



April 1, 2008

Dear Interested Participant,

Teens for Tomorrow, or T4T, is part of a nationwide trend that allows individuals like yourself, to lead and support change through philanthropy. A philanthropist is someone who cares for humanity and hopes to make the world a better place. If that sounds like you, apply to become a member of T4T today!

Complete the attached application and send it to the Community Foundation of the Great River Bend, 852 Middle Road, Suite 100, Bettendorf, IA 52722, by **Friday, May 2**. You will receive a letter of notification by Monday, June 9, if you have been accepted into this program. In order to participate, you **MUST** be able to attend the Kick Off event on Sunday, **September 7, 2008 from 9 a.m. to noon**. Location is to be determined.

T4T was established in 2002 to allow young people to identify community needs and address emerging issues. This program meets for two hours every month starting in September and ending in May. T4T participants distribute annual grants totaling \$5,000 to local nonprofit organizations after evaluating grant requests and learning about various agencies' missions.

For more information, call 563-326-2840 or email [HellingKristaL@sau.edu](mailto:HellingKristaL@sau.edu), or visit [www.cfgrb.org](http://www.cfgrb.org) and click on *Leadership Initiatives*. T4T is a program of the Community Foundation of the Great River Bend.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Krista L. Helling".

Krista L. Helling  
Teens for Tomorrow Student Director



## TEENS FOR TOMORROW

### Confidential Board Member Application, 2008-2009

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#### **PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN INK.**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade level in '08-'09: \_\_\_\_\_ High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parents/Guardian(please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature (required): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

List one reference that we may contact if necessary and their phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **USING A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:** (Essay should be no longer than 1 page and no less than 11 point font size).

- 1. What activities/organizations/jobs will you be involved in during the 2008-2009 school year? What activity is the most valuable to you and why?**
- 2. What are your strengths and how would they benefit the T4T Board?**
- 3. In your opinion, what is the most important issue our community faces? How can we overcome this?**