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This community-based research project explores the effects of the Mandatory Home Buyout Program in predominantly Hispanic communities in unincorporated Harris County, Texas. Conducted in partnership with Texas Appleseed and community organizers, who have been deeply within the neighborhoods targeted for the mandatory home buyout program. The interviews with mandatory home buyout participants revealed the unintended consequences of navigating the different stages of the program. Specifically, the study highlights the mental and physical health impacts and issues with the mandatory program. Ultimately, our preliminary findings and recommendations aim to support the improvement of this program in the future, and for a call of action to promote an inclusive participatory process to understand better the variety of needs among the potential participants.