

Sample Theme and Project Worksheet for an Adaptive Plan

CONCEPTS FOR CO-CREATION

Themes: Big ideas connected to a challenge we're trying to overcome or an opportunity we're trying to advance

Projects: Actions we're going to take linked to themes that are designed to overcome a challenge or advance an opportunity.

Principals: Collective values that guide how we would like to act

Vision: What we want the future to look like

THEME WORKSHEET

CREATED BY

Author:

THEME NAME AND DESCRIPTION

Describe the big idea.

THE PROBLEM OR OPPORTUNITY

A challenge we're trying to overcome or an opportunity we're trying to advance.

WHY IT IS IMPORTANT

What kinds of outcomes will it lead to?

KEY PRINCIPLES (EXAMPLES)

- Diverse and inclusive
- Innovative
- Sustainability
- Collaborative

TRENDS AND CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO THE THEME

Recent (It's happening)

Emerging (It's starting to happen)

Weak signals (We're sensing signs, but not sure what they are or what they mean)

QUESTIONS FOR THOUGHT

WHAT CAN BE DONE

Best practice responses (Typical/Normal)

Future forward adaptive possibilities

THE ECOSYSTEM

Assets (things, people, organizations)

Opportunities to Build On

Challenges to Address

FURTHER INFORMATION NEEDED

To further understand the challenge, what information is needed.

PROJECT WORKSHEET

CREATED BY

Author:

PROJECT NAME

Action we're going to take.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION & PURPOSE

INTENDED OUTCOMES

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- Diverse and inclusive
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TRENDS AND CONDITIONS DRIVING THE PROJECT

Recent

Emerging

Weak signals

PARTNERS/CONTRIBUTORS/BENEFICIARIES

INITIAL ACTIONS/ACTIVITIES TO GET STARTED

Task	Who	By When

RESOURCES NEEDED

Including funding, staffing, equipment, skills, knowledge, etc. to have the capacity to be able to start and implement.

MEASURES OF SUCCESS