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A plan to restore peace to Saginaw one curb at a time. Here's an outline of the plan: specially trained units of HELP 1st responders, residents, and the Saginaw Police Department will routinely patrol neighborhoods that have agreed to participate with program model.

Neighborhood Selection and Community Engagement



- Identify high-risk neighborhoods for initial implementation
- Paint curbs bright neon green to visually define Safe Zones
- Install "Neighborhood Safe Zone" signs in yards and on doors
- Organize town hall meetings to introduce the concept
- Recruit volunteers for neighborhood watch groups
- Encourage residents to host community events within Safe Zones

WATCH PROGRAM & COMMUNITY EVENTS:

- Train volunteers in conflict resolution and crime reporting
- Establish communication channels with local law enforcement
- Implement regular patrols and reporting systems
- Organize block parties, cookouts, and family-friendly activities
- Host educational workshops on violence prevention and conflict resolution
- Facilitate youth programs and mentorship opportunities



**LEGISLATIVE
ACTION**

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**LAW
ENFORCEMENT:**



- Draft a petition for tougher penalties for gun-related crimes in Safe Zones
- Collaborate with local lawmakers to propose and pass relevant legislation
- Ensure clear communication of new penalties to residents and potential offenders
- Increase police presence in Safe Zones
- Implement community policing strategies
- Establish regular meetings between HELP and Neighborhood leaders



SOCIAL SERVICES INTEGRATION:

- Coordinate with local social services to address root causes of violence
- Provide resources for mental health, substance abuse, and job training
- Offer mediation services for neighborhood disputes



DATA COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS:

- Track crime rates and community satisfaction in Safe Zones
- Regularly assess the program's effectiveness and make necessary adjustments
- Share success stories and best practices with other neighborhoods

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EXPANSION STRATEGY:

- Develop a phased approach to expand Safe Zones to adjacent neighborhoods
- Create a mentorship program where established Safe Zones assist new ones
- Gradually cover the entire city of Saginaw with interconnected Safe Zones

SUSTAINABILITY AND LONG-TERM PLANNING:

- Seek funding through grants, local businesses, and community foundations
- Develop partnerships with local schools and religious institutions
- Create a long-term plan for maintaining Safe Zones and continuing community engagement





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