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# Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Memphis Juice Plus Technical Training Center



### **GREAT FUTURES START HERE.**





**TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER** 

### The Problem

A report from the Memphis Chamber of Commerce shows that roughly 18,000 jobs in the city of Memphis went unfilled in 2013 because of a lack of qualified, skilled workers. This figure is all the more troubling when one considers a report prepared by Seeding Success in partnership with the Workforce Investment Network which shows that there were 32,877 youth between the ages of 16-24 were not in school or working during that same year.

### Juice Plus+ Technical Training Center

BGCM has pioneered a program to help train the low-income opportunity youth that we serve in an effort to eliminate poverty from their lives and future generations.

#### **Technical Training**

- Automotive Technology
- Culinary Arts
- Logistics
- Welding
- Information Technology

#### **Soft Skills**

- Resume Writing
- Interviewing
- Computer Skills
- College Tours
- Job Shadowing



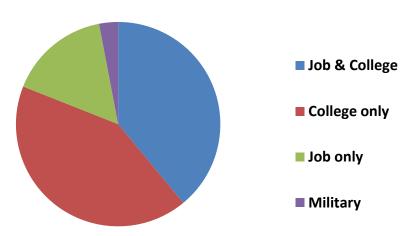






### TTC's 2016 Career Placement Statistics





- Total Number of High School Graduates Who Completed Job Seekers Program in 2016: 161
   In 2016, and for the past 5 years 100% of High School Graduates Who Completed the
  - Program Were Placed in a Job, College, and/or Military
    - •39% obtained a job and went to college
      - •42% went to college only
    - •16% obtained full-time employment only
      - •3% joined the military

### **Organizational Capacity**

BGCM has served the community for over 55 years, and the Juice Plus+ Technical Training Center has been serving Memphis youth since 2006.

- Qualified Staff
- Technical Training + Soft Skills
- Fully Equipped Facility



### **Funding Partners**

- United Way of the Mid-South
- Juice Plus+ Children's Foundation
- Workforce Investment Network
- Best Buy
- FedEx
- Crawford Howard Foundation
- City of Memphis
- Bank of America
- SunTrust
- The Hartford

### **Funding Request**

Funds will be used to support salaries, benefits, and supplies during the program year. Totals for each category include:

**Salaries - \$50,000** 

Benefits - \$3,825

**Supplies - \$21,175** 

Total - \$75,000



### **Expected Outcomes**

- 1. 75% of students enrolled are retained and graduate from the program.
- 2. 75% of students that complete the program are able to obtain a certification by meeting testing requirements upon completion of the program.
- 3. 75% of graduates obtain a job and/or continue their education within 3 months after completing the program.
- 4. 100% of graduates obtain a job and/or continue their education within a year after completing the program.
- 5. The median earnings of program participants who have found a job within a year is at least \$11/hour.
- 6. 75% of graduates attending a postsecondary educational institution graduate with a credential within 5 years after completion.





### Why Does a Partnership with BGCM Make Sense?

For every \$1 invested into the Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Memphis, \$12.07 of positive economic impact is generated within the region. This tremendous rate of return is a testament to the vital role that the Juice Plus+ Technical Training Center plays in shaping the lives and futures of trainees and their families.



### Habitat for Humanity of Greater Memphis Launching of CAPABLE in Memphis





### **HFHGM Overview**

- Established in 1983
- 480+ new homes constructed and sold to first time homebuyers
  - Governor's Environmental Award for Sustainable Building
- 2012—Launched Neighborhood Revitalization Initiative
  - 160+ home repairs and new home projects completed in Uptown, including 21 new homes during Carter Work Project
- 2015—Launched Aging in Place Program
  - 350+ projects completed
  - Governor's Innovation in Programming Award
  - HFH TN Program of the Year Award
  - Inside Memphis Business Magazine Innovation Award
- 2016—Ranked #6 in total production out of 1,300+ US Habitat Affiliates



### "Home is Where Health Is"

### Johns Hopkins' CAPABLE® Program

Community Aging In Place—Advancing Better Living for Elders

- "People with chronic conditions and functional limitations are 4X more likely to be among the 5% costliest users of health services.
- CAPABLE addresses both function and cost by teaming a nurse, occupational therapist and handyman to address both home environment and uses the strengths of older adults themselves to improve safety and independence."
- After 5 months, CAPABLE clients:
  - Halved their difficulty in performing Activities of Daily Living (average)
  - Reduced symptoms of depression
  - Improved motivation and ability to manage medications and grocery shop
- CAPABLE improves health outcomes at lower costs.
  - Realized 6X return on investment in cost savings driven by reductions in inpatient and outpatient expenditures

Johns Hopkins website





### Launching CAPABLE® in Memphis

- Program Partners
  - Habitat for Humanity of Greater Memphis
  - Methodist Healthcare Foundation



- Clients
  - 75 recently discharged Methodist Le Bonheur Healthcare elderly patients who are enrolled in Medicaid, earn less than 80% AMI, and own/occupy homes within the 38109 zip code



## Memphis CAPABLE® Partner Roles

### Habitat for Humanity of Greater Memphis

- Lead agency and fiscal agent
- Construction Team
  - Complete pre- and post-project home inspections with Occupational Therapist
  - General contractor for home accessibility modifications and repairs
- Social Services Team
  - Assist with client qualification
  - Assist with connecting clients to additional social services as necessary
- Impact and Evaluation Team
  - Administer/analyze SuccessMeasures® client participatory evaluation surveys



## Memphis CAPABLE® Partner Roles

#### Methodist Le Bonheur Health Care

- Community Health Navigator
  - Primary liaison between clients and CAPABLE Team
  - Identifies/qualifies clients
  - Identifies home health and safety barriers
  - Develops in-home care plans
  - Connects clients to additional social services
- Registered Nurse
  - Administer in-home healthcare as needed
- Occupational Therapist
  - Administer pre-and post-project Activities of Daily Living (ADLs) assessments with clients
  - Completes pre- and post-project home assessments with Habitat for Humanity
  - Develop plan to help clients improve ADLs
- Data Specialist
  - Evaluate process measures
  - Evaluate program impact on clients
  - Evaluate changes in healthcare utilization patterns of clients
  - Evaluate changes in clients' healthcare costs



# Memphis CAPABLE® Budget

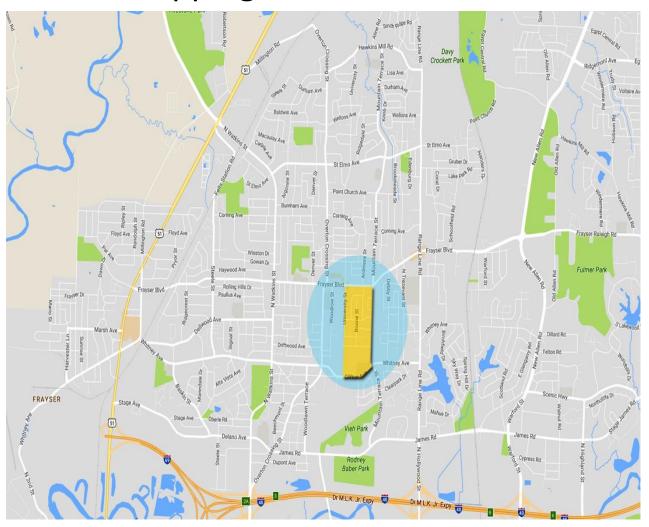
Item	Cost
CAPABLE Training	\$38,400
Program Expenses	\$1,238,061
<b>Total Expenses</b>	\$1,276,461

Funding Sources	Status	Amount
H.W. Durham Foundation	Funded	\$38,400
Weinberg Foundation	Pending	\$325,000
Habitat for Humanity	Committed	\$100,000
Methodist Le Bonheur Healthcare	Committed	\$61,125 (in-kind)
Funding Gap		\$751,936

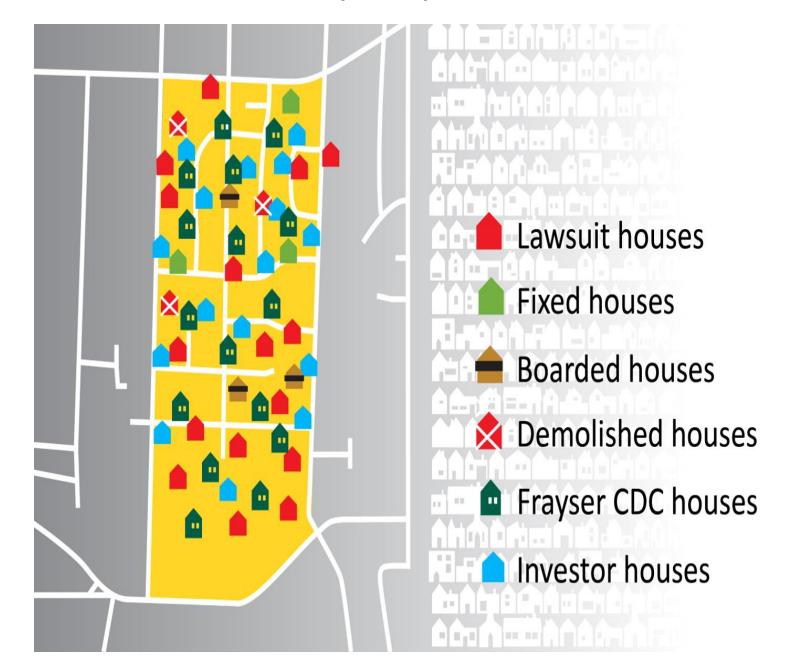


### Frayser Community Development Corporation Frayser Tipping Point

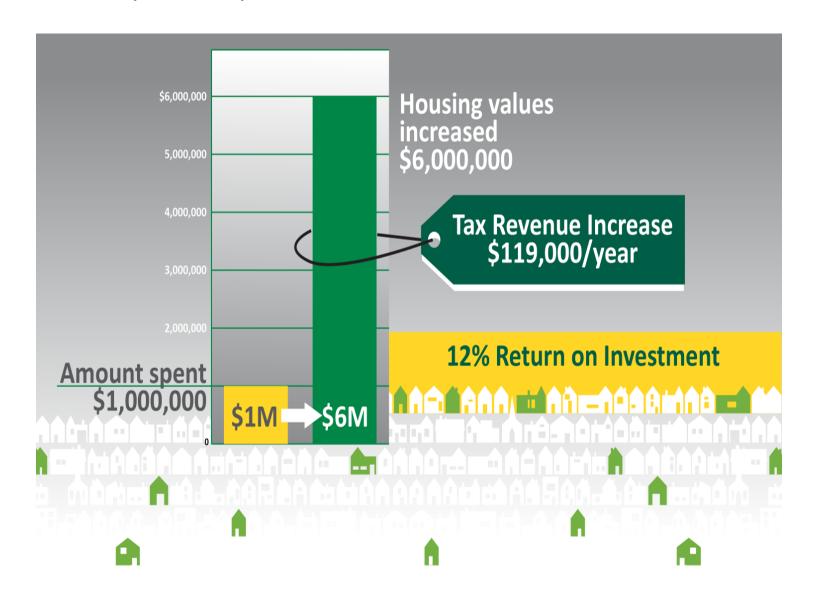
Frayser CDC — Tipping Point #1



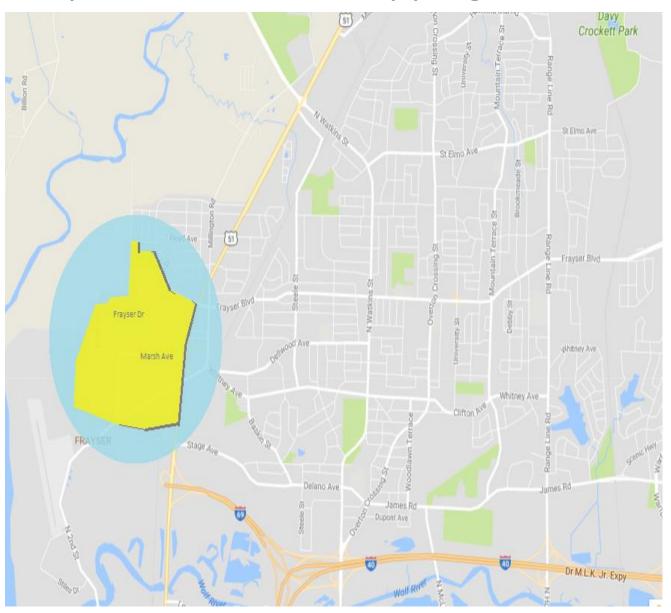
### Houses affected by Frayser CDC



# \$1 Million Invested, \$6 Million rise in Property Values, \$119,000 new Annual Tax Income



### Frayser West Side – Tipping Point #2



### Sources and Uses

Frayser West Side	1 House	24 Houses
USES		
Purchase	\$9,000	\$216,000
Renovate	\$40,000	\$960,000
Total	\$49,000	\$1,176,000
SOURCES		
Frayser CDC	\$6,000	\$144,000
Lender	\$24,000	\$576,000
Subsidy	\$19,000	\$456,000
Total		\$1,176,000

### Return on Investment

Return on Investment			
Investors		1st 5 years	after 5 years
Frayser CDC	\$144,000	\$49,926	\$32,943
Lender	\$576,000	\$16,272	\$24,768
		1.25% plus	6%
		CITC credits	
Subsidy	\$456,000	\$137,062	\$137,062
		Return in tax revenue to	
		City and County	
		30% return on subidy	
		11.6% return on total	
		investment	

# Before and After Change a Neighborhood While Building our Tax Base





# RISE Foundation RISE Save Up

Responsibility
Initiative
Solutions
Empowerment

### RISE FOUNDATION, INC.

2650 Thousand Oaks Blvd, Suite 2400 \* Memphis, TN 38118 \* 901.507.6644 (Office) \* 901.507.6640 (Fax)

Mission: RISE empowers people to become self-sufficient by building and sustaining human and financial assets.

Vision: RISE will transform the financial well-being of low income working people, thereby improving the community.





### RISE'S INITIATIVES



- Save Up RISE's "signature" initiative that couples financial education with monetary incentives to produce assets.
- Common Cents RISE's workplace-based financial education program.
- Goal Card RISE's incentive-based initiative that rewards students in grades 5-12 for school attendance, conduct and grades.
- Silver Neighbors RISE's financial education initiative for senior citizens.

### WHAT IS SAVE UP?



- Save Up, RISE Foundation's matched-savings account program, is designed to help lowwage earners learn to manage their income; improve their credit; save money; attend asset-specific training; purchase assets such as homes, computers and post-secondary education; and even establish their own micro-enterprises.
- After six months of saving, RISE matches each dollar saved with two dollars, tripling participants' savings and making it possible to save a combined total of \$3,000.



### IMPACT – SAVE UP



- To date, Save Up has helped 685 working families accumulate savings and/or assets worth a combined total of more than \$7.1 million. Our 2016 year-end Save Up survey shows:
- Participants have an average of \$3,086 in reserve for emergencies
- 92 percent of participants say that they still follow a budget
- 92 percent currently have health insurance for all members of their family
- 83 percent consider themselves in a better financial position
- 83 percent continue to save money



# PARTNERS/ COLLABORATIONS



Engage • Stabilize • Empower • Grow



- Intentional Focus in the North Memphis Area
  - Target Market
  - Urban Strategies "to empower residents in distressed urban core neighborhoods to lead healthy, prosperous lives in thriving, selfsustaining communities."
  - Neighborhood Christian Center "guide those in need toward stability and sustainability through compassionate Christcentered ministries and empowerment programs."



# HOW RISE MEASURES SUCCESS

- Pre- and Post-Assessments
- Financial Education Course Completion
- Number of Savings Accounts Opened
- Consecutive Saving by Participants
- Peer Support Attendance
- Completion of Asset-Specific Training (if applicable)
- Asset Purchases
- Participation in Annual Survey



# RISE'S REQUEST FOR FUNDING

\$228,750.00 2-year grant period

- RISE currently serves up to 80 new participants each year.
- Additional funding will allow for additional staff to **double** the number of participants served.
- Provide matching funds (\$2,000) for maximum participant savings (\$1,000) for a combined total of \$3,000. Potential 80 new asset purchases as a result of the investment.
  - Increase Staff
  - Participant Training
  - Matching Funds



# The Works, Inc. Renaissance at Steele Apartment Community



The Works mission is to work to **rebuild**, **restore** and **renew** our community's families, and the environments in which they live through **housing**, economic development, and social services.



ComCap Partners - Experts in economic and community development, **affordable housing**, municipal finance and public/private partnerships.

# Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis Investment Connection

November 16, 2017

# **Program Capacity**

\$741k

**Federal Grant** 

**Job Creation - Low Interest Business Loan** 



\$500k

Collaboration w/Pinnacle Bank **Small Dollar Mortgage Loan Program** 

\$1.1m

Local Foundations/Federal Grant **Healthy Food Initiative** 



LIHTCs/Bank Loa **Alpha Renaissance Apts** 

\$226k/\$375k

Methodist LeBonheur/Plough Foundation

**Early Childhood Initiative Aging Mastery Program** 



Memphis HCD (Home Assist. Repair Prog.) **Minor Home Repair Services for Seniors** 

# Housing Experience

Legends Park





Uptown



Cleaborn Pointe



Over **4,200** units of mixed income housing.

University Place



# Impacts

School-based initiatives are not enough. Tackling other non-educational factors is critical.

of changes in test scores are due to factors in schools.

of changes in test scores are due to teachers.

of changes in test scores are due to non-school factors.

→ lower academic achievement.

#### Residential Instability

→ absenteeism & school changes.

#### ☐ Housing Affordability

→ low-quality housing & residential instability.

<sup>☐</sup> Health Problems & Housing Quality

<sup>\* 19%</sup> unidentified

## Renaissance at Steele Apartments



3085 Steele Street - Memphis, TN 38127

**Number of Units - 146** apartments

50% AMI - 30 units

**60% AMI -** 116 units

**Rent Range -** \$475 to \$525 – 1 BR \$550 to \$600 – 2 BR \$625 to \$675 – 3 BR

### Funding Request = \$4.6 million

Sources			
Bank Loan (CITC) 1	\$	3,900,000	
Tax Credit Equity (4%)		5,604,847	
Financing Gap		4,609,908	
Total Sources	\$	14,114,755	

	Uses	
Acquisition	\$	1,100,000
Hard Costs		9,868,000
Soft Costs		2,827,555
Reserves		319,200
Total Uses	\$	14,114,755

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> State of TN - Community Investment Tax Credit Program

**Community Space**(6 units) - Office/Social Services

# **Community Partners / Service Providers**



















# Binghampton Development Corporation Kaleidoscope Kitchen







ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



COMMUNITY BUILDING



PERSONAL CAPACITY
DEVELOPMENT



#### 15 YEARS OF PROGRESS

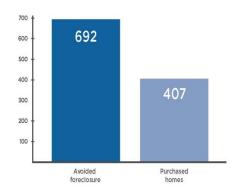
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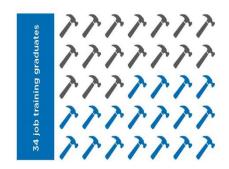
The BDC has invested \$8 million in properties and \$7.8 million in programs

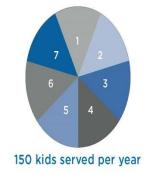




in two parks, two apartment properties, an outreach center, and land for the Gateway Center











#### **ROOTED IN THE COMMUNITY**

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Funded by The Kresge Foundation, we worked alongside community entrepreneurs to design a strategy tailored to their needs. With continued support from Kresge, a local foundation, and Christ United Methodist Church, we launched Kaleidoscope Kitchen in September 2017.





#### KALEIDOSCOPE KITCHEN

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Preparing minority entrepreneurs to establish successful food businesses



# FOOD BUSINESS CURRICULUM

Six-month training program of culinary and business basics



# SMALL BUSINESS CONSULTING

Reducing the time to entrepreneur readiness by offering holistic support

#### AFFORDABLE KITCHEN RENTAL

Access to licensed, commercial kitchen space at half the market rate



# SALES OPPORTUNITIES

Coordination of catering, food sales events, and other activities







#### FIRST QUARTER RAPID GROWTH

- · 3 business licenses filed
- 8 small businesses signed as tenants
- · 10% kitchen utilization rate
- · Almost \$2,000 in kitchen rental revenue
- · Approximately 3 kitchen tours per week
- · Nearly \$3,200 in catering sales



MISS BIRDSONG'S SWEET TOOTH | KALEIDOSCOPE KITCHEN TENANT



#### \$1.4 MILLION TO MEET GROWING DEMAND

9,000 sq. ft. conservatively estimated at \$155/sq. ft. including soft costs



revitalizing neighborhoods through expanding homeownership

A Collaborative Effort to Revitalize Memphis Neighborhoods through expanded homeownership

#### **Mission Statement:**

The 10K housing initiative aligns private and public resources to *reverse* the decline of housing, assisting in *rebuilding* the Memphis housing market, and provide home ownership support for the *reinvigoration* of targeted neighborhoods.



revitalizing neighborhoods through expanding homeownership

#### **Vision:**

Create more *livable* Memphis neighborhoods through the development of *10,000 homes* in 10 years, supported by pre and post *homeownership services*, resulting in a long-term sustainable community.

### **Strategy:**

The 10K housing initiative envisions an array of housing-related pre & post occupancy *services* and *activities* carried out by a *coalition* of public and private partners.

#### Memphis 10K Housing Plan Planning Schedule - Budget

Task Components	2017							2018							
·	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
I. Research & Data Collection (\$ 40,000)															
Data Collection of Existing Conditions															
2. Research & Document National Best Practices															
3. Mapping of target redevelopment areas / properties															
II. Alliances and partnerships (\$ 10,000)															
Identify Partnerships; Allied Organizations															
Research Related Programs and Initiatives															
3. Recruit Contractors, Developers & Counselors															
Working Agreements with lenders															
III. Organization Governance (\$ 25,000)															
Establish Mission & Objectives															
2. Entity legal structure															
3. Authority Role & Powers															
4. Create Policies & Procedures															
5. Committee structure and membership															
IV. Funding & Financial Incentives (\$ 35,000)															
Development Incentive Tools															
2. Financing Enhancement Strategies															
Funding Revenue Stream(s)															
V. Publishing, Marketing, Public Relations (\$ 20,000)															
1. Initiative branding & Publish 10K Housing Report															
2. Promotion & target marketing															
VI. Policy, Legislation & Adoption (\$ 25,000)															
Legislative and regulatory issues															
Government charter & adoption															
VII. Homeownership Services Planning (\$ 35,000)															
Homebuyer Education Program Structure															
2. Homebuyer Financial Tools, Downpayment Assist.															
VII. Model Test Case (Pilot Project Plan) (\$ 60,000)															
Target location area, Site & Project Planning															
Property Acquisition (Land Assembly; title search)															
3. Buyer Counseling, Financing & Transaction															
4. Design, Permitting & Construction															
Total Initiative Planning Budget (\$ 250,000)															

#### **Research Data Report:**

#### I. Existing Conditions

- A. Housing Market Reports
- B. Geographic Based Incentives
- C. Neighborhood Initiatives

#### II. Real Estate Opportunity - Locational Factors

- A. Regulations
- B. Market Conditions
- C. Vacant Property Assessment
- D. Redevelopment opportunities



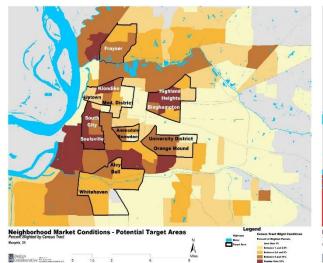
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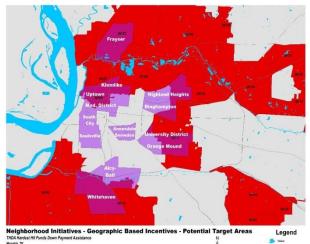
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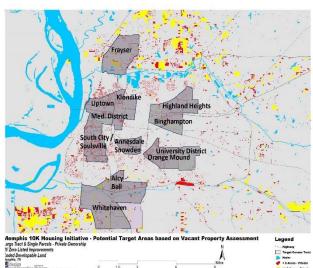
**Table 1.** Housing Demand in the Memphis HMA During the Forecast Period

		nphis MA		County narket	Suburban Counties Submarket			
	Sales Units	Rental Units	Sales Units	Rental Units	Sales Units	Rental Units		
Total demand	7,250	5,460	3,075	4,650	4,175	810		
Under construction	1,130	970	460	900	670	70		

- Target areas primed for strategic housing reinvestment
- Service areas with CDCs, NMTC, LIHTC, DPA, TIFs, others
- Leverage city-owned property and public land
- Assemble vacant and blighted properties







#### **Best Practices**



**Building a Better Chattanooga.** 

- A. Governance and Organizational Structure
- **B.** Housing Development Organizations & Programs
- **C.** Affordable Housing Trust Funds
- **D. Community Land Trusts**









#### HOUSING DEVELOPMENT TOOLKIT

- A. Housing Development
- B. Developer Funding/Financing
- C. Consumer Funding/Financing
- D. Homeownship Education





Initiative Partners & Possible Financial Toolkit

- Target City/County owned land holdings for return to productive use
- Harness potential of existing homebuyer & developer incentive programs
- Streamline homeowner education services













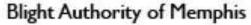






















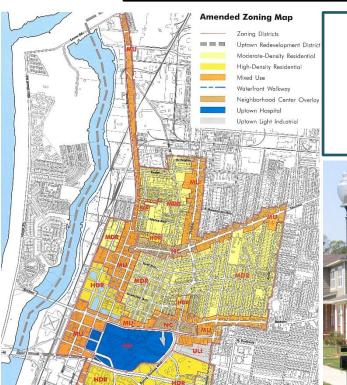








#### **Model Test Case (Pilot Project)**



- A. Target location area, Site & Project Planning
- B. Property Acquisition (Land Assembly; title search)
- C. Buyer Counseling, Financing & Transaction
- D. Design, Permitting & Construction



Project Budget: \$3,200,000

#### **Scope of Work:**

Build ten (10) New Single Family Houses
Vacant Lot Subdivision Development
Renovation of three (3) Existing Houses
Homeownership Education
Down-payment Assistance





# College and Career Readiness Program at Melrose High School



Tennessee at Memphis In schools to help kids stay in school.

#### Who We Are

Communities In Schools (CIS) is the nation's leading dropout prevention organization, with a *mission to surround students with a community of support empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.* Communities In Schools of Tennessee at Memphis (CISTN@Memphis) is a private 501(c)(3) non-profit affiliate of the CIS national network.

Adhering to the CIS model, staff members support students staying in school and achieving in life by providing for the five basics:

- 1) A one-on-one relationship with a caring adult;
- 2) A safe place to learn and grow;
- 3) A healthy start and a healthy future;
- 4) A marketable skill to use upon graduation; and
- 5) A chance to give back to peers and community. To provide for these five basics and to ensure students are prepared to achieve in life, the CIS model requires inclusion of college and career readiness for the students we serve.



# **Experience and Impact**

CISTN@Memphis has implemented the CIS Model, with fidelity for three years. As a result, all staff are skilled in leading and supervising programs using a data-informed approach to support students/youth in achieving specific goals. CISTN outcomes from 2016-17 demonstrate this commitment and approach. In 2016-17, of the k-11<sup>th</sup> case managed students served:

- √ 95% stayed in school and
- ✓ 87% were promoted to the next grade level.

Of the case managed 12<sup>th</sup> grade students served:

√ 89% graduated



## **Our Request**

In May 2017, CISTN@Memphis was awarded a contract of \$94,410 to provide In-School Youth Services Programming under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 with the Workforce Investment Network (WIN). This contact is for two years at \$47,205 each year. The total cost for program implementation is \$114,000 per year. A grant of \$134,000 for two years (\$67,000/year) will fully fund the workforce development programming at Melrose High School.

- Salary Support \$60,300 (45%)
- Program Support \$33,500 (25%)
- Materials/Supplies \$20,100 (15%)
- Supportive Services \$20,100 (15%)





#### The Issue

Working to build the future workforce of Memphis is complex

- Almost one quarter of all youth 20-24 years old in Memphis not in school nor working
- 75% are living at the poverty level or lower
- 48% do not have a diploma.

The data clearly indicate that youth would benefit from support to help them graduate from high school as well as assistance in the pursuit of their post-secondary endeavors in order to become the workforce of tomorrow.

#### **Population Served**

Melrose High School serves a neighborhood that has struggled economically over the past couple decades. Today, at least 99% of the students are African-American and over 92% of students at Melrose come from families that are economically disadvantaged; struggling with the impacts of poverty. The College & Career Readiness Program will focus on serving seniors.



## The Response

The core of the CISTN@Memphis College & Career Readiness Program is four-fold:

- **1. Work Readiness:** Throughout their 12<sup>th</sup> grade year in high school, youth will be involved in both group and individual work readiness programs including:
  - Work Readiness Workshops
  - Career Exploration Workshops
  - Workplace Visits
  - Connections to Training Programs
- **2. College Readiness:** For youth focused on the college post-secondary path, CISTN will provide the following supports:
  - ACT prep
  - FAFSA night to support timely completion
  - School match consultations
  - Application assistance, including personal essays
  - Independence skills such as budgeting, self-management, personal advocacy, etc.
  - College visits
- **3. Summer Engagement:** To prevent summer melt, CISTN will hold regular group and individual events throughout the summer to ensure youth are preparing for college and supported in their post-secondary transitions.
- **4. Post-Secondary Support:** As youth transition into their post-secondary opportunities, whether school or work focused, CISTN will continue to provide support to ensure students are able to stay focused and committed to their post-secondary plans.



# **Anticipated Outcomes/Impact**

- √ 84% will graduate from high school
- √ 81% will enroll in post-secondary educational programs or gain employment
- √ 84% will improve their literacy and numeracy skills
- ✓ 85% will improve their social-emotional and work readiness skills Ultimately, the College & Career Readiness Program is designed to build a stronger future workforce and contribute to breaking the ties of generational poverty.

#### **Evaluation Methods**

At the beginning of the school year, individualized goals are developed for each student with the following metrics:

- Attendance rate
- Out-of-school suspensions
- Academic grades/ course completion
- Social-emotional learning assessment

