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*Creating Pathways from Homelessness to Homeownership
for Unhoused Families with Minor Children.*

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Joe W. Luckey III is an accomplished urban planner and community advocate with more than a decade of experience helping Southern California communities grow more responsibly and equitably. He earned his degree in Urban and Regional Planning from Cal Poly Pomona and currently serves as a City Planning Associate with Los Angeles City Planning, where his work includes helping implement state housing laws and advancing policies that affect housing, land use, neighborhood development, and community opportunity.

Driven by a commitment to equitable planning and public service, Joe founded Black Planners of Los Angeles, an organization established to support Black planning professionals while advancing the interests of Black residents, local youth, and historically underserved communities. Through education, advocacy, and community engagement, the organization helps residents understand how city planning, zoning, land use, real estate development, and public policy influence what is built, where resources are directed, and how neighborhoods develop.

Joe believes communities should not be excluded from the systems and decisions that shape their futures. He works to make complex planning processes understandable so residents can participate meaningfully, advocate effectively, and become informed agents of change within their neighborhoods. His professional accomplishments also include helping develop housing policies addressing the needs of students experiencing homelessness and housing insecurity throughout Los Angeles County.

Joe's service is grounded in faith and family. He is a devoted husband, proud father, and Deacon at Zion Hill Church. These commitments strengthen the integrity, compassion, and sense of responsibility he brings to his professional work and community leadership.

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As Director of Housing Policy, Community Planning, and Civic Partnerships for TCF FAMILY LEGACY FOUNDATION, Joe helps the Foundation understand the public policies, planning systems, land-use decisions, and development requirements that affect housing access and neighborhood opportunity. He provides valuable insight into how government actions and housing regulations can influence TCF's efforts to move families from homelessness and housing insecurity toward permanent housing and homeownership.

Joe also helps TCF build productive relationships with public agencies, civic leaders, nonprofit organizations, planners, developers, housing professionals, property partners, and community stakeholders. His role is not simply to make introductions. He helps identify areas of shared interest, translate TCF's mission into clear opportunities for collaboration, and strengthen partnerships that can produce practical resources and measurable outcomes for families.

His communication experience further enables him to translate complicated housing and planning information into language families, donors, and community partners can understand. Through public education, stakeholder engagement, and consistent messaging, Joe helps families recognize available resources, helps community organizations identify opportunities to work with TCF, and helps decision-makers understand the barriers confronting families with minor children.

Joe brings TCF a rare combination of technical planning knowledge, housing-policy experience, community credibility, civic relationships, and public-service leadership. His expertise helps ensure that the Foundation does more than respond to individual housing crises. It positions TCF to understand the systems contributing to housing instability, participate intelligently in community-development conversations, and build the civic partnerships necessary to create sustainable pathways from homelessness to homeownership.

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