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Changemaker Selection Criteria

1. At Least Five Years Experience Leading Grassroots Social Change Work

• Demonstrated commitment and sustained involvement in community-based initiatives.

2. Rooted in a Marginalized Community

• The changemaker originates from and actively works within a marginalized community, ensuring a deep understanding of the issues faced.

3. Proven Track Record of Impact

• Clear evidence of success in creating measurable, positive change at the local level.

4. <u>Community-Centered Approach</u>

• Engages in collaborative, participatory processes where the affected community has a voice in shaping solutions.

5. Commitment to Equity and Social Justice

 Actively works to dismantle systemic barriers and advance fairness, inclusion, and dignity for marginalized groups.

Changemaker Selection Process

1. Call for Nominations

• When we have the capacity to onboard a new cohort, we will publish a nomination form on social media and disseminate through grassroots channels.

2. Initial Screening

• Nominations are reviewed based on the selection criteria. A selection panel shortlists candidates based on their impact, experience, and background.

3. First-Round Interview

• Shortlisted candidates participate in an initial interview with Fundable team members to assess their work, approach, and vision for change.

4. Second-Round Interview

• Candidates advancing past the first round engage in a more in-depth interview with Fundable's leadership team and/or past cohort members.

5. Reference Checks

• Shortlisted candidates are required to provide references who can verify their work, impact, and leadership within their community.

6. Site Visit

• A Fundable board member conducts an in-person site visit to observe the candidate's work in action.

7. Final Selection and Cohort Formation

• The final selection is made based on cumulative evaluations from all stages. Successful changemakers are invited to join the new cohort.