

The background is a watercolor-style gradient transitioning from warm orange and red tones at the top to cool green and blue tones at the bottom. A red rectangular frame with rounded corners and a double-line border encloses the text. Large red quotation marks are positioned at the top-left and bottom-right corners of the frame.

Booklet #2

Housing, help, and getting
where you want to be

We know you've been doing a lot of surveys, and we really appreciate it! You may have noticed, however, that none of them are really asking you to share your ideas and opinions.

Your perspective is important.

How you feel about the systems around you, what's worked for you, the ways institutions have helped you or made your life harder...that is all really, really important stuff. In order to advocate for a system that actually works, we need your input.



This booklet is optional!

It's an opportunity for you to help us see what we are missing and be a part of something very big (we hope!).

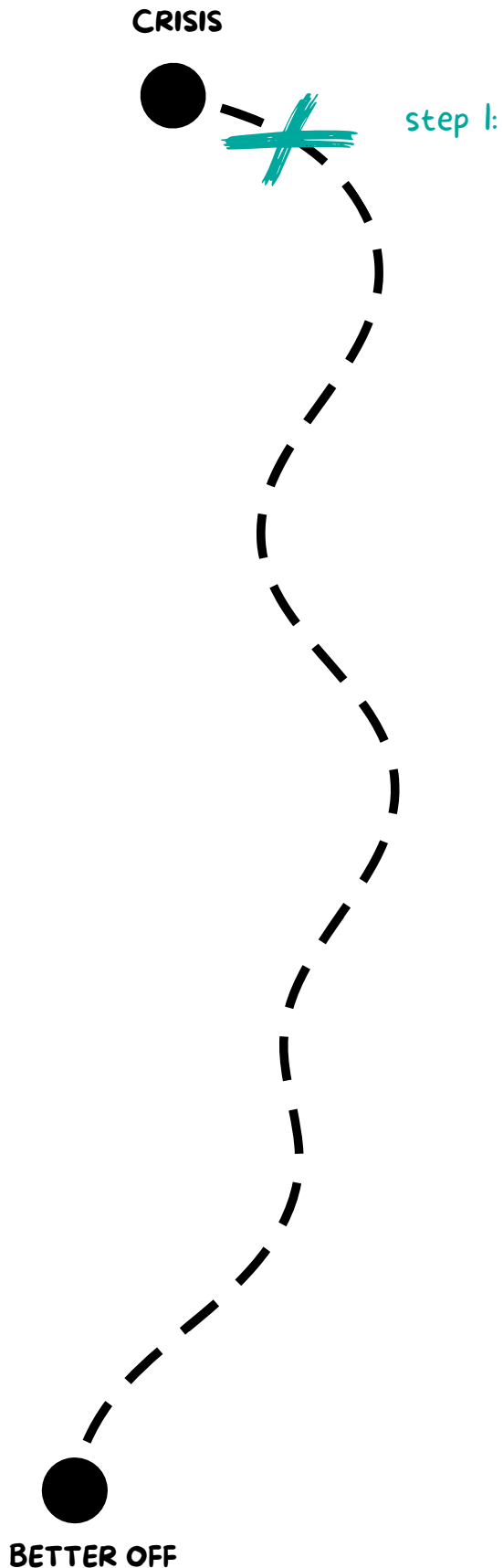
Have a look at the consent info at the back if you are okay with us using your answers here to try and make the world a better place. If you would rather keep your responses private, that's okay too!

4

Say you met someone who just lost their housing.

What would you tell them to do?

(add as many steps as you want)



choices

surprises

dangers

What would you warn them about?

In your opinion, what is the difference between...

A good landlord

A bad landlord

Somewhere unsafe

Somewhere safe

Homeless

Unhoused

What kind of housing do you want?
tell us about your preferences on the scale

Some ideas:

- Pet-friendly?
- Roommates?
- Transit accessible?
- How many rooms?

7

BEST CASE SCENARIO



What is your current living situation?

Where does it fit on this line?



LEAST PREFERRED OPTION



How do you know
"yep, this is the
place for me"?

What does housing change in someone's life?

What do you not have to worry about?

What do you still worry about?

Once you've moved into a place, how do you **keep** it?

Do these things help you?

- having \$___ in the bank
- Steady employment
- Some free time to keep things tidy

Add your own ideas!!!



What would be the biggest obstacles?













We can bring your knowledge and insight to a bigger audience.

Your input can help people understand what we need to do to better support everyone in our community. It can be shared with decision makers and leaders to make sure they see how policies affect real people. It can guide our future research. It can help us in our efforts to advocate for change and help us explain to people we rely on for funding exactly what is needed on the ground and why research into innovative solutions is important.

It's up to you.

Tell us what you want us to do with your answers:

- ☐ Use them to help guide FSC's future research projects
- ☐ Use them in communications to the people who fund our work
- ☐ Use them to support FSC's political/social advocacy campaigns
- ☐ Use them to show the impact of and need for FSC's work
- ☐ Do NOT use my responses for anything, just read them

Your signature

This is just to confirm your consent and you can take it back anytime.

Date

Your name

(You can use a pseudonym, your own first name or leave it blank if you want to be anonymous)

Can we use your name to give you credit for your ideas if we end up sharing the answers you've provided?

☐

No, I want to be 100% anonymous!

☐

Yes, use this name:

Would you like to be notified about how we use your answers, if they are published or otherwise shared?

☐

No, I don't care.

☐

Yes, notify me! (add your contact info below!)

Can we contact you if we have questions, or there are other opportunities for you to share your perspective?

☐

No thanks.

☐

Sure, I enjoyed this! (add contact info below!)

CONTACT INFO (OPTIONAL):

THANKS



**FOUNDATIONS
FOR
SOCIAL CHANGE**