

# **Make Money Work**

## **A Community Discussion Guide**

We hope you enjoyed watching ***Make Money Work: Financial Freedom*** and/or *Make Money Work: New American Dreams*. Both documentaries rise up the importance of talking about money, finding ways to learn about the banking and financial systems, and empowering oneself with both strong credit and solid knowledge. Here are some questions to discuss with family and friends.

1. What was new to you in the documentaries? What information did you find most helpful?
2. What has been your experience with Financial Institutions?
3. What are some of your cultural /traditions with Banking/Financial Services? What have been surprises with the US Banking system? How have you resolved differences?
4. Is there a certain amount of financial knowledge a person “should” know at age 18? Age 30? Age 55?
5. What do you think it takes to have strong, trusting relationships between financial institutions and community members?
6. What digital technology or innovations are you aware of that help improve your relationship and experience with financial institutions? How could they be more useful?
7. What financial resources are available in your community? Do you know how to find and use them?

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