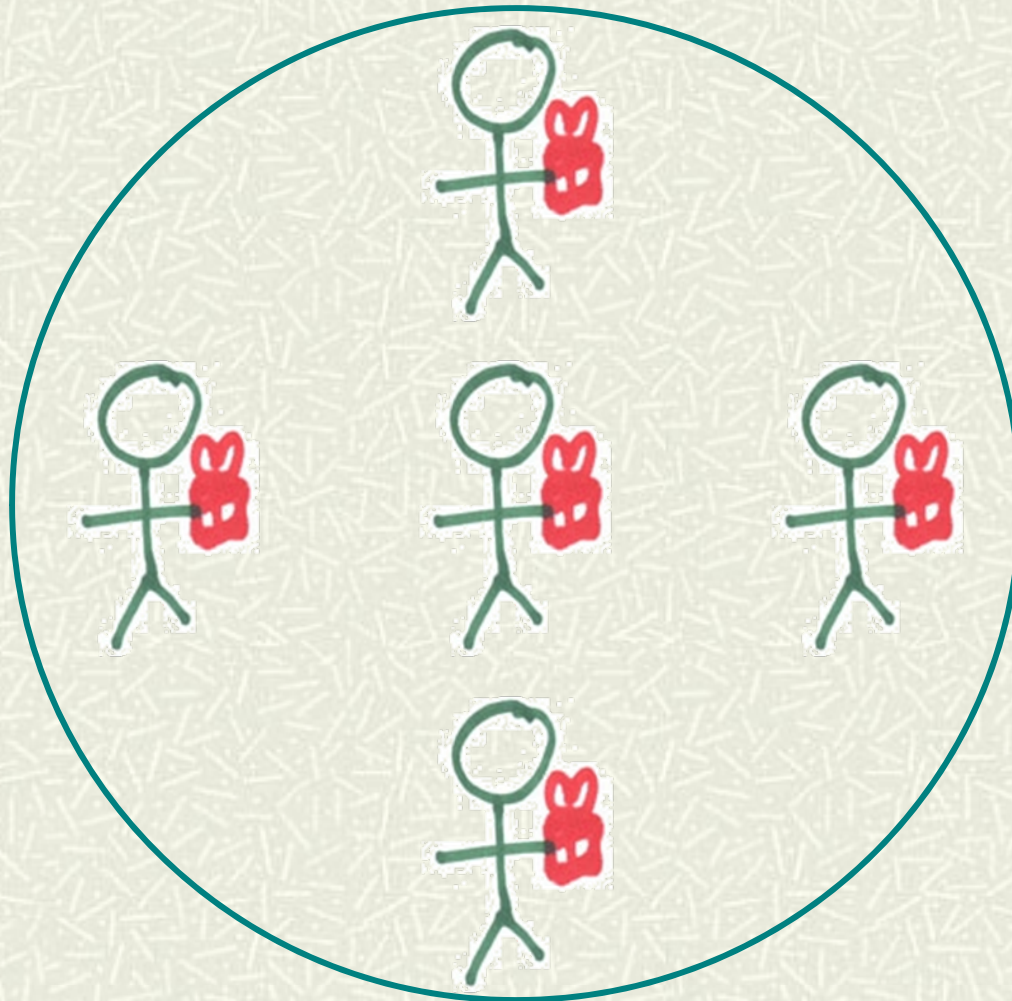




Associations



Master List of Associations

Addiction Prevention and Recovery Groups

- Drug Ministry/ Testimonial Group for Addicts
- Campaign for a Drug-Free Neighborhood
- High School Substance Abuse Committee

Advisory Community Support Groups (Friends of...)

- Friends of the Library
- Neighborhood Park Advisory Council
- Hospital Advisory Group

Animal Care Groups

- Cat Owner's Association
- Humane Society

Anti Crime Groups

- Children's Safe Haven Neighborhood Group
- Police Neighborhood Watch
- Senior Safety Group

Block Clubs

- Condominium Owner's Association
- Building Council
- Tenant Club

Business Organizations/ Support Groups

- Jaycees
- Local Chamber of Commerce
- Economic Development Council
- Local Restaurant Association

Charitable Groups and Drives

- Local Hospital Auxiliary
- Local United Way
- United Negro College Fund

Civic Events Groups

- Local Parade Planning Committee
- Arts and Crafts Fair
- July 4th Carnival Committee
- Health Fair Committee



Master List of Associations (cont.)

Cultural Groups

- Community Choir
- Drama Club
- Dance Organization
- High School Band

Disability/Special Needs Groups

- Special Olympics Planning Committee
- Local American Lung Association
- Local Americans with Disabilities Association
- Local Muscular Dystrophy Association

Education Groups

- Local School Council
- Local Book Club
- Parent Teach Association
- Literacy Councils
- Tutoring Groups

Elderly Groups

- Hospital Seniors Clubs
- Westside Seniors Clubs
- Church Seniors Clubs
- Senior Craft Club

Environmental Groups

- Neighborhood Recycling Club
- Sierra Club
- Adopt-a-Stream
- Bike Path Committee
- Clean Air Committee
- Pollution Control
- Save the Park Committee

Family Support Groups

- Teen Parent Organization
- Foster Parents' Support Group
- Parent Alliance Group
- Black Empowerment Group
- Norwegian Society
- Neighborhood Historical Society
- African American Heritage Association

Health Advocacy and Fitness Groups

- Weight Watchers
- TOPS
- Traffic Safety Organization
- Child Injury Prevention Group
- Yoga Club
- YMCA/YWCA Fitness Groups
- Anti-Violence Group
- Senior Fitness Club



Master List of Associations (cont.)

Hobby and Collectors Groups

- Coin Collector Association
- Stamp Collector Association
- Arts and Crafts Club
- Garden Club of Neighbors
- Sewing Club
- Antique Collectors

Men's Groups

- Fraternal Orders
- Church Men's Organizations
- Men's Sports Organizations
- Fraternities

Mentoring Groups

- After School Mentors
- Peer Mentoring Groups
- Church Mentoring Groups
- Big Brothers, Big Sisters
- Rights of Passage Organizations

Mutual Support Groups

- La Leche League
- Disease Support Groups (cancer, etc.)
- Parent-to-Parent Groups
- Family-to-Family Groups

Neighborhood Improvement Groups

- The Neighborhood Garden Club
- Council of Books Club
- Neighborhood Anti-Crime Council
- Neighborhood Clean-Up Council

Political Organizations

- Democratic Club
- Republican Club

Recreation Groups

- Kite-Flying Club
- Bowling Leagues
- Basketball Leagues
- Body Builders Club
- Little League
- Motorcycle Clubs

Religious Groups

- Churches
- Mosques
- Synagogues
- Men's Religious Groups
- Women's Religious Groups
- Youth Religious Groups



Master List of Associations (cont.)

Service Clubs

- Zonta
- Optimist
- Rotary Clubs
- Lions Clubs
- Kiwanis Clubs

Social Groups

- Bingo Club
- Card Playing Club
- Social Activity Club
- Dance Club

Social Cause/Advocacy/ Issue Groups

- Get Out the Vote Council
- Peace Club
- Hunger Organization
- Vigil Against Violence
- Community Action Council
- Social Outreach Ministry
- Soup Kitchen Group

Union Groups

- Industrial (UAW)
- Crafts Unions (Plumbing Council)

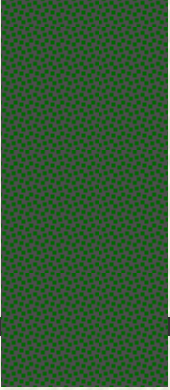
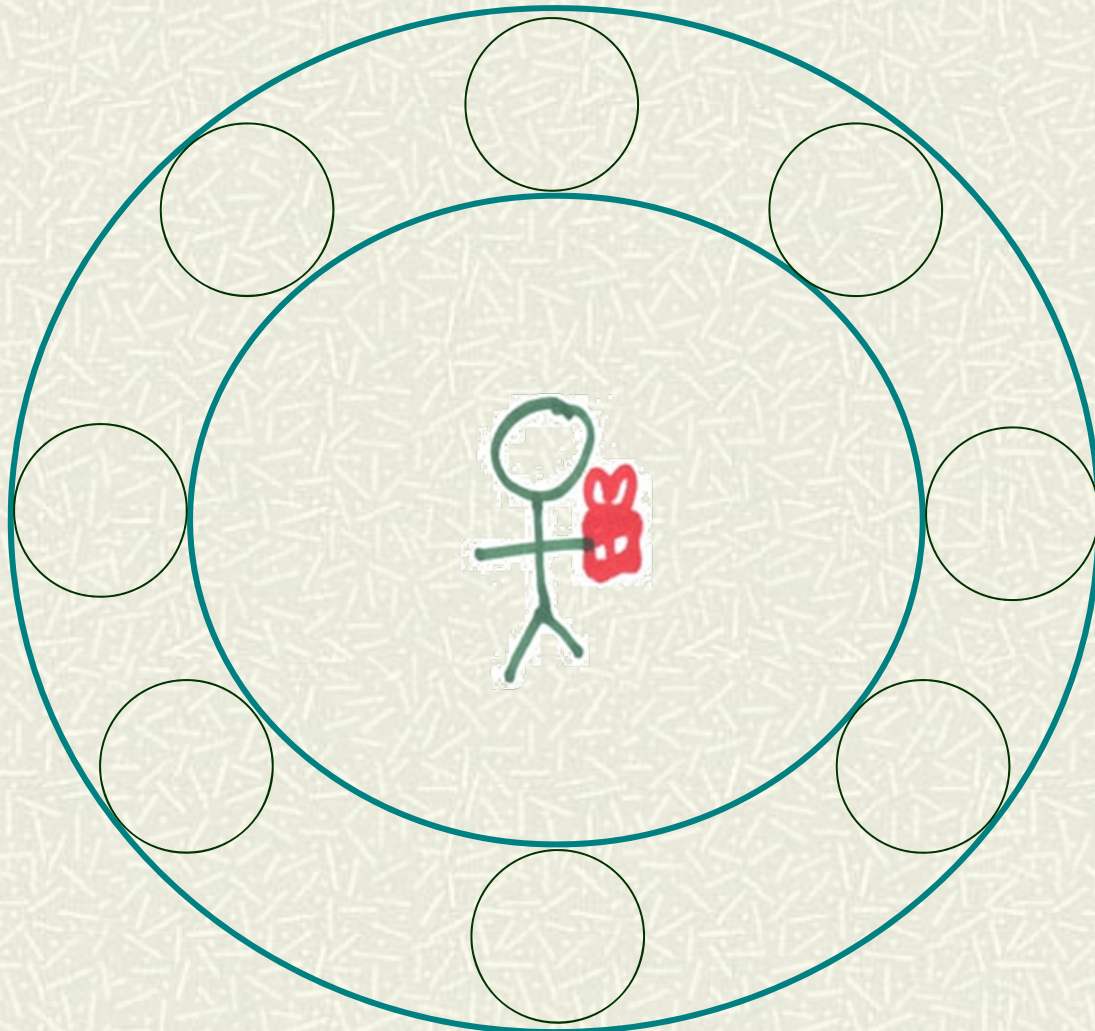
Veteran's Groups

- Veterans of Foreign Wars
- Women's Veterans Organizations
- Women's Groups
- Sororal Organizations
- Women's Sports Groups
- Women's Auxiliary
- Mother's Board
- Eastern Star

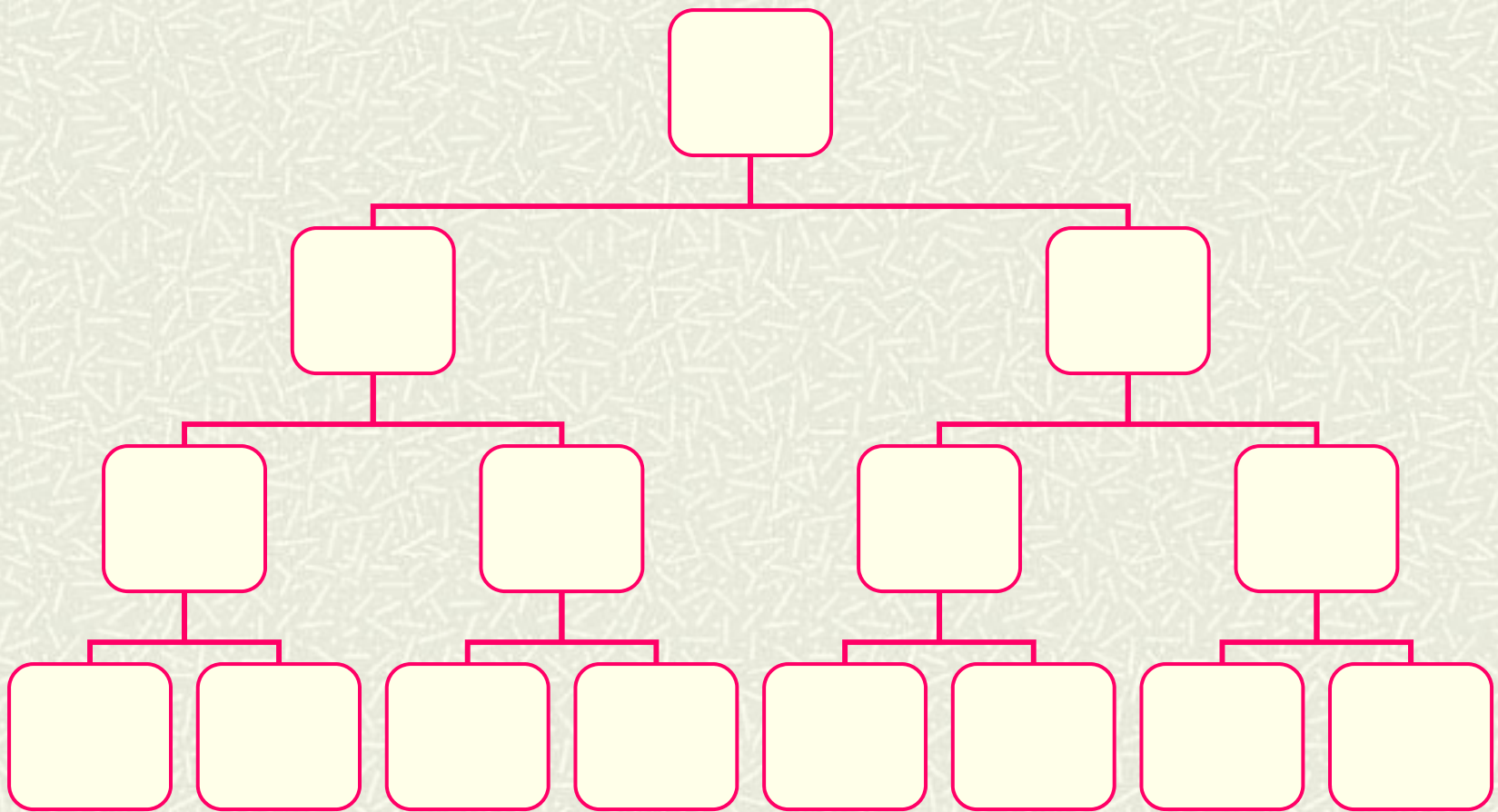
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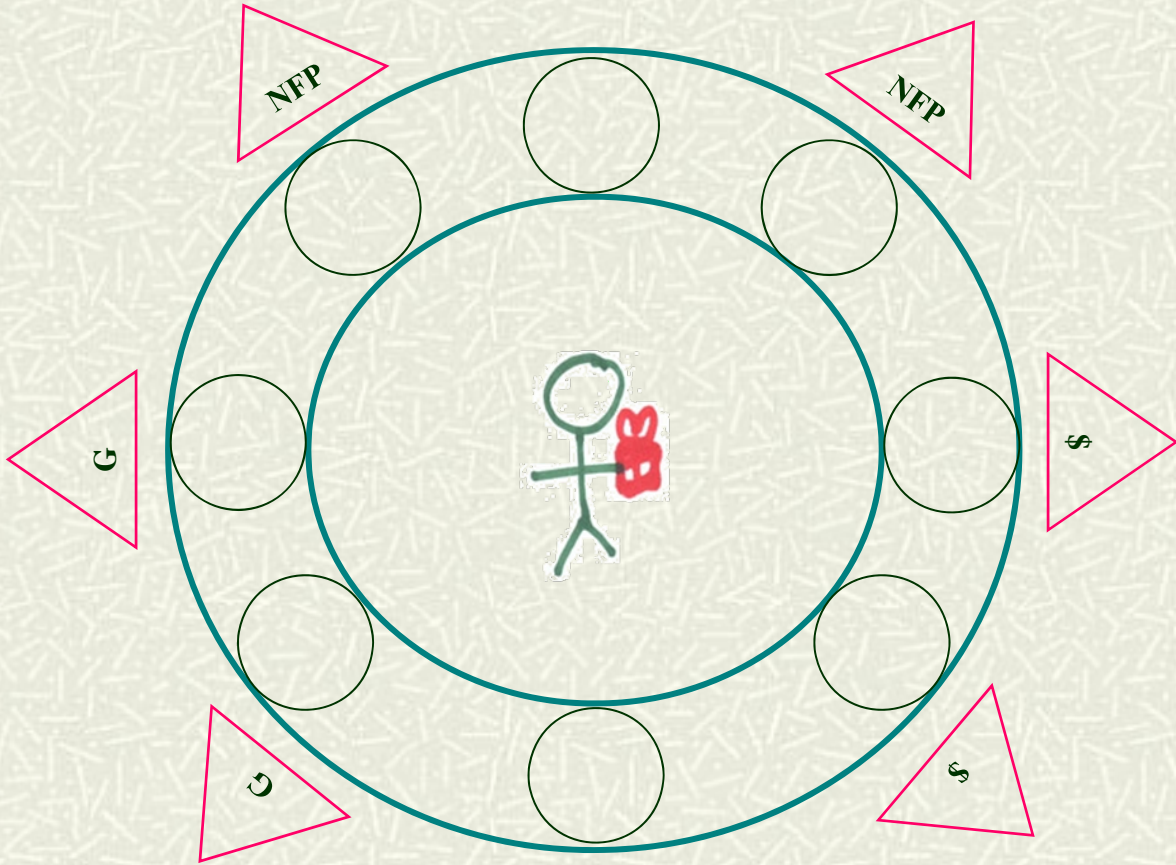
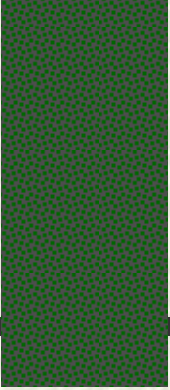
- After School Group
- 4-H
- Girl and Boy Scouts
- Junior Achievement
- Boys and Girls Clubs
- Explorers Clubs
- Teen Leadership Club





Institutions





Five Types of Assets to Connect

1. Talents and skills of our people
2. Associations, and our network of relationships
3. Institutions and professional entities
4. Physical assets
 - Land
 - Property
 - Buildings
 - Equipment
5. Economic assets
 - Productive work of individuals
 - Consumer spending power
 - Local business assets



Willingness to Work on Neighborhood Projects

	Have Done Work	Willing but Haven't Done Work	Uncertain if Willing	Not Willing
Neighborhood Beautification	10	6	5	0
Working with Youth	15	4	1	1
Working with Senior Citizens	12	7	2	0
Supporting Families	8	9	4	0
Improving Neighborhood Health	10	6	3	2
Neighborhood Safety	8	8	3	2

Based on interviews with 21 association leaders



Willingness to Work on Neighborhood Issues

	Have Done Work	Willing but Haven't Done Work	Uncertain if Willing	Not Willing
Teenage Pregnancy	3	9	4	5
Child Abuse	4	10	4	3
Drug Abuse	5	12	4	0
Domestic Violence	2	10	3	6
Youth Truancy & Gangs	7	9	2	1
Integrating Disabled People	4	12	3	2
Integrating Ex-Convicts	5	9	4	3

Based on interviews with 21 association leaders



Associations and the Local Economy

	Have Done Work	Willing but Haven't Done Work	Uncertain if Willing	Not Willing
Start or attract businesses to the neighborhood	2	15	4	0
Buy at new businesses in the neighborhood	1	16	2	2
Invest in new businesses in the neighborhood	2	11	2	6
Buy at existing local businesses	2	16	2	1
Improve the general business climate (i.e., safety patrols, parking)	1	15	3	2
Invest in the expansion of local businesses	0	15	2	4
Get banks to provide credit to existing local businesses	1	16	2	2
Close undesirable local businesses	0	0	7	3

Based on interviews with 21 association leaders



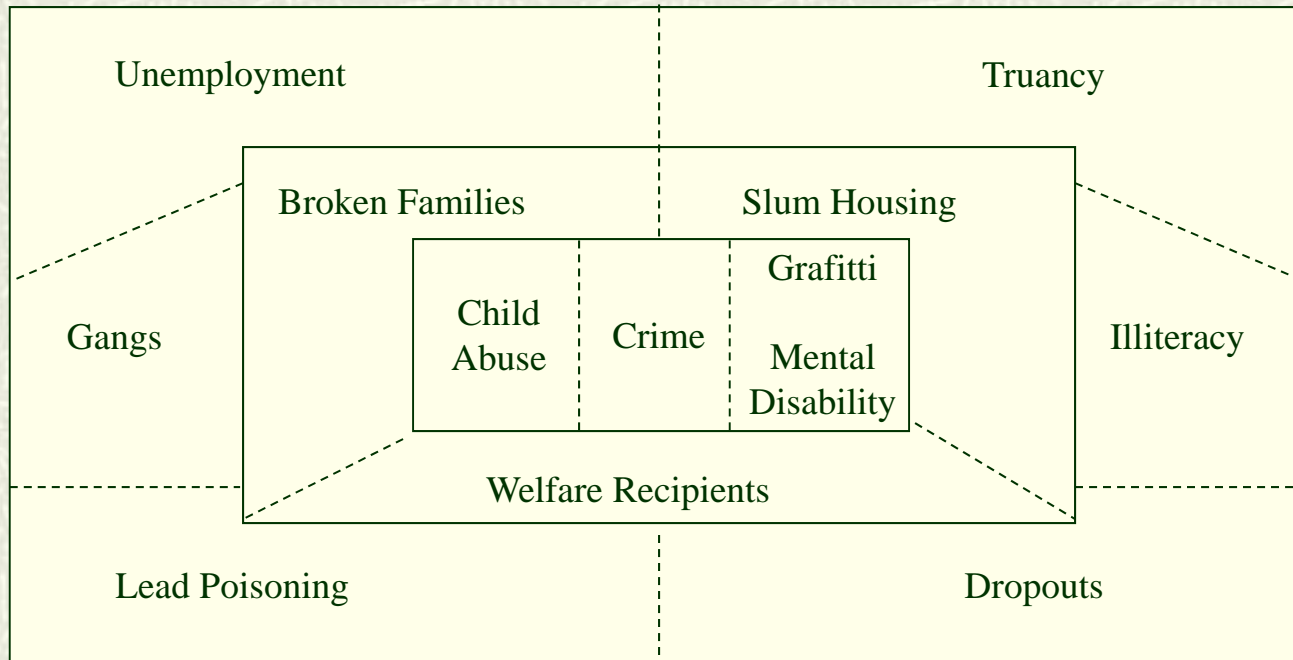
Associations and Job Training/ Placement

	Have Done Work	Willing but Haven't Done Work	Uncertain if Willing	Not Willing
Start a job training program in the neighborhood	2	11	2	6
Participate in an existing job training program in the neighborhood	5	12	2	2
Participate in an inventory of the job skills and interests of local residents	1	12	2	6
Inform members of neighborhood jobs through postings	6	11	3	1
Inform non-members of local jobs through postings	5	13	2	1
Help local teenagers find jobs	4	14	2	1
Connect unemployed residents to the work places of employed members	4	13	2	2

Based on interviews with 21 association leaders



Neighborhoods Needs Map



A Sample Community Asset Map

