



## video transcript

# transform your story 2017

**Nick Pyra:** Our city has grown in size. Services and needs from our communities are increasing and changing, and funding is sometimes inconsistent and constrained. This fund seeks to empower strong organizations with the courage to make the long-term impact on communities. Since 2013, with our first graduates in 2014, Chevron and Propellus have partnered on the Transform Your Story fund, which is something that's unique.

**Daniela Montgomery:** Now we had the vision and we had the passion, but what we lacked was the plans and tools to make them a reality. And that's where Transform Your Story came in and the support of Chevron and Propellus has truly been instrumental in transforming our charity,

**Blythe Gunn:** Our hope with this transformative opportunity is to provide a website and a knowledge center that is rich and current, and up to date with information to connect the disabilities community with resource options, therapy programs, treatment options. Using technology for social good.

**Joan Lee:** Our project was to develop a framework for creating a culture of philanthropy, in essence a road map about the steps about how to do that. How to do that in an established organization.

**Anne Lindsay:** It came a time when the museum was reinventing itself as a museum of flight. We began to clearly understand that rather than looking at what we're doing internally and having an internal focus we need to look outward. We need to be looking at the community and asking what they actually want from us.

**Chris Mazerolle:** Transform your story, it is for me all about leadership. We work on sustainability, building capacity, and we're spending more and more time and we're on the same journey as you now. It's a pretty exciting time to do that, it's challenging, but it's exciting. And it does give me great pleasure, and chevron great pleasure to help you on that journey.

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