



One Love Global

Transforming communities so Black children experience justice, peace, healing, opportunity, and abundance.



Community visioning session at One Love Global in June 2024.

At our most recent My Brother's and Sister's Keeper Metro Lansing (MBSK 517) convening, a few key themes arose that are guiding our collective strategy:

Entrepreneurship is a powerful throughline. We're focused on youth business ownership not just as a career path, but as a foundation for wealth-building and long-term community transformation. Alongside this is a clear commitment to embedding entrepreneurship and innovation into our education systems—treating them as core tools for liberation, not just extracurriculars.

We also surfaced a deep need for **transparency and accountability in local data**. From glaring racial disparities in youth arrests to the underrepresentation of BIPOC business owners, we're committed to policy advocacy and system-level transformation that addresses root causes, not just symptoms. We're continuing to build out the [Lansing Racial Equity Scorecard](#) and advocate for policies that promote repair, healing and accountability.

Partnership is key. We're grateful for partnerships with organizations like the [Lansing School District](#) and the [Lansing Economic Area Partnership](#) (LEAP) to develop a regional entrepreneurship pathway. We're exploring ways to deepen collaboration to unlock access to internships, study abroad, mentorship, and other economic mobility opportunities for our young people. We know these experiences are game-changers, and they should be accessible to all.

If your values align with this work, we invite you to join us! Reach out to us at connect@oneloveglobal.org. Whether you're a local organization, school leader, business owner, or advocate, there's a place for you in this growing movement.



Call for Freedom Summer Sponsors

Freedom Summer 2025 will center youth entrepreneurship, providing young people with hands-on business training, mentorship from local leaders, and opportunities to launch real ventures. **This is more than a summer program—it's a platform for economic mobility, leadership development, and generational change.**

That's why we're calling on individual and corporate sponsors to help bring this vision to life. Sponsoring Freedom Summer means investing directly in the creativity, brilliance, and potential of youth in Lansing and Detroit. It means fueling a future where Black and Brown youth have the tools, resources, and support to own their ideas, shape their communities, and thrive.

Sponsorship levels begin at just \$500, and all sponsors will be honored at our Freedom Summer Youth Showcase later this summer—a powerful event spotlighting the ideas, innovations, and impact of the next generation of changemakers.

To learn more about sponsorship opportunities, reach out to Sarah Gettel at sarah@oneloveglobal.org.

More Highlights

Congresswoman Summer Lee reintroduced a [resolution for reparations](#).

Learn about the [Black mothers who led a quest for justice](#) in one of the biggest environmental fights of the 20th century.

[Why protests should be promises](#).

Want to reduce crime? Science says: [build more libraries](#).



Seeking Racial Healing Circle Partners

Throughout the year, One Love Global will continue expanding racial healing circles to partner organizations and institutions. **If you're interested in bringing this important process to your organization, please reach out to us at connect@oneloveglobal.org.** We'd love to connect with you and share more.

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