

# FOSTER *Community* CENTRAL TEXAS

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# Who we are

## Mission

- Supporting Communities, Strengthening Families.

## History

- Foster Community was born out of the Travis County Collaborative for Children (TCCC), an initiative that works to bring system wide change to the way foster children in Travis County are cared for during, and after, their time in state custody.
- Launched in the Summer of 2017 under Mission Capitol
- Moved to Partnerships for Children in Fall of 2018

# What we do

Foster Community's vision is to keep children as close to home as possible by increasing and connecting supports within supportive communities.

## SUPPORT/Connect

- Partners
- Allies
- Adoption Collaborative

## EDUCATION/INFORMATION

- Social Media
- Website
- Other (Media)



## RECRUIT

- Info Sessions
- Community Engagement Resource Service

## FOSTER COMMUNITY CARES

- Targeted Community Events

# 2020 and Beyond

- 50+ Community Meetings
- 75+ Information Sessions
- 1500+ Info Session Attendees
- 32 Partners (Child Placing Agencies and Resource Organizations)

# Foster Community Cares



- Targeted Community Event
- Co-Hosts include leaders from the communities of the city being served
- Partners and Allies as Exhibitors
- Coalition

# City of Manor

35 Community Members

13 FC Partners

4 Community Leaders

Law Enforcement





# Website & Social Media

We provide opportunities to support Youth  
in foster care in a variety of ways

**FIND THE WAY**  
that's right for **You**

CHOOSE **YOUR** PATH

**SUPPORT**

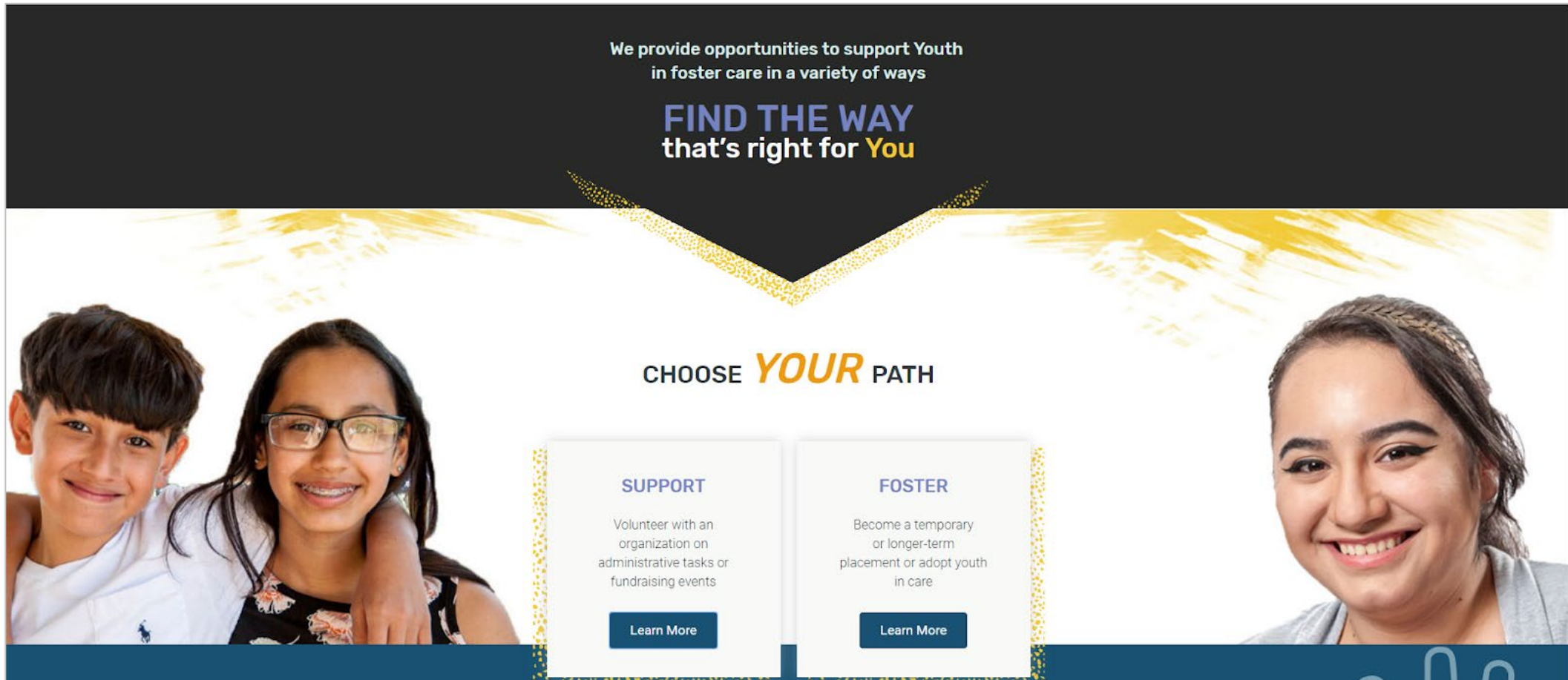
Volunteer with an organization on administrative tasks or fundraising events

[Learn More](#)

**FOSTER**

Become a temporary or longer-term placement or adopt youth in care

[Learn More](#)



# Transforming Child Welfare-Manor

- **Supporting Communities, Strengthening Families**
- **Connecting Resources to families**
- **Kinship Support**





If you want to go  
fast, go alone. If  
you want to go far,  
go together.

-African Proverb

