Philanthropy’s Response to COVID-19 in Arizona

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HOW ARIZONA PHILANTHROPY CAN MAXIMIZE IMPACT IN THE TIME OF COVID-19
FEDERAL AID: LARGE AMOUNTS WITH DELAYS AND GAPS

- Payroll Protection Program for small businesses and nonprofits
- Individual relief checks
- Expanded unemployment insurance
- Food for food banks, schools and senior meal delivery
- One-month rent and utility assistance
- Child care
- Relief and preparedness funds for tribal governments
- K-12 education and higher education
ARIZONA GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

- $1.6 B federal relief funds to reimburse unbudgeted expenses. Spending to date:
  - $7 million distributed to counties and tribes
  - $11 million medical and lab supplies, hospital build-out
  - $2 million Emergency Operations Center and AZ National Guard
  - $4 million to Boys and Girls Clubs and YMCA for child care

- $1.3 B federal relief funds to reimburse Maricopa and Pima counties, cities of Phoenix, Tucson and Mesa
ARIZONA GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

- $5 million from State Housing Trust Fund to launch Rental Eviction Prevention Assistance Program

- $50 million state general fund to Crisis Contingency and Safety Net Fund for housing and homelessness, food bank operations, and economic assistance to small businesses, nonprofits and health care
  - $41.3 million unallocated
  - $5.0 million to homeless shelters
  - $1.7 million to food banks
  - $2 million to Goodwill to rehire staff for job training/education
INVESTMENT AREAS FOR MAXIMUM IMPACT

**Immediate Needs**
- Daily Meals
- Rental Assistance
- Utility Assistance
- Technology
- Child Care

**Nonprofit Needs**
- Coordinated supplies and PPE
- Liability support
- Technology support
- Scenario Planning
- General Operating Dollars

**Most Vulnerable**
- Essential and low-wage workers
- Communities of color
- Tribal and rural communities
- Immigrant communities

**Recovery Needs**
- Affordable Housing
- Behavioral Health
- Rebuild Child Care
- Workforce Support
- Revive arts/culture
OPPORTUNITIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES: ADDRESS SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

- Provide flexible grants
- Support direct service and advocacy to reduce disparities
- Invest in power-building for communities of color
- Support networks trusted by partners and families
- Promote transparency and accountability for public dollars
- Engage with elected leaders to include community groups, nonprofit sector and philanthropy in decision-making
- Shape long-lasting change with thought leadership and seed funding for a stronger Arizona
QUESTIONS & DISCUSSION