

Exercise 3.6
Million-Dollar Visioning

30–45 minutes (This exercise is also great to do with your family or a group once each person has chosen his or her values and issue areas.)

Here's your chance to play Monopoly for the public good. Instead of hoarding your money and buying up all the properties, use this exercise to reflect on your vision of how you would give the money away to help create the world you want.

1. From the list of values and issues you care about, choose one problem in society you would like to help resolve:

2. Now imagine you have just been given \$1,000,000 to give away or invest in solving that problem, with no strings attached. What would you do, who would you convene or hire to support your efforts, and what institutional partners would you choose?

3. What outcomes would you hope for and in what time frame?

4. How would you be involved to maximize impact?

5. How would you share your vision with others?

6. What is holding you back from starting some of this work, even without \$1,000,000 or more currently in hand?