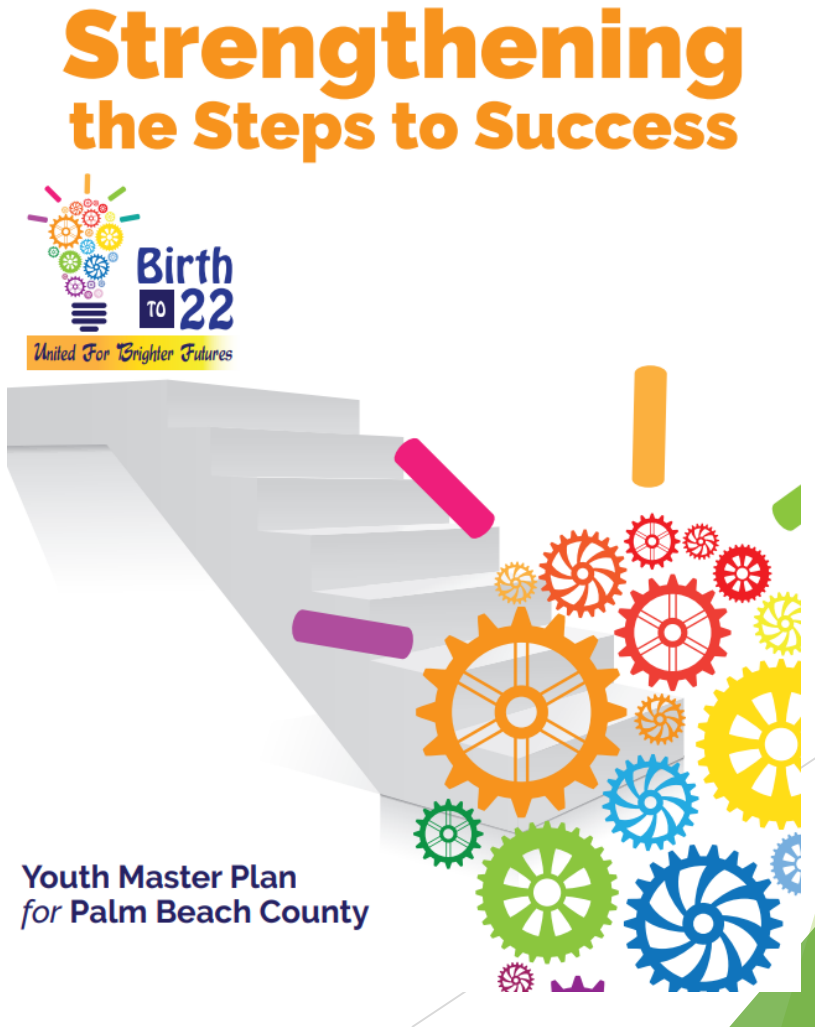
Securing Our Future Initiative:
FY20 Updates and Accomplishments

Palm Beach County
COMMUNITY SERVICES
Helping People Build Better Communities

PALM BEACH COUNTY
FLORIDA

BIRTH TO 22 ACTION AREAS
ECONOMIC ACCESS

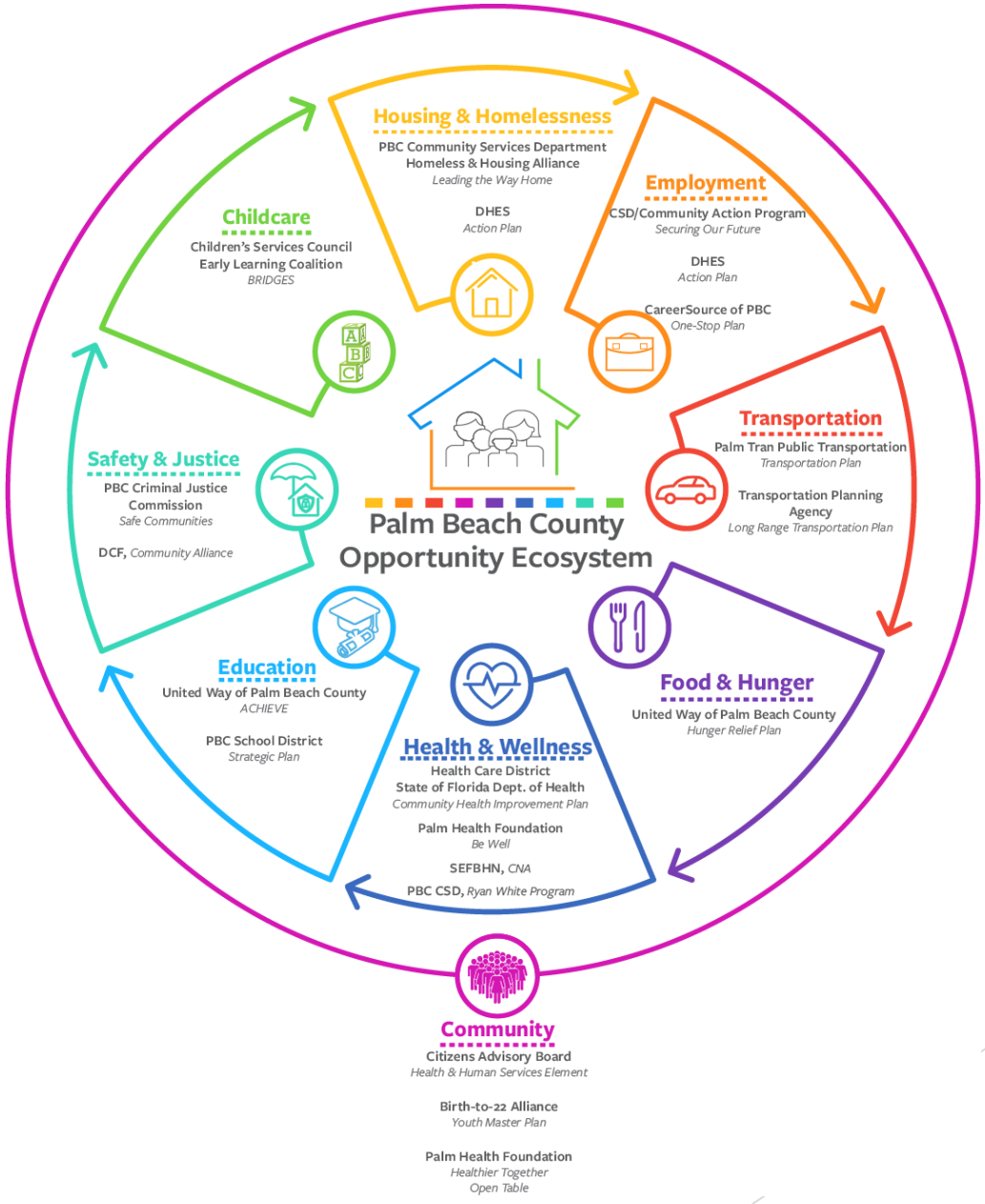
- Mitigate the impact of poverty on youth
- Increase affordability of basic services
- Build education to employment pathways for disconnected youth



SOFI Guiding Principles

GOALS OF SECURING OUR FUTURE

- Decrease childhood poverty by 10% over 10 years
- Create an opportunity ecosystem across different sectors that eliminates barriers that prevent low-income families in becoming more self-reliant



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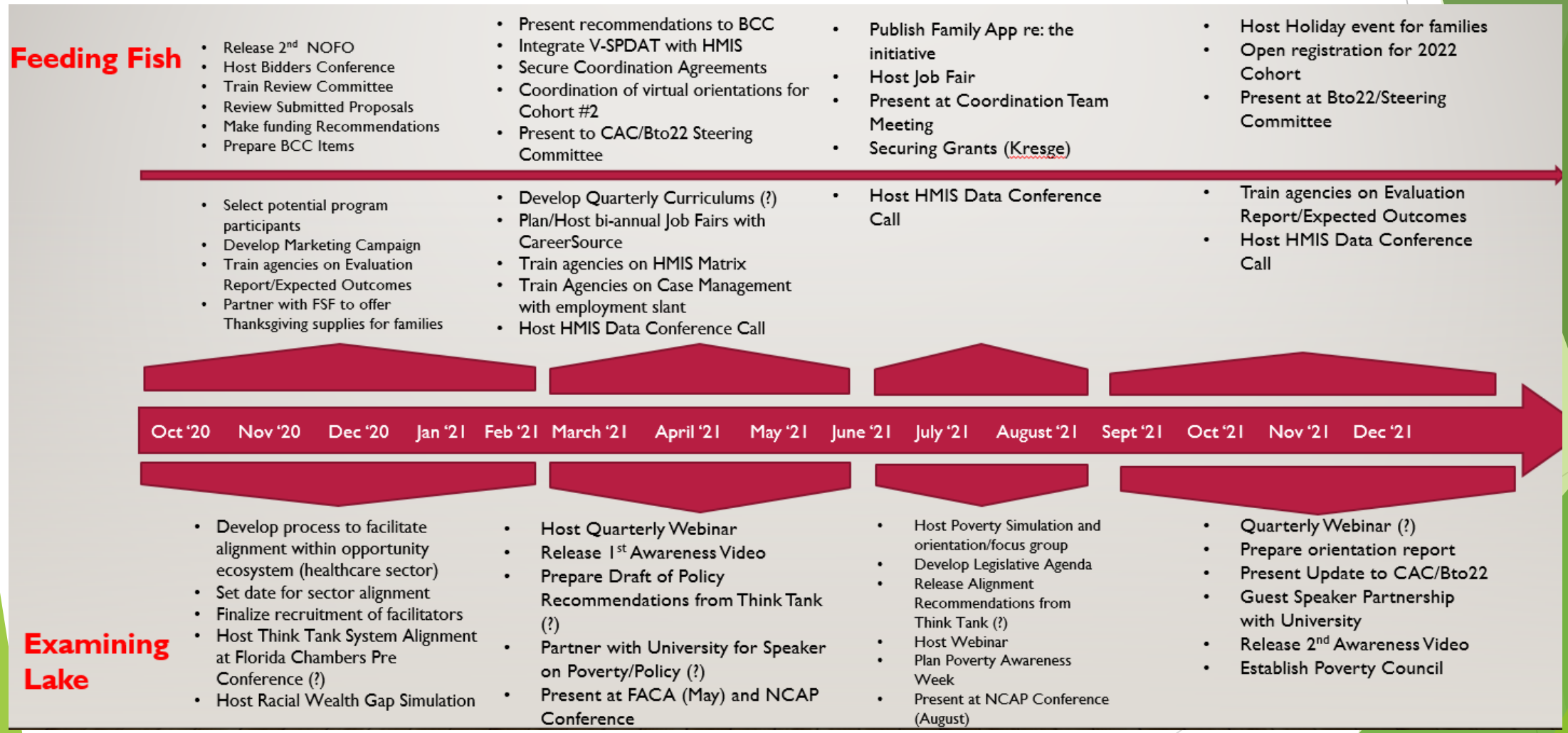
Feeding Fish
Release 2nd NOFO
Host Bidders Conference
Train Review Committee
Review Submitted Proposals
Make funding Recommendations
Prepare BCC Items
Present recommendations to BCC
Integrate V-SPDAT with HMIS
Secure Coordination Agreements
Coordination of virtual orientations for Cohort #2
Present to CAC/Bto22 Steering Committee
Publish Family App re: the initiative
Host Job Fair
Present at Coordination Team Meeting
Securing Grants (Kresge)
Host Holiday event for families
Open registration for 2022 Cohort
Present at Bto22/Steering Committee
Select potential program participants
Develop Marketing Campaign
Train agencies on Evaluation Report/Expected Outcomes
Partner with FSF to offer Thanksgiving supplies for families
Develop Quarterly Curriculums (?)
Plan/Host bi-annual Job Fairs with CareerSource
Train agencies on HMIS Matrix
Train Agencies on Case Management with employment slant
Host HMIS Data Conference Call
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Oct '20
Nov '20
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March '21
April '21
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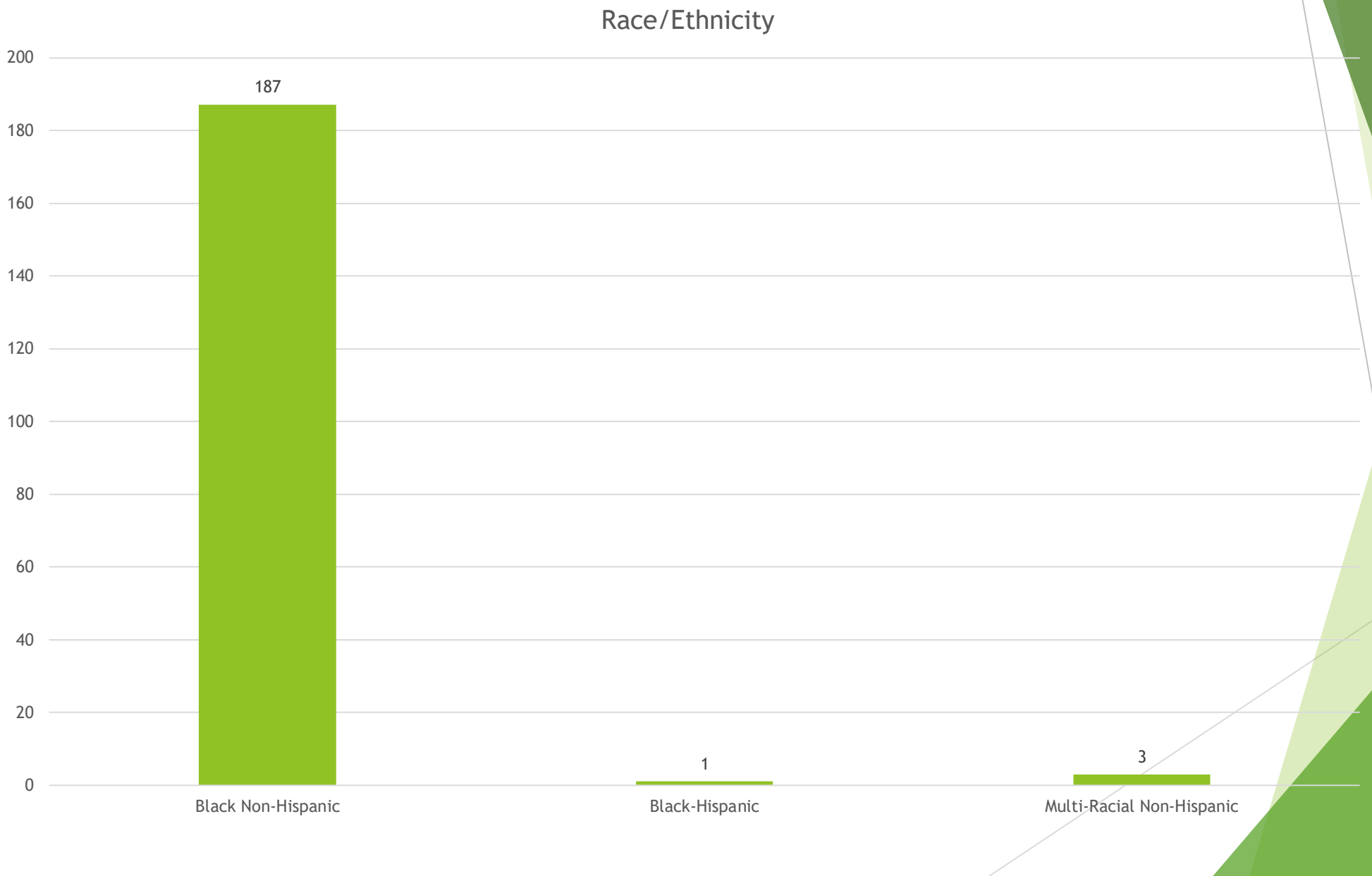
Examining Lake
Develop process to facilitate alignment within opportunity ecosystem (healthcare sector)
Set date for sector alignment
Finalize recruitment of facilitators
Host Think Tank System Alignment at Florida Chambers Pre Conference (?)
Host Racial Wealth Gap Simulation
Host Quarterly Webinar
Release 1st Awareness Video
Prepare Draft of Policy Recommendations from Think Tank (?)
Partner with University for Speaker on Poverty/Policy (?)
Present at FACA (May) and NCAP Conference
Host Poverty Simulation and orientation/focus group
Develop Legislative Agenda
Release Alignment Recommendations from Think Tank (?)
Host Webinar
Plan Poverty Awareness Week
Present at NCAP Conference (August)
Quarterly Webinar (?)
Prepare orientation report
Present Update to CAC/Bto22
Guest Speaker Partnership with University
Release 2nd Awareness Video
Establish Poverty Council

DEMOGRAPHICS

191 Individuals



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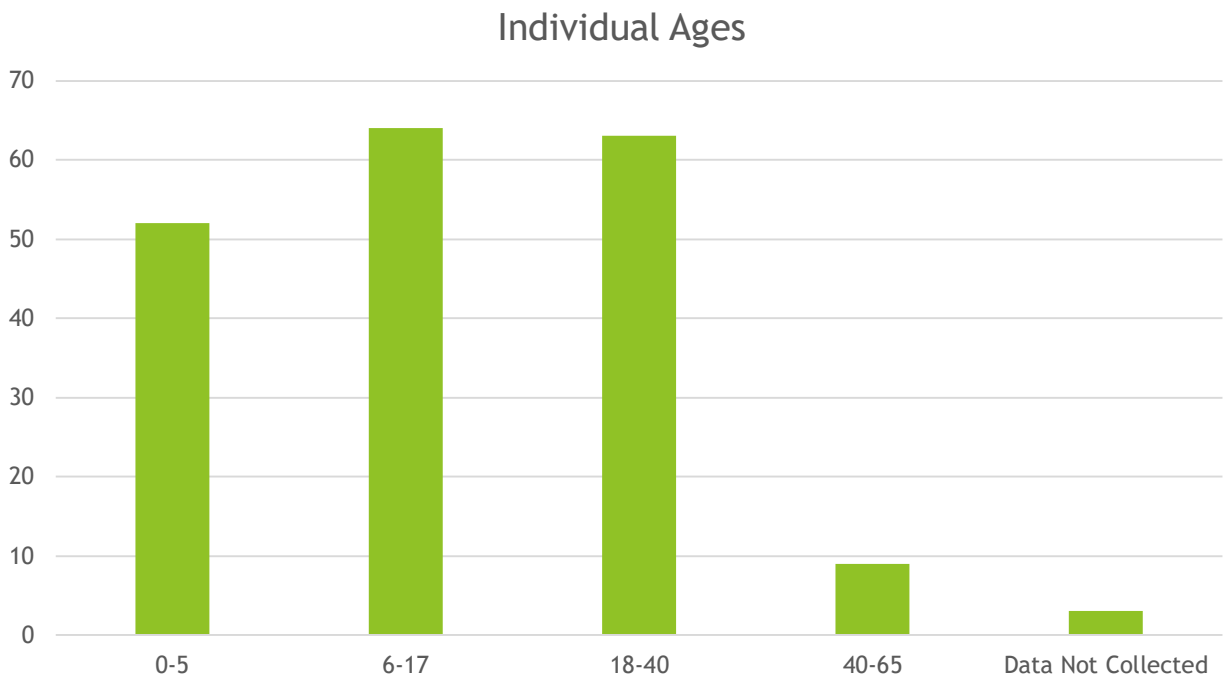
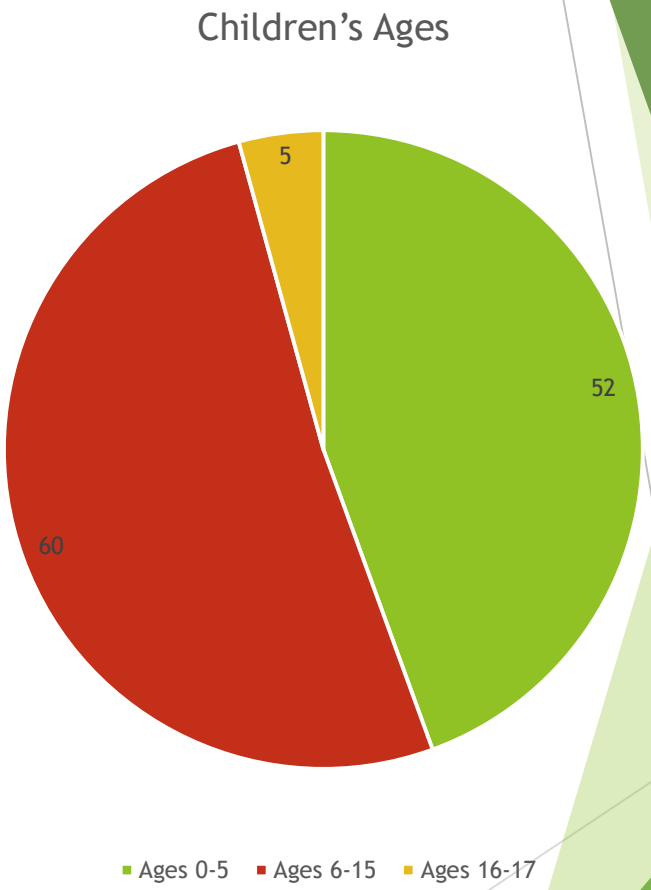
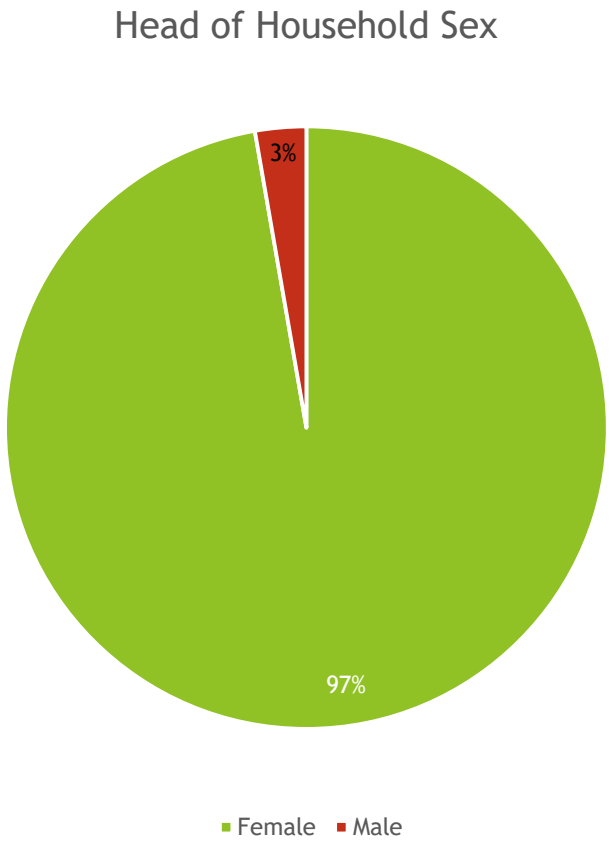
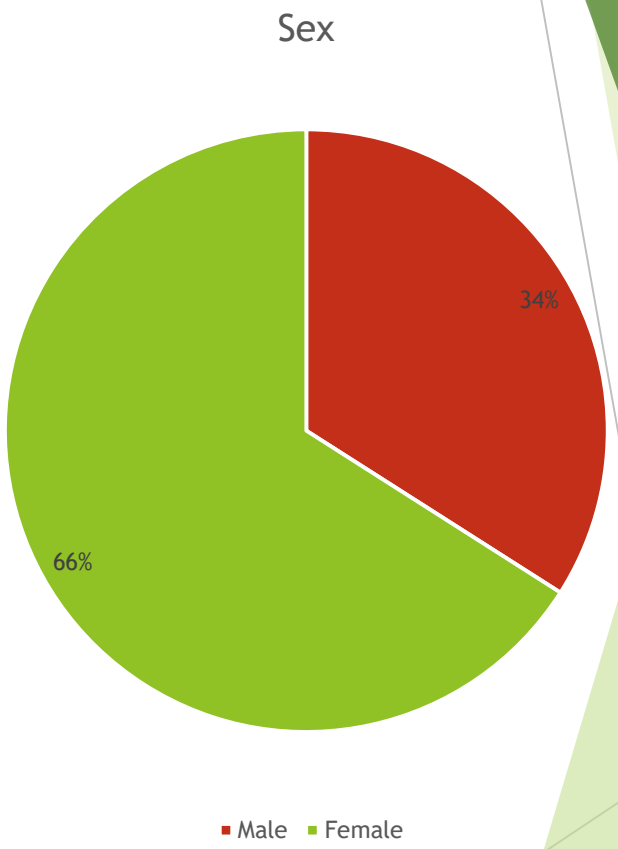




64 Heads of Household
191 Individuals

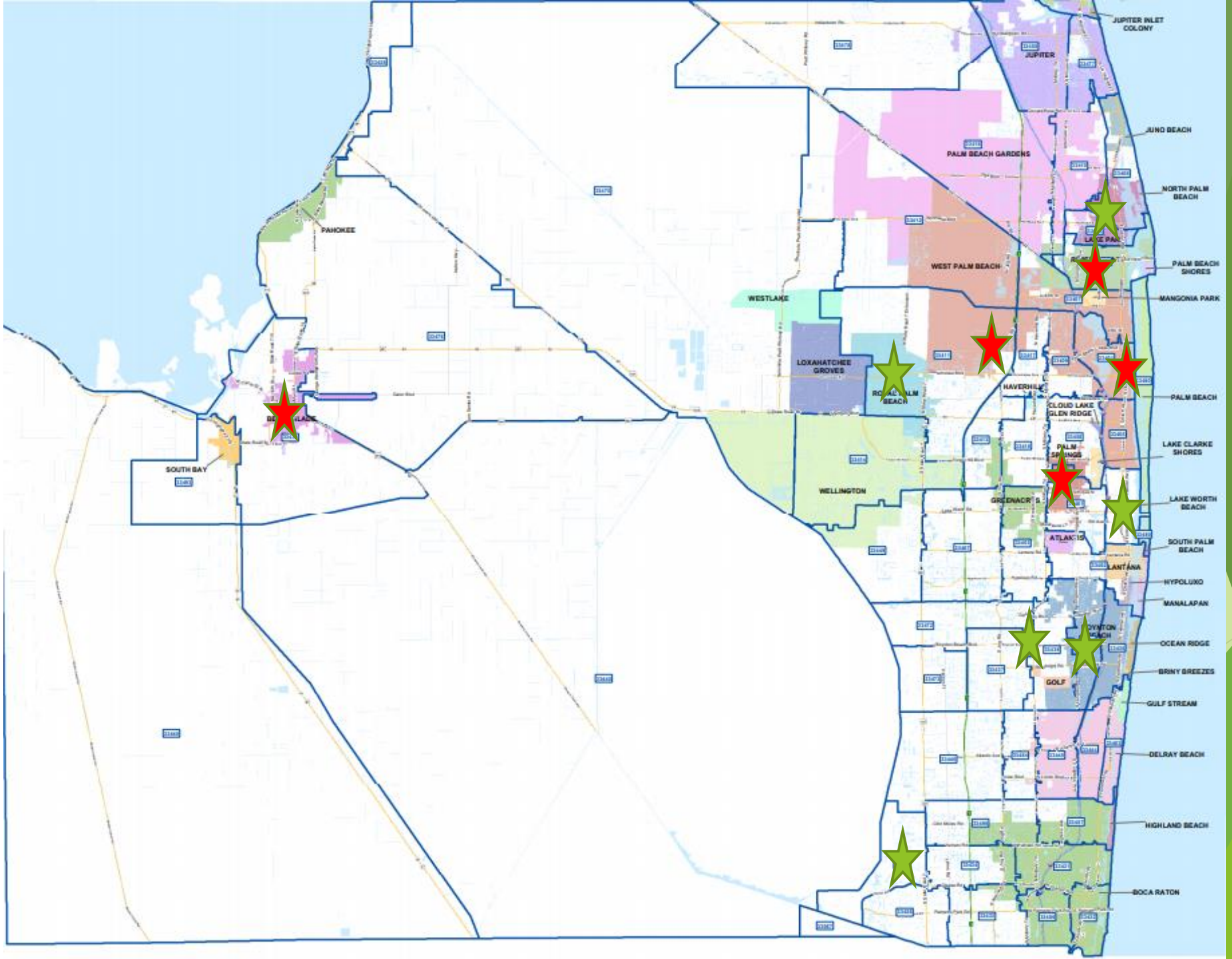


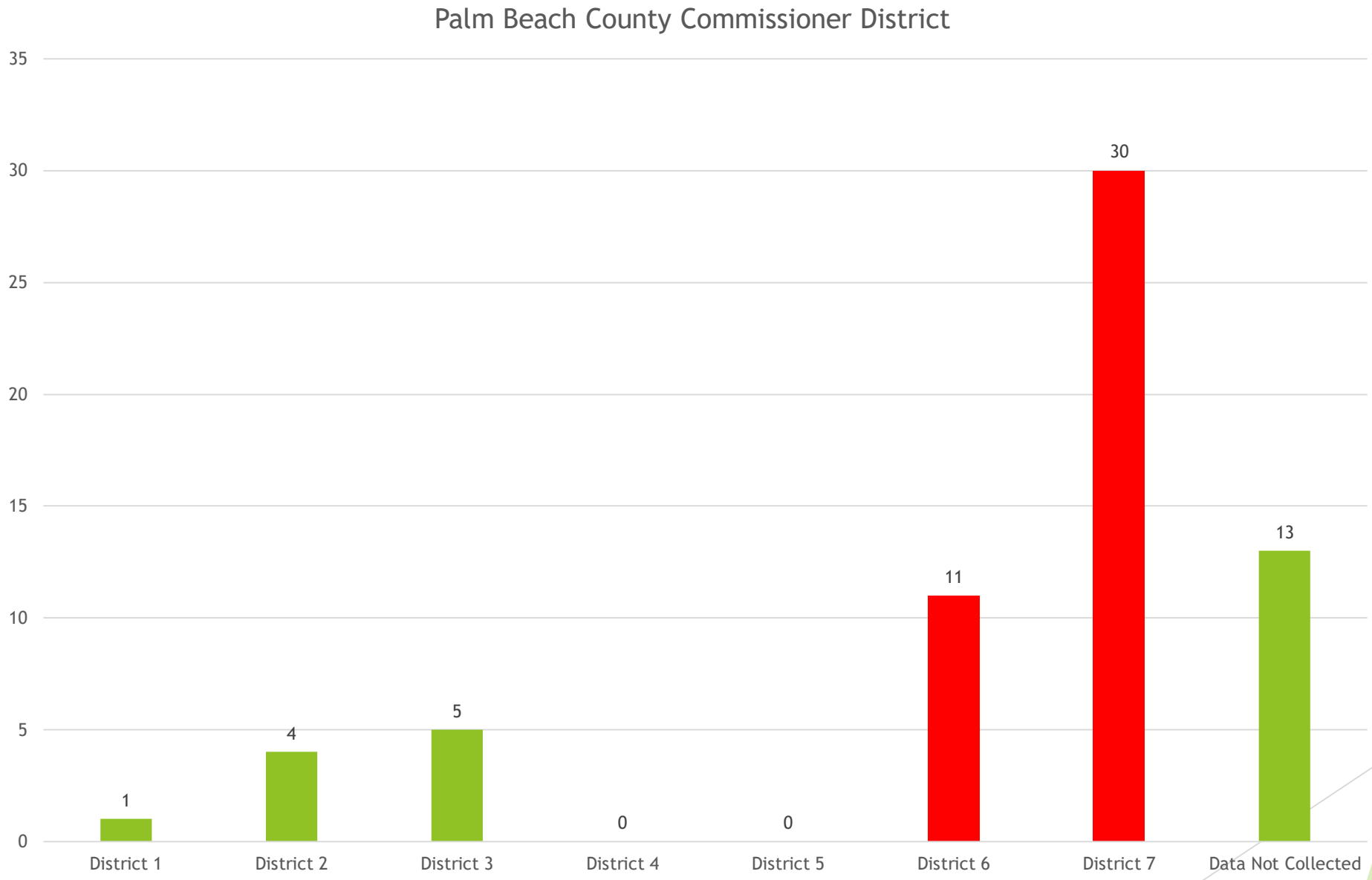


HIGH PRIORITY ZIP CODES

Top 5 Zip codes:

#	Municipality	Zip Codes	Percentage of Families with children in Poverty
1	Pahokee/Canal Point	33476/33438	48.1%
2	West Palm Beach	33403	46%
3	Belle Glade/South Bay	33430/33493	36.1%
4	West Palm Beach	33407	35.2%
5 tie	Riviera Beach and Lake Worth	33404 and 33460	33.4%


JUPITER INLET COLONY
JUPITER
JUNO BEACH
PALM BEACH GARDENS
NORTH PALM BEACH
PAHOKEE
WEST PALM BEACH
PALM BEACH SHORES
WESTLAKE
MANGONIA PARK
LOXAHATCHEE GROVES
HAVERHILL
PALM BEACH
CLOUD LAKE
GLEN RIDGE
LAKE CLARKE SHORES
SOUTH BAY
WELLINGTON
LAKE WORTH BEACH
SOUTH PALM BEACH
LANTANA
HYPOLUXO
MANALAPAN
OCEAN RIDGE
BRINY BREEZES
GULF STREAM
DELRAY BEACH
HIGHLAND BEACH
BOCA RATON


Palm Beach County Commissioner District
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District 4
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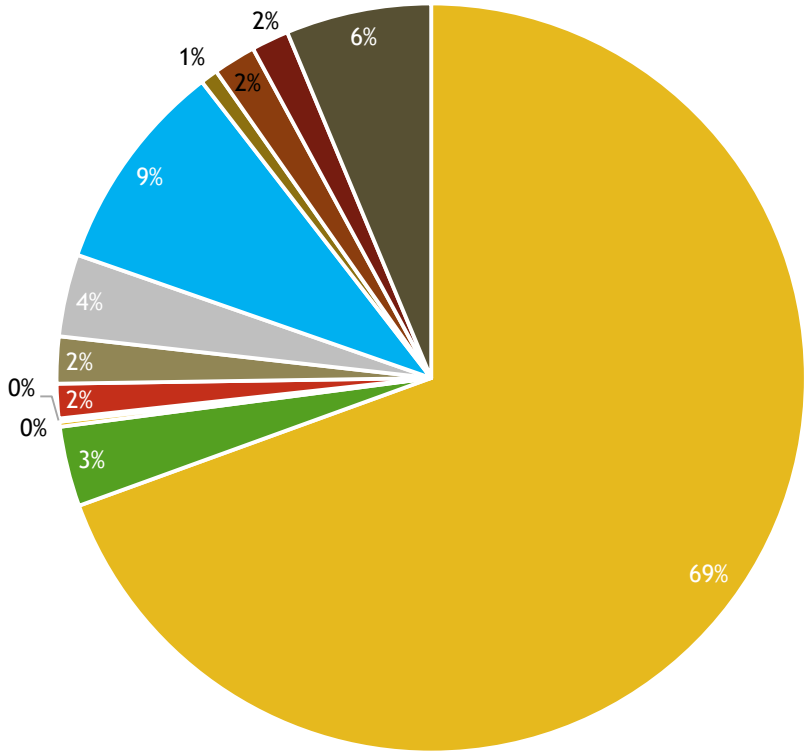
District 7
Data Not Collected

SERVICES PROVIDED

Services Provided



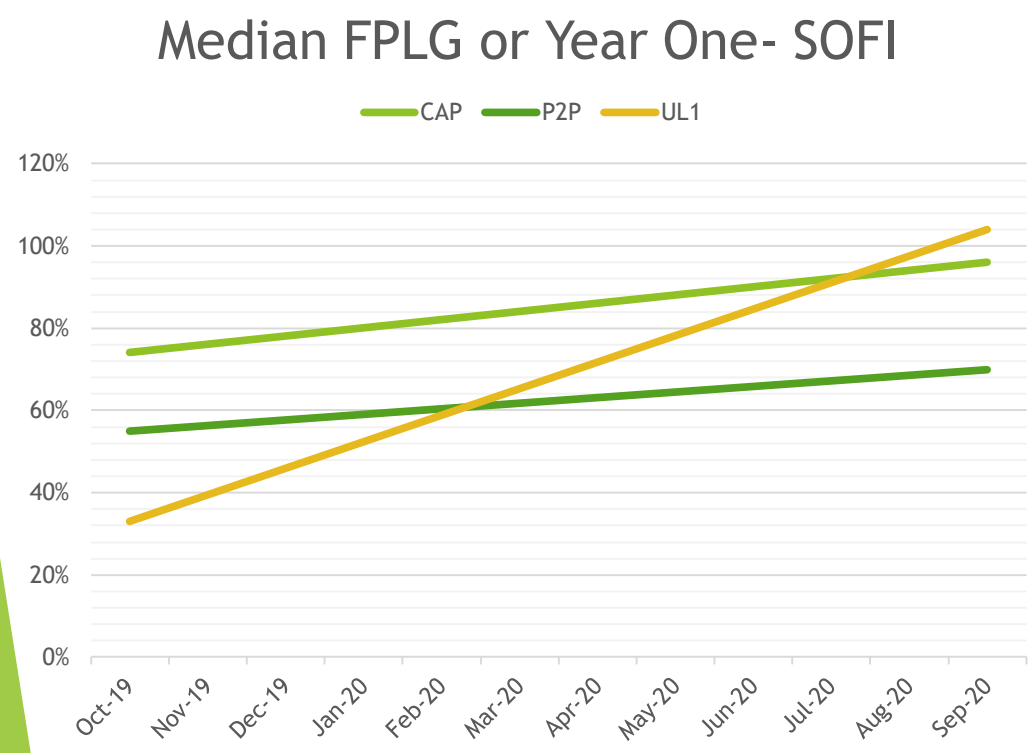
- Housing
- Children
- Emergency Assistance
- Employment
- Finances
- Food
- Material Goods
- Other
- Referrals
- Transportation
- Utlities

QUALITATIVE DATA COLLECTION

- Hosting focus groups quarterly engaging SOFI participants and community at-large in poverty elimination work
- Focus groups glean qualitative information about barriers faced by families along with additional services needed
- Allowing us to:
  - Identify policies that prevent families from earning more in order to write new policy initiatives aimed at eliminating poverty
  - Target specific organizations for partnerships that can provide the necessary supports for our families

SUCCESS
LOADING...

64 Families


Median FPLG or Year One- SOFI
CAP
P2P
UL1
120%
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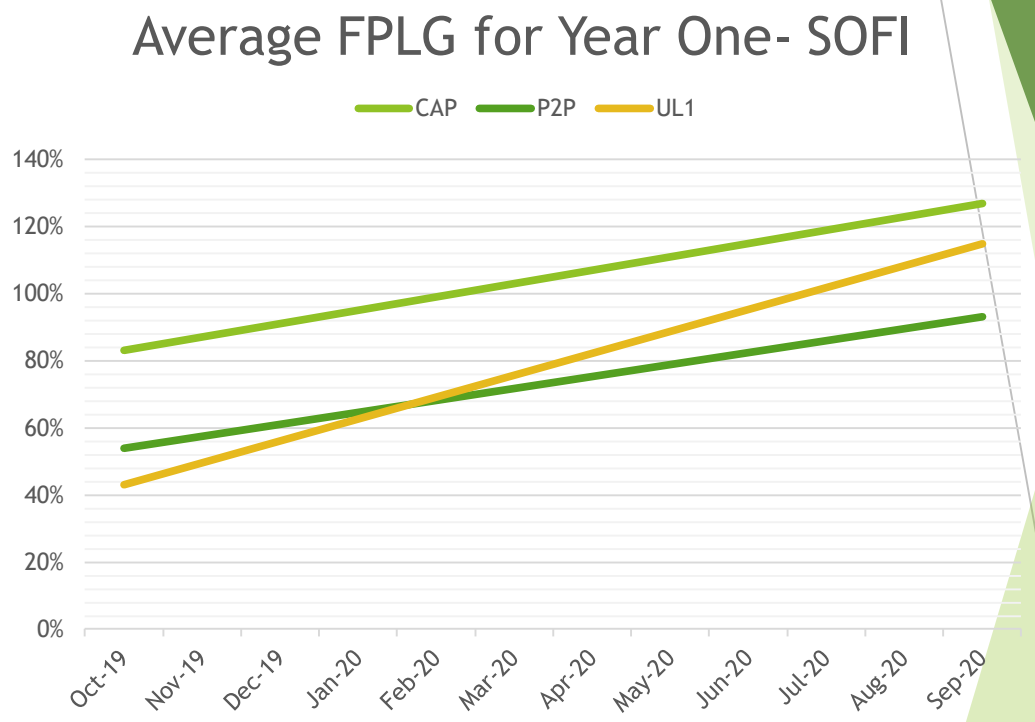
Average FPLG for Year One- SOFI
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Success Stories

FY 20
Cohort #1

Agency	% of families increasing income	Median $ increased	Median % increased
Urban League	22%	$1,305.00	71%
Pathways to Prosperity	41%	$1,480.00	100%
Community Action Program	45%	$833.80	44%
Total	**31%**	**$1,305.00**	**71%**

Urban League of Palm Beach County, Inc.

Pathways to Prosperity P2P

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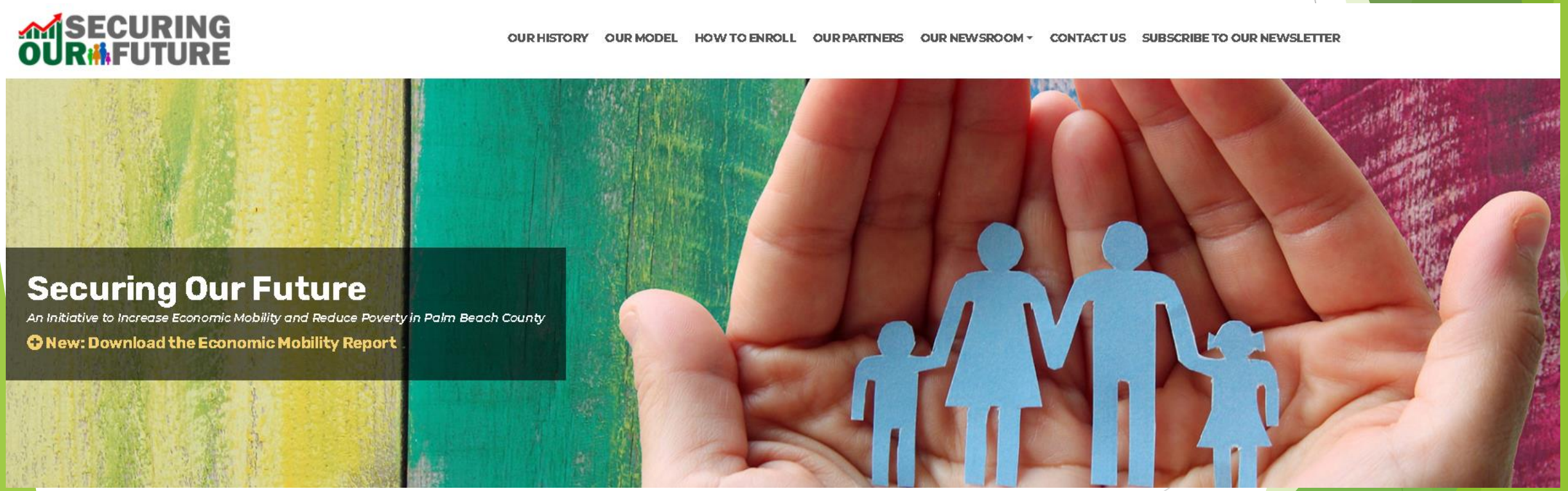
ENGAGING B22 ALLIANCE

RESOURCES

http://www.securingourfuturepbc.org/

Economic Mobility Report