some potential members. We have had some informal conversations about individuals you feel could move this forward. I would appreciate it if you could make an introductory phone call and forward me their phone numbers so I can set up a meeting with them.  

Let us stay in touch because this is going to be a busy year. Call and let me know they next time you are in town so we can set up a meeting.  

Sincerely yours  

Akilah Watkins  

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Brooklyn, New York 11238  
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Appendix A
Are you a young person that likes helping people?
Are you looking for something positive to do with your time?
Do you want to improve your community?
Do you want to meet other positive young people?

Then 21st Century Youth Leadership Movement is for you....

Join us for a youth session on:

Friday, April 6, 2001
Wadleigh Secondary School
215 West 114th Street
New York, New York 11238

If you are interested please contact....

Akilah Watkins
718-638-2579
akilahwatkins@hotmail.com
Motto and Creed

I AM A 21ST CENTURY LEADER
I MUST PREPARE MYSELF TO BE THE VERY THAT I CAN BE
I MUST PREPARE MY BODY, MY SPIRIT, AND MY MIND
AND IN TIME
I'LL SHINE, YOU'LL SHINE, WE'LL SHINE
IN THE LIGHT OF
LOVE, JUSTICE, AND PEACE
WE'LL SHINE
IN THE 21ST CENTURY
LIKE NEVER BEFORE
I AM
YOU ARE
WE ARE
21ST CENTURY LEADERS

Appendix C
10 Things You Can Do to Help 21st Century Develop Leadership in Young People!

1. Organize a Chapter of 21st Century Youth Movement in your area!

2. Volunteer to help an existing Chapter in your area implement the Leadership Projects & Programs of 21C with local young people!

3. Participate in a leadership camp as a counselor during a weekend camp (December/March) or week long camp (July)

4. Volunteer your expertise (computer, leadership training, cultural, academic, business, marketing, organizational, etc.) to help build the 21st Century Movement!

5. Ask others you know to volunteer their expertise to make leadership skills more accessible to young people in need of these opportunities everywhere!

6. Volunteer to be a Workshop facilitator/trainer for 21C Leadership camps!

7. Donate resources to the 16 acre 21st Century Leadership Campsite! (Resources for the computer lab, dorm rooms, organic garden, Young Freedom Fighter Museum and newspaper)

8. Join us in our Project 21 Club-Lift a Leader Sponsorship Campaign by pledging $21.00 a month!

9. Send your tax deductible donations to the 21st Century Youth Leadership Movement!

10. Spread the word about the 21st Century Youth Leadership Movement to people wherever you go!!!

Appendix D
CHAPTER/AFFILIATION APPLICATION

Name of Organization: New York Chapter 21st Century Youth Movement

Address: 215 114th St. Harlem, NY

Executive Officer: Akiyah Watkins, Chapter Coordinator

Address: 162 Underhill Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11238

Network Contact (If different from executive officer)

Year organization was formed: Please list the socio-economic demographics of your membership: African American, Latino youth

Is leadership development the primary purpose of your organization? Yes / No

If no, list the primary purpose of your organization.

Current membership: Age range: 16 to 24

Number of youth served: 10

Why do you want to affiliate with the 21st Century Network?

History of Student Organizing and Struggle

Youth Leadership

Is your organization willing to make a quarterly or annual contribution to the newsletter? Yes / No

For Chapter applicants only. Affiliates respond by choice.

Is your organization willing to commit to participate in the annual program activities of 21st Century including voter registration, education, environmental and poverty issues, African American History, an annual film project, or oral history project? Yes / No

Is your organization willing to encourage assist leaders to complete the leadership workbook? Yes / No

Organization willing to encourage and assist leaders to complete the leadership work book? Yes / No

Your organization willing to have or help organize local or regional camps in the future? Yes / No

Does your organization plan to incorporate as a separate 21st Century organization? Yes / No

If so, do you plan to apply for a separate 501 (c) status or use the number of parent organization? Yes / No

Note:* If you plan to incorporate the name of 21st Century in the legal name of the corporation, submit a request in writing to the Board of Directors before you legally incorporate the organization.

Appendix E
Greetings:

I am sending you a little flyer about the camp costs. The pre registration cost is 160.00 per person. This includes the training, room, and board for the 9 days.

The flyer will detail the on site registration cost and non member costs.

Peace and Blessings,

malika

If you have any other questions call Gerry, she may be able to help.
We are in the process of relocating our office so things have been out of sorts as far as access to email and phones. 215 west 114th street is the address. Wadleigh Secondary School is the name. I have a contact at Wadleigh who is actually apart of a group called Liberation it sounds like 21st Century and this group could collaborate as well. THE YOUNG PEOPLE ARE HIGH SCHOOL AGE. MORE ON FRIDAY

GPA

-----Original Message-----
From: Akilah Watkins [mailto:akilahwatkins@hotmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 05, 2001 10:35 AM
To: gwen@freshair.org
Subject: 21sr Century Affiliate

Hi Dr. Ames

This is Akilah Watkins. I needed to know the address of the Beacon school you will be meeting the kids at tommorrow evening and the time. I will be there so please email me or call me on my cell phone at 646-373-7210.

Akilah