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### **12 youths to graduate from 3<sup>rd</sup> Circuit Court S.T.A.N.D juvenile drug court program**

- Who:** Justice David Viviano, Michigan Supreme Court  
Judge Karen Braxton, Presiding Judge of S.T.A.N.D.  
Raeigen Woods and Viola King, Referees
- What:** Graduation ceremony to celebrate and recognize 12 graduates of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Circuit Court's S.T.A.N.D. program (Supervised Treatment for Alcohol & Narcotics Dependency).
- When:** Wednesday, September 2, 2015  
5:30 – 7:30 PM
- Where:** Detroit Public Library, Main Branch  
5201 Woodward Ave.  
Detroit, MI 48202
- Why:** To celebrate the determination and success of the S.T.A.N.D. graduates to complete the intensive, year-long program. The ceremony is a demonstration of the program's positive efforts to promote healthy communities by working to eliminate juvenile substance abuse. These graduates will join a group of nearly 200 other youth that have successfully completed the S.T.A.N.D. program since 2000, when it was begun.

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