## Authors' Challenge

Young people all around the world are coming of age in this era of the existential perils of climate crisis, social, and political upheaval. They are inheriting huge challenges.

These videos could spark an interest in potential career choices. Even if different career paths are chosen, many more people of all ages and stages of life are critically needed <u>to</u> contribute in some way to create healthier, more durable communities, especially for youth.

A healthy community is where everyone acts to take care of each other.

Some can play an active part in a <u>Circle of Support</u> for a young person by <u>volunteering</u>, <u>mentoring</u>, or by <u>providing a job shadowing</u>, <u>internship</u>, <u>or employment opportunity</u>.

Others may contribute financially, invest in worthy initiatives, start a support group, host a <u>potluck</u>, have a block party...

We stand at the crossroads of participation and observation. To be active citizens in a healthy democracy or passive consumers.

Conditions can never improve for anyone until he or she demands the *proper outcome*. Success in these efforts is certain as citizens act - casting out all doubt and fear.

## Hope Journeys Social Improvement Career Options Videos

Climate Crisis/ Environmental Justice

Criminal Justice: Police Reform / Prison Reform

Earth Stewardship: Air / Food / Soil / Water

Restoration / Reconstruction

Social Justice / Economic Justice

## Hope Journeys Community Building Choices Videos

Asset Based Community Development - ABCD

**Circle Process** 

## Hope Journeys Positive Relationship Approaches Videos

Restorative Practices / Restorative Justice

Neurosequential Model of Therapeutics- NMT

**Crisis Intervention** 

I go to www.smoothtransitions4teens.com to access the (Hope Journeys) video channel.