



# Resources are equally available, but they are not equitably accessible

- Federal, State, and Local Response Programs were established post-disaster
- Survivors have varying capacity and face unique barriers to apply for funding and services (e.g. lack of internet access and limited cell service)
- Underserved and marginalized groups are different in every community





# Highly individualized support is key to recovery: What does that look like in practice?



*Our team listened.  
And then they kept listening.*

- All fire survivors have experienced deep trauma and loss
- Equity issues in the McKenzie Valley revolve primarily around age, disability and socioeconomic status
- Individualized assistance that might seem “above and beyond” is often really required
- Track response and follow up, as necessary