Working Collectively...Valuing Assets in our Community

Leagues Alive 2019



Is your league short of volunteers, burning out the remaining volunteers and having challenges meeting the needs of the community?









Are your board or community connectors interested in providing programs in a different way?





K

Working collectively is not a new concept. Is your league ready?



Icebreaker

- Gather around the flipchart with your birth month
- Order your group based on the year you were born
- In pairs or groups of three write down anything in common you discover about each other
- We will get back to the flipcharts at the end of the presentation











5 practices of Exemplary Leadership

Model the Way	Shared Vision	Challenge the Process	-	Enable Others	Encourage the Heart	
BelieveCareExample	InspireEnvisionFuture	ChangeExperimentTake risks		 Collaborate Cooperative goals Build trust 	 Value assets Show appreciation Spirit of community 	

Most successful processes or models used in working together require leadership competencies.







5 Core elements of Collective Impact

Common Agenda Shared Measurement		Mutually Reinforcing Activities	Continuous Communication	Backbone Support	
 Share a vision for change Common understanding of the problem Joint approach/agreed upon actions 	 Agree on measure for progress Common indicators of success Learning and improvement 	 Diverse stakeholders Different assets Mutually reinforcing activities 	All frequently communicateStructured communicationBuild trust	 Independent Dedicated staff/volunteer Administration/Operations 	

This model is used to strategically organize all of the relevant groups in the community to accomplish a population-wide outcome.





4 Essential Elements of an Asset-Based Community Development Process

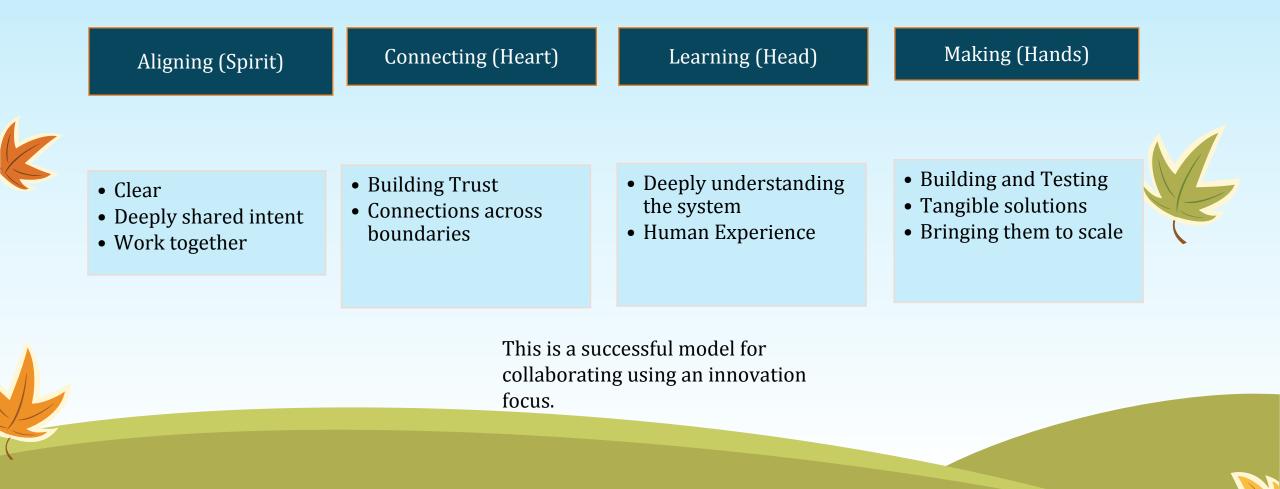
Reso	ources	Methods	Community Function	Evaluation	
 Residents Associations Institutions Places Exchange Stories 	• Disc • Wel • Port • Shar • Cele • Visio	come cray ce brate	 Enabling Health Assuring Security Stewarding Ecology Shaping Local Economies Contributing to Local Food Production Raising Our Children Co-creating care 	 Gift Exchange Deepening of Life Number participating and co-producing residents increased citizen power 	Ķ

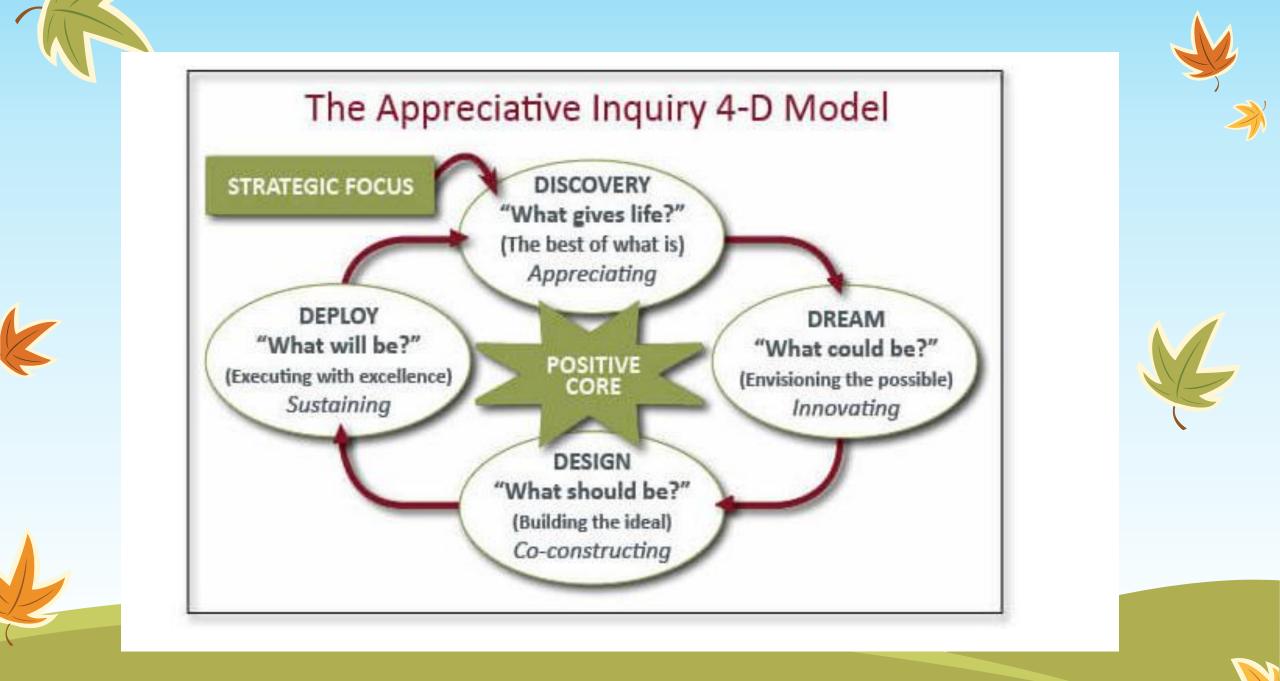
This is a successful model for asset-based community development.





4 Agendas in Collaborative Innovation





Birth Month Groups

- What did you have in COMMON? (Common Agenda/Spirit)
- Did you care about what the others had to say? (Heart)

	Leadership	Collective Impact	ASSET-Bas ed CD	Agendas in Collaboration	Appreciative Inquiry	
	Inspire, believe, Envision	Shared vision	Deepening of Life	Shared intent, work together	What gives life?	Spirit
		Common indicator of success	Celebrate, share welcome	Build trust	Dream	Heart
	care, value, appreciate			Human Experience	Design	Head
	take risks, change, cooperate	Frequent and structured communication,	Enable others	Build together, test and scale	Deploy	Hands
	build trust, collaborate	backbone Build trust, collective impact	Community assets			

L





Putting Theory into Practice

Can you think of programs or needs your league has that others may have? (Head)



How can you get started? (Hands)



Questions?

Ideas?

Debbie Clark, MBA CED and Public Policy

Currently Executive Director



