

## Communication from Public

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Okay, so now reading more into this, what you are doing is a "Social Experiment".....Instead of looking at our rich history on what works, you are using people as guinea pigs to see how much Socialism you can introduce. It's actually pretty simple: Invest in Families. Studies have shown that families, regardless of income status, increase the chances for success. Invest in Academic Education. Not Social Education. Go back to basics and acknowledge that the majority of students perform better when the bar is raised instead of lowered. Invest in Community businesses. Clean Streets, not encampments and illegal vendors on every corner are what help businesses. 43 MILLION dollars could sure go a long way in investing in DCFS to ensure that the children in the Foster care system are actually thriving. It would ensure that the Social Workers taxed with checking up on complaints actually DO. If you look at your depressed areas, you will see the systemic cycle of reliance on government and the degradation of quality of life.