THE HEART OF LASTING CHANGE IS OUR YOUTH

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• There is no **ACCOUNTABILITY**.
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What is keeping RESIDENTS from CONSISTENTLY engaging in the vision for transformational change?

What is keeping YOU from putting RESIDENTS at the center of the vision for transformational change?
Youth-Centric

The right tools/resources, The right supports, The right Mindset, Vigilant Advocacy, For an Individual, as an Individual.
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LOVE YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

A resident-led initiative for positive and sustainable change.
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- It takes **LONGER**. ➔ **1964 EOA – 1997 TP Neighborhood Plan**
- It is **UNCOMFORTABLE**. ➔ **43% increase in child neglect cases**
- It values **NUMBERS** over impact. ➔ **222 kids in poverty & 390 in ALICE homes**
- There is no **ACCOUNTABILITY**. ➔ **385 charitable NPOs with $245M budgets**
- It upholds the **STATUS QUO**. ➔ **< 5% of kids escape generational poverty**
- There is lack or loss of **CONTROL**. ➔ **Housing – Education – Family Transiency**
GROUP DISCUSSION

• How did you **EMPOWER** residents in their areas of passion, interest, or skills?

• How are you **HELPING DEVELOP** residents in their areas of passion, interest, or skills?
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• Share a story of a time when you INVESTED in a resident, stakeholder, or volunteer and put them at the center of your work.

• What overarching PRINCIPLES or BEST PRACTICES can you draw out from these stories?
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Questions?