

PONCE
NEIGHBORHOOD
HOUSING SERVICES
INC.

PROPOSED PROJECT

CENTRO de ADQUISICIÓN y APOYO SOCIECONÓMICO en ACCIÓN

CAASA



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BACKGROUND

MISSION

STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES IN PR THROUGH HOUSING DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNITY, FINANCIAL AND SOCIAL EDUCATION

GEOGRAPHY SERVED



SERVICES









THE PROPOSAL



POPULATION

- Families with housing needs
- Families with foreclosure risk
- Community with disvantages issues
- Individuals in need of entrepreneurship and business education

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- Offices spaces
- Workshops and coaching classroom
- Panic room/ food and supplies storage area
- Incubators, business accelerators and non profit initiative development
- Parking

OUR IMPACT

Financial Capability

• 166 families improved they financial health

Community and Economic Development

• 1,330 individuals received C&ED services and support.

Foreclosure

90,000 families with delicuency (The Black Night Financial Services, 2018)

113 families prevented foreclosure with the assistances of Ponce NHS First Time Homebuyer

1,225 families renters households (HUD, 2017)

693 families received housing counseling services

Income Levels (AMI)

- < 30 % 109
- 30%-49% 102
- 50%-79% 196
- 80%-100% 115
- •>100% 171

ACTUAL LIMITATIONS







- Lack of space
- Lack of parking
- Lack of storage space
- Structure was damaged by earthquakes

ACTION

Phase 1

Closed the acquisition spaces around the office

Phase 2

- Construction permits
- New facilities construction

Phase 3

Furnish the facilities

Original Investment: \$150,000 Adjusted Investment: \$2.5 millions