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SECRETARY DEVORE WELCOMES YOUTH ARTISTS OF THE PHOTO VOICE EXHIBIT: THE ANTI-GANG EXPERIENCE

## WHAT:

Secretary DeVore welcomes the youth from the Johns Hopkins Center for Adolescent Health Youth Advisory Committee who participated in the photo voice exhibit themed: The Anti-Gang Experience.

## WHEN:

Tuesday, August 19, 2008, 1:00p.m.

## WHERE:

Baltimore City Juvenile Justice Center (BCJJC) 2nd Floor 300 N. Gay Street, 2nd Floor Baltimore, Maryland 21202

## **MESSAGE:**

The Johns Hopkins Center for Adolescent Health Youth Advisory Committee has created a photo voice exhibit themed: The Anti-Gang Experience. The youth took pictures of different activities that can be done as an alternative to becoming a member of a gang. As a result, there are 14 outstanding photographs that will be on display at the Baltimore City Juvenile Justice Center (BCJJC) in the lobby area of the second floor, thru September. We invite you to stop in and see the exhibit. On Tuesday, August 19, 2008 at 1:00 pm, a small reception is planned for the youth, who put the photo exhibit together, to recognize their work and give them a chance to discuss their photographs. The reception will also be held in the lobby area of the second floor at BCJJC.