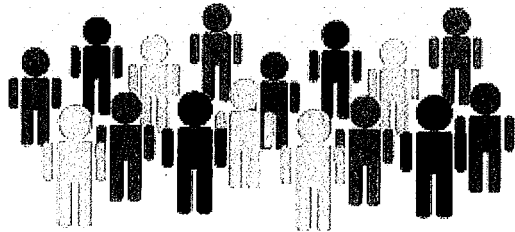


# An Innovative, Powerful Idea for Changing Aging in America

**POWER UP!**

## CHALLENGES



### Of Older Adults:

- By 2030, more than **70 million** Americans will be **65 and older**:
  - One in every five Americans.
  - Twice their number in 2000.
- Many will need **services to stay in their homes**.<sup>1</sup>



### Of Aging and Disability Services Providers:

- Demand is rising.
- Federal, state, and local **budgets are stretched**.
- Older adults are at risk.

The **8% federal sequester cuts** alone are expected to eliminate<sup>2</sup>:



**1.9 million** rides to medical appointments and errands.



**2.7 million** in-home services to help with cooking, bathing, etc.

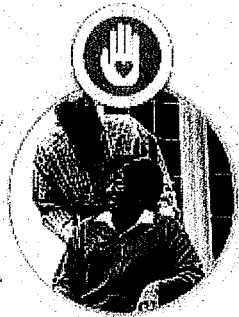


**17 million** group and home-delivered meals.

## SOLUTION: OLDER ADULT VOLUNTEERS!

**10,000** people reach age **65 every day**<sup>3</sup>; many retire.

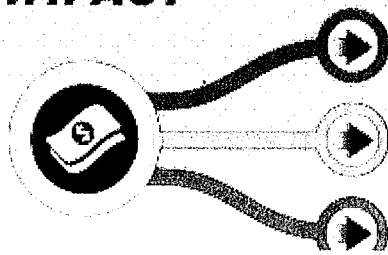
Many have **professional-level skills** and experience.



They want to **create real impact** in the world.<sup>4</sup>

They can volunteer at aging and disability services organizations to **meet growing needs**.

## IMPACT



The Aging Network's Volunteer Collaborative seeks to create **one million volunteers** providing aging and disability services **by 2015**.

Every **\$1 invested** in a skilled volunteer **returns \$8 in services** on average.

For every **\$1 in federal funding** for Older Americans Act programs, the *aging services network* leverages nearly **\$3**.