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The Neighborhood Work Project, (NWP), launched by Vera in 1978 in New York City, is a day-labor program for persons recently released from prison. NWP's goals are to provide individuals with an opportunity to earn legitimate income on a flexible work schedule for several months after release, and to assist the City and community groups in carrying out neighborhood improvement projects.

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