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U.S. Citizenship is the path to full participation in our nation. Repeated studies confirm that naturalization increase capacity of immigrant to succeed while simultaneously help immigrant communities and the economy to grow.

- Naturalization leads to a greater rate of immigrant homeownership and participation in the community.
- > Naturalization raises the earning potential of immigrants by more than 10%.
- Naturalization is a powerful tool to expand financial inclusion, enabling them to establish stronger financial identities.

United for Citizenship is a regional initiative Led by Salt Lake County to supporting legal permanent residents to become U.S. citizens. This initiative provides the infrastructure for stakeholders to work collectively to increase awareness, expand resources, and activate untapped community assets.

Acheivements:

One- time one hundred thousand (\$100,000) legislitive seed funding.

- > Performance Measures
 - Increase in number of naturalized citizens
 - Increase in individual earnings
 - Increase in tax revenue