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What did you do for your service action? When did you do it? What were your specific role and action steps?

I went to my local park and cleaned up trash. I completed this October 30th, 2015. I planned the service plan and went with my mom to complete it.

What did you learn about the issue or problem you chose?

I learned that we do not take care of our local parks the way that we should.

Did you meet new people? How are these people important to your community?

No, I didn't.

Did the actual service turn out as you expected? Explain.

Yes, I was able to clean up the park and make it look cleaner that what it was.

Do you feel your action was valuable to the community? Explain why or why not.

I feel like it was valuable at that moment and time, but if people continue to litter ad nothing be done abou tit then what I did will become void.

Was this service project a true example of fulfilling citizen responsibilities to the community and civic participation? Discuss.

Yes, because it helps keep the local parks that everyone uses clean.

### **Reflection Questions Continued**

What could you do differently in the future to make the service better?

I could get a group together to cover more ground.

What do other people, like trusted adults and classmates, think about your project? What have they said to you about it?

They thought it was a great idea and were happy to see a youth helping out in the community.

What can you do to help this service project grow and continue?

I can make it more public and organize it better to get more people involved.

In what ways has this service project affected you? Explain your responses.

It has made me realize that we as citizens need to do more in our community to keep it clean.

Will you continue with this service experience? Explain why or why not.

I will not be able to due to school and moving away next fall. Also, I have started volunteering at the local nursing home.

What tips would you give to classmates just starting their service projects?

To be organized and get a group together so that you are not doing it by yourself.

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