# AMES AREA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

This year we are sleeping out in our backyards to help fight youth homelessness and we need your help to make this year's event a success! Grab your family, sports team/club or co-workers and take part in any of these easy volunteer activities. This is a great opportunity for high school students looking to earn needed volunteer hours (silver cord hours, scholarships).

## Canvassing your neighborhood - Group, family or individual

 Volunteer your time canvassing neighborhoods in your community to invite others to sleepout to fight youth homelessness.

Sept. 24 - Oct. 3

REGGIE

AT HOME

- Choose whether you would like to canvass the area around your neighborhood and/or another neighborhood in your community.
- Cover about 5 blocks by 5 blocks (roughly 100-150 households) approx. 2-3 hour committment.
- Volunteers are needed until mid-September. Doorstickers, maps and instructions will be available for pickup at YSS Headquarters (420 Kellogg)
- Stick can be used on metal, glass or plastic surfaces and won't leave a residue no painted surfaces.

## Distributing yard signs -Group, family or individual

- Upon signing up for Reggie's Sleepout, every individual or family receives a yard sign proudly displaying that they are sleeping out
- YSS staff need volunteers to assist with distribution of signs to registrants in their city/county.
- Volunteers will need a vehicle and will be given a list of 5-10 addresses with the option to distribute more.
- Time commitment is roughly 2 hrs.

## <u>Sign up online</u> at https://bit.ly/RSOvolunteer More info and register to sleepout at ReggiesSleepout.org.

### Questions? Want to sign up a group?

Contact Sarina Flathers at 641-691-7527 or sflathers@yss.org

#### doorstickers



