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In 2011, Houston LISC tripled its Financial Opportunity Centers (FOCs) reach to a total of six Centers, creating a network that served 3,429 Houston residents through counseling and helped 237 people find jobs. Lucretia Jelks, a financial coach at the Wesley FOC says, “Our partnership with LISC is great because they support our work by helping us to enhance our skills so that we are better able to meet the community’s needs. LISC empowers us to do what we do.”

LISC provided \$218,607 in project funds for GO Neighborhoods, which leveraged an additional \$13 million in support. Now, residents have expanded access to youth programs, low-cost dental services, and a new charter school.

LISC and NEF partnered to help Orchard Communities create 153 apartment homes for low-income seniors by leveraging over \$20 million in additional financing. Over 700 middle school students will benefit from the new football field at the KIPP Polaris Campus in Northeast Houston – a LISC/NFL Grassroots grant recipient.

**By the numbers
cumulative
(PPND and affiliates),
1989–2011**

TOTAL INVESTMENT
\$135.9 million

DOLLARS LEVERAGED
\$409.1 million

COMMERCIAL SPACE
1.3 million sq. ft.

HOMES & APARTMENTS
6,067

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