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Subject: As you prepare to move forward with leveraging AWS to address the homelessness in Arlington County...

Anita and Jack, as you prepare to work with Laura and team on leveraging AWS to address the homelessness issue in Arlington, these thoughts came to my mind which are quotes from DJ Patil, former Chief Data Scientist of the United States Office of Science and Technology...<https://aws.amazon.com/stateandlocal/health-and-human-services/>

1. "People will always be greater than data." When we look at the edge cases that drive the need for this innovation, we must remember that these are people. Each case has a name, a life that needs saving. Whether it's connecting cancer research data to find a cure or mental health data to get someone the help they need to live productively in our society...
2. "...The more data that we can connect, the faster we will come to solutions that will improve and save the lives of citizens."
3. "...the solution lies in connecting data that already exists in fragmented datasets."

"...technology is neither radical nor revolutionary unless it benefits every single person."

--Kelley

Remember...where you are does not define where you are going