



## TOOL | ASSESSING COLLECTIVE IMPACT RESOURCES

*Pre-conditions: Does your Collective have Adequate Resources?*

There are three pre-conditions of Collective Impact: Influential Champions; Urgency of Issue; and Adequate Resources. Together, these pre-conditions identify three community elements that determine the success of a Collective Impact effort. A good assessment of these conditions enables groups to undertake the groundwork needed to build awareness, and ultimately momentum, around its issue.

### TOOL DESCRIPTION:

One of the three pre-conditions of Collective Impact is Adequate Resources. Certainly funding is an important dimension of resourcing Collective Impact, however the resources needed for a robust Collective Impact effort also include: human resources, services, and goods. Below you will find two worksheets that will help your group to identify the resources that you have and the resources that you will need.



**TOOL HOW TO:**

**Step 1.** – Together as a group, use the chart below to document the resources that you have and who provides them. (15min)

<b>Step #1 -Assessing our Collective Impact Resources Worksheet</b>			
Our Collective Impact Goal: _____			
<b>What do we <u>HAVE</u> to support our Collective Impact effort?</b>			
<b>Human</b> Seconding Staff, Volunteers, Contract/research staff etc.	<b>Financial</b> Money, Donations	<b>Goods</b> Office Space, Computers etc.	<b>Services</b> Media, Video, Website, Financial Management etc.
Have	Have	Have	Have
Who	Who	Who	Who

**Step 2.** – Still in your large group, document the resources you will need to help support your group to be a successful Collective Impact initiative. (15 min)

<b>Step #2 -Assessing our Collective Impact Resources Worksheet</b>			
<b>What do we <u>NEED</u> to support our Collective Impact effort?</b>			
<b>Human</b> Seconding Staff, Volunteers, Contract/research staff etc.	<b>Financial</b> Money, Donations	<b>Goods</b> Office Space, Computers etc.	<b>Services</b> Media, Video, Website, Financial Management etc.
Need	Need	Need	Need
Who	Who	Who	Who

## TOOL DEBRIEF:

Debrief questions can include:

- What actions do we need to take based upon our analysis?