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Meet our new Chief Legal Officer, Hillary Zilz. Plus, check out the news outlets that are covering some of the imaginative ideas of our donors and nonprofit stakeholders.

FJC Welcomes Hillary Zilz as Chief Legal Officer

Ms. Zilz brings over 25 years of accomplished legal experience to the role, with a particular focus advising nonprofits of all sizes on transactional, governance, and strategic matters. Most recently Ms. Zilz was a Partner at the firm Schlam Stone & Dolan, where her clients included not-for-profit enterprises focused on housing, social services, arts, and education, as well as entrepreneurs, and family offices.



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Op-Eds, Interviews and Other News Coverage

The work of FJC and its donors is getting noticed! Our revolving fund with The Fortune Society was the subject of an [op-ed in Crain's New York Business](#) by CEO Sam Marks and Fortune Society executive director JoAnne Page. Sam also joined Fortune deputy director Stanley Richards for an interview on [BronxNet](#) to discuss the fund. Meanwhile, the Boss Up New York award program was featured in [The New York Times](#) and [NY1 News](#).

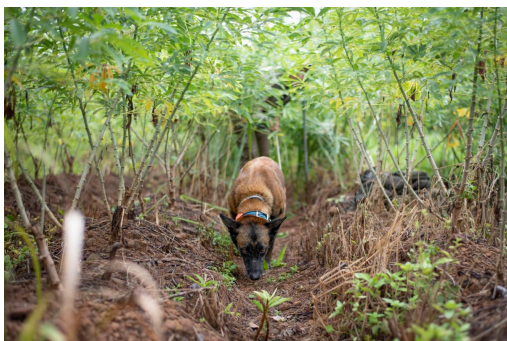
Replication of NYC Boss UP Award Program Supports Veteran Entrepreneurs

On the heels of [the first NYC Boss Up program](#), FJC has partnered with the Ron and Kerry Moelis Family Foundation for a new version of the program, this time focused on veteran entrepreneurs. The program will provide 7-10 selected



winners with a grant of \$20,000 and enrollment in a small business mentorship program to help veteran entrepreneurs build and grow their businesses.

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Animal Detectives De-Mine Ukraine

An anonymous donor at FJC is converting minefields back to productive agricultural land in Ukraine, the most mined country in the world, thanks to a \$25,000 grant to APOPO. This innovative nonprofit has developed a training and breeding program for animals who can sniff out and mark the ground where unexploded landmines exist, including dogs and African Giant Pouched Rats.

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From FJC's Blog Series

We invite you to review some of the ideas and best practices we distributed to our imaginative donors last year via our blog series "The Power of the Personal: Ideas and Inspiration from a Boutique DAF Sponsor." [More.](#)

Also, please review some of the impactful and innovative lending and impact investing transactions we posted about in 2022. [More.](#)

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