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Leadership Group Donates 100 Bicycles to San Antonio Youth

For immediate release: July 27, 2018- San Antonio, TX - Texas Aggregate and Concrete Association's (TACA) Emerging Leaders program designates local organization SA Youth as the recipient of 100 bicycles and helmets. Participants will present bicycles and helmets to every student attending SA Youth's summer program, located at 1215 W. Poplar St, on Wednesday, August 1st at 1 PM.

TACA's Emerging Leaders program was developed as a way to support industry employees in growth and development of leadership skills as they progress through their careers. Participants are charged to put together a Community Service Project by identifying and partnering with a local charity organization, securing sponsorships and participation, coordinating all of the logistics for the event and recruiting volunteers. "With the 2018 Annual Meeting taking place in San Antonio this year, we partnered with SA Youth, an important organization that focuses is helping young people achieve academic success, develop their character, and promote healthy lifestyles," says TACA President and CEO, David Perkins.

These values and the critical service that SA Youth provides to the region align well with TACA's community focus," explains Perkins. The project involves assembling 100 children's bicycles plus safety helmets, which are supplied by Kickstand Bike Shop in Beaumont, TX. Altogether, more than 80 of TACA's Emerging Leaders and their families worked in teams to put these bicycles together on the first afternoon of the conference. Asia Ciaravino, SA Youth CEO, expressed her gratitude with enthusiasm. "These bicycles will benefit so many children in need in San Antonio. Thank you to TACA and their support of our mission."

About SA Youth

SA Youth's mission seeks to develop the character, strengths, talents, and skills of San Antonio's high-risk urban youth through fun, safe experiences, positive learning environments, and holistic programs that inspire each individual to fulfill their potential personally and in the community. For more information about SA Youth, please visit sanantonioyouth.org .

About TACA

The Texas Aggregate and Concrete Association was founded in 1951 and represents the foundational materials which literally build our State – Aggregates, Concrete, and Cement. TACA represents approximately 80% of the aggregates producers, 75% of the concrete producers and 100% of the cement producers in Texas. TACA members support, enhance, and build the communities and neighborhoods where we live and work.

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