



THE HIGHLIGHTS

Centering Cash

In addition to launching a 4th cohort of The Magnolia Mother's Trust, STO's guaranteed income initiative, we began providing cash disbursements to all families in our Jackson housing communities in response to the Jackson Water Crisis, modeling the importance of cash in crisis response. STO distributed **\$1,227,350** of direct cash assistance to families in 2022

Fellowship Launch

We launched **3 new fellowship** programs supporting residents as they connect the dots between policymaking and their own lives, grow in their advocacy and organizing skills, confidently tell their story, and recognize the power they have to create change in their own communities.

Residents in Advocacy

Our residents had new and powerful platforms to get to share their stories and create change, including the **MS Legislative TANF hearings, White House briefings** on the Child Tax Credit, a **Poor People's Campaign rally** regarding the Jackson Water Crisis, and on numerous **national and local news and media** outlets particularly in response to Mississippi's TANF scandal, the Jackson Water Crisis, and the failure to make the expanded Child Tax Credit permanent.

The Magnolia Mother's Trust

With our 3rd cohort of MMT, we took a deeper look to understand why cash matters. Participants reported an **enhanced sense of self-efficacy and agency**, allowing them to make their **own decisions around work**, prioritize the **care of the children and family**, and demonstrate a **stronger sense of self and emotional well-being** for both themselves and their children.

- **97.6%** felt somewhat or extremely supported by The Magnolia Mother's Trust to meet their family's needs.
- **79%** of mothers reported feeling more hopeful about their future
- **82%** felt more hopeful about their children's futures
- **70%** felt capable of caring for their own emotional, physical, and mental health needs.

BY THE NUMBERS

10,078

participations in Springboard programming

10,088

meals, food boxes, and water cases distributed in communities

4,234

instances of staff supporting residents with housing stability

5,264

items distributed to residents through Community Care Closets and Back to School giveaways

3,207

engagements with summer camps & after school programs in-person after 2 virtual years



Expansion of National Footprint

In 2022, Springboard continued to be recognized as a national leader and expert on **cash supports** and developing **community-centered approaches** to support families. This year we...

- Co-convoked the **Guaranteed Income Now Conference** in Atlanta
- Contributed to **policy resources** developed by the Congressional Caucus on Black Women, Groundwork Collaborative, the National Women's Law Center
- Launched **Locked Out: Black Women, Wealth, and Homeownership** in Nonprofit Quarterly examining the historic and contemporary policies that fuel our exclusionary housing market and exploring solutions to create a more equitable housing market.
- Partnered on a **guaranteed income primer** with Asset Funders Network to educate funders on best practices related to cash-based policies