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Hi my name is Jake O'Neal, and I'm from the Sequoia Community Corps. I have been enrolled in the program since January, 2012. The Recycling projects that I do here at the sequoia Community Corps are going to schools and educating young kids and Teens about Recycling and how Recycling can help save the environment. I use a power point to give the kids more of an idea of what can be recycled and what is trash. Then I go over the four R's of Recycling Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, and Rebuy and by using the four R's you can make less trash. Each one also has its own hand signal to help them remember the four R's better.

Before coming to the Sequoia Community Corps I wasn't doing anything with my life. I didn't have my High School diploma, or a job. All I would do was stay home and do nothing. Now that I've joined the Sequoia Community Corps I have achieved my High School diploma, and have a job. It has changed my life in other ways also. This program has made me become a young adult and I just want to thank you for giving me the opportunity to work and get my diploma. My goals in the future are to continue School and go to college to become something great.

The Sequoia Community Corps has done things for me that I never thought I would be able to do. I never thought I would earn my High School diploma or get a job but I did and the Sequoia Community Corps made it possible. And that's why I ask that you keep funding the local community conservation corps in the Bottle Bill to keep helping young adults like me achieve goals, and not only that but also to keep helping

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the environment. These things are important to me because I know there are young adults like me who need help and if the SCC helped me imagine how many others it can help thank you guys for everything you've done for me.