







BUILDING COMMUNITIES

Plan Week

Day	Activity	Purpose	Central Question	Your Role	Time (hours)
Monday	 STRATEGY SELECTOR TOOL	Identify the strategies most likely to succeed in your community	What Should We Do?	Share your knowledge about your community	3
Tuesday	 VOICE OF THE COMMUNITY	Hear from the community	What Do We Want?	Listen to what citizens want	2
Wednesday	 COMMUNITY ORGANIZER	Determine the capacity to proceed	How Are Going To Do This?	Participate in determining the capacity to do the work	3
Thursday	 ESSENTIAL ACTION STEPS	Select the strategies & draft the plan	Who Is Going To Do What By When?	Assign roles and deadlines to do the work	3
Friday	 ELEVATOR SPEECH	Create your Community Elevator Speech	Why?	Share your thoughts and feelings about why you support your community and the Plan for the future	2



Everyone wants to live in a community that features a high quality of life and offers viable economic opportunities for current and future generations.

At the same time, every community is unique.

Over the next week, while keeping the uniqueness of your community in mind, you will select strategies, initiatives, and design projects to create a higher quality and more sustainable place to live and work.

Some people claim that there are no heroes anymore. Building Communities disagrees. We believe the real heroes of today are the people who volunteer their time and talent to make their community a better place to live and work.

Let's get started!