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HATE-FREE TOGETHER (HFT) UPDATE

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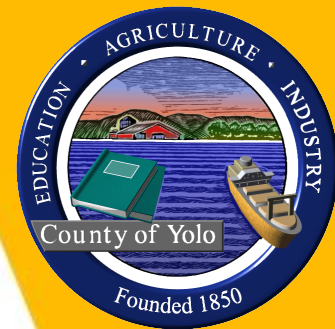
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OVERVIEW

- Brief History
- Current Completions
- Upcoming Strategic Plan Work





BRIEF HISTORY

2023: The Year of Research

Launched: Late 2022 by the City of Davis, UC Davis & Yolo County

Purpose: Address hate, discrimination & promote belonging

Core Principle: Stronger together – Unified efforts have greater impact

2023 Focus

- Community listening sessions
- Research & best practices
- \$100,000 initial investment

Key Outcome

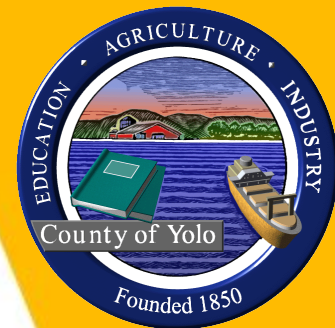
- Identified need for central hub
- Website launched Spring 2024

CURRENT COMPLETIONS

2024: The Year of Outreach

- 4 events, 600+ people
- 1x1 conversations, bi-monthly meetings
- \$300,000 grant through the California Arts Council, led to 20+ events and 2,000+ participants
- www.hatefreetogether.org/learning-center





UPCOMING STRATEGIC PLAN WORK

2025 and Beyond

- Request for Proposal in Spring 2025
- Building a thoughtful Strategic Plan now through Spring 2026
- Receiving input from key partners, nonprofits and advocates



Thank you!



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