

## RESOURCES FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

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<b>ON SELECTING &amp; FRAMING AN ISSUE</b>	<p>In early June, 2008, Everyday Democracy will launch an issue guide exchange (IGX), a free, online resource for anyone who wants to share, create, and talk about discussion materials.</p> <p>Be looking for it at <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org</a></p>
<b>ON SETTING GOALS</b>	<p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i> (a publication of Everyday Democracy), “Getting Started.”</p> <p>Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.GettingStarted.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.GettingStarted.aspx</a></p>
<b>ON BUILDING A COALITION</b>	<p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i>, “Build Your Own Team: Building a Strong, Diverse Working Group and Organizing Coalition.”</p> <p>Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.BuildTeam.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.BuildTeam.aspx</a></p>
<b>ON RECRUITING PARTICIPANTS</b>	<p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i>, “Share the Work of Organizing Study Circles: Recruit Participants and Form Diverse Groups.”</p> <p>Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.RecruitParticipants.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.RecruitParticipants.aspx</a></p>
<b>ON TRAINING FACILITATORS</b>	<p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i>, “Share The Work of Organizing Study Circles: Recruit, Train &amp; Support Facilitators.”</p> <p>Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.RecruitFacilitators.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.RecruitFacilitators.aspx</a></p>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ON RACIAL &amp; ETHNIC DIVERSITY &amp; INCLUSION</b></p>	<p><i>Structural Racism and Community Building</i>, The Aspen Institute Roundtable on Community Change. Free download from <a href="http://www.aspeninstitute.org/atf/cf/{DEB6F227-659B-4EC8-8F84-8DF23CA704F5}/aspen_structural_racism2.pdf">http://www.aspeninstitute.org/atf/cf/{DEB6F227-659B-4EC8-8F84-8DF23CA704F5}/aspen_structural_racism2.pdf</a></p> <p><i>Facing Racism in a Diverse Nation: A Guide for Public Dialogue and Problem Solving</i> (a publication of Everyday Democracy). Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Resource.91.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Resource.91.aspx</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ON EVALUATION &amp; DOCUMENTATION</b></p>	<p>“Flipping The Script: White Privilege &amp; Community Building,” MP Associates, Inc. and the Center for Assessment and Policy Development. Free download from <a href="http://www.capd.org/pubfiles/pub-2005-01-01.pdf">http://www.capd.org/pubfiles/pub-2005-01-01.pdf</a> (see chapter 9, on evaluation).</p> <p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i>, “Document and evaluate your program.” Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.Document.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.Document.aspx</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ON COMMUNICATION</b></p>	<p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i>, “Share the Work of Organizing Study Circles: Plan and Carry Out Communication.” Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.Communications.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.Communications.aspx</a></p> <p>Also, check out Everyday Democracy’s blog: <a href="http://ww.DemocracySpace.org">http://ww.DemocracySpace.org</a>, a blog for community stories and national news related to community engagement and its results. Also see Rich Harwood’s blog, Redeeming Hope, at <a href="http://www.theharwoodinstitute.org">http://www.theharwoodinstitute.org</a>.</p>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ON BEST PRACTICES IN ENGAGEMENT</b></p>	<p><i>Toward Competent Communities: Best Practices For Producing Community-Wide Study Circles</i>, Roberts &amp; Kay, Inc. (RKI). Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Resource.20.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Resource.20.aspx</a> (This is a very long document, so we also make copies available for \$25. To receive a printed copy, please contact us at <a href="mailto:info@everyday-democracy.org">info@everyday-democracy.org</a>.)</p> <p><i>What Works: Study Circles in the Real World; Best Practices for Organizing Community-Wide Study Circles</i> (a publication of Everyday Democracy). Free download from: <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Resource.19.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Resource.19.aspx</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ON PLANNING TO SUPPORT ACTION &amp; RESULTS</b></p>	<p><i>Organizing Community-Wide Dialogue for Action and Change</i>, “Share The Work Of Organizing Study Circles: Plan For Action, Including The Action Forum.” Free download from <a href="http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.Action.aspx">http://www.Everyday-Democracy.org/en/Page.Organizing.Action.aspx</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RESOURCES ON SPECIFIC ISSUES</b></p>	<p>Everyday Democracy has adaptable, comprehensive discussion guides on specific issues, including poverty, education, racism, youth issues, neighborhoods, and growth &amp; sprawl. All of these are available as free downloads from <a href="http://ww.everyday-democracy.org">http://ww.everyday-democracy.org</a>. (Click on the specific issue from the home page). Most of these are available in Spanish, also available as free downloads.</p>