Creative Investments you've made as a Funder:

- Employment Program
- Covered Stories in local media + communication
- Jobs Academy - targeted for employees
- Diversion + Skills Development for the YVA Continuum
- 42 unit PSH (Families w/ Children) + combined with children/youth
- Host homes "pilot"
- Tenancy + Life Skills Support Services (for FUP vouchers)
Use of voice (trustee/staff) to support at the policy level.

What has been your role as a funder?

Front "gap" funding could be sustained in mainstream. Ex: Medicaid, FEVA Education.

Ex: Connecting local partners (CT) to other partners (e.g., MANY).

Connection

Ex: Bringing people together: org(s) who work with emancipated youth.

Convenings

Ex: Paying for learning trips or experts to brief our community.
How can promising or effective interventions be taken to scale??

- Public Policy
- Funding
- Reaching out to new sectors and new audience
- Partnership with public sector partners
- Partnership with public/private partnerships

- Advocacy
- Ex: Public Success (Families, PHH)
- Ex: DWSG, IOPK
- Enabling: Investment in schools & beliefs teaching their parents
- Public media
- "Naming"
- Before it becomes law!!
Question #1
- Provide $5 COOs to Jobs Family services
- Develop youth voice Advocacy
- Funded National HYS YOUTH HUB put together 20-tech minds & skilled youth
- 0's low 32 20+ customer 100+ services 3000+ hours
- Expanding capacity for 20 customers: 10%+ growth
- Used & esp. ROI data to take it to scale

Question #2
- Join A Way Home America
- Use data esp. ROI data to take it to scale

Question #3
- Convincing GOVTS to change
- Determine best practices w/ local non-profit (FTEH, AWAHA)
- Scale pilot projects
- Shifting to funding systemic change/understand how programs are part of systemic change
- How to connect youth homelessness w/ larger systems & movements
- Better collaboration & communication w/ other funders (locally & nationally)

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Funding
- FUNDING vs. thought leader
- Unilateral vs. Sitting at the table

4 SPs:
- #1: Non-vested
- #2: Neutral
- #3: CONV
- #4: Convincing

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