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BROADCAST FOR WAKN ON AIKEN YOUTH CENTER, MARCH 9, 1956

My fellow citizens of Aiken:

Tonight, approximately 300 of our young people here in Aiken will visit your homes seeking donations/which will be used to build a youth center for our city. These young people are eager to have a fine recreation center. Last year they worked hard/and raised several thousand dollars for this purpose. This year/they will need to raise several more thousand dollars/so they can go forward with their plans. These young people have shown their willingness to work hard/to obtain their youth center. We should help them obtain this goal. I can think of no cause/more worthy/of our generous support.

I understand that a number of our teenagers are in charge of operations for Station WAKN today. I commend them for their industriousness and initiative/in taking on this project of public service to the people of Aiken, and I wish them every success.

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