WEBINAR RESOURCE GUIDE
Engaging communities in budget decisions to build power

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Guidance

Check out [2024 webinar series](#) for a preview of upcoming topics.

Visit the Participatory Budgeting Project’s [website](#) to learn more about their work.

Learn more about the Tacoma-Pierce County (Washington) Health Department’s participatory budgeting efforts in this [research report](#) and [case study](#).

Guest Resources

**Anita Dos Santos**, advocacy manager, Participatory Budgeting Project
The [Scoping Toolkit](#) will help you understand what it takes to start a participatory budgeting process.

[PB Can](#) offers case studies.

The [Participatory Budgeting Toolkit for Cities](#) outlines best practices for participatory budgeting evaluation.

[Impacts of participatory budgeting](#) is a research brief on the short- and long-term impacts of participatory budgeting on people, communities and governments.

**Benjii Bittle**, business development manager, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department
Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department’s participatory budgeting process is featured by the Public Health Accreditation Board in [Introducing Participatory Budgeting to Public Health Departments](#).
Discussion Group Resources

DECIDERS (Deliberative Engagement of Communities in Decisions about Resource Spending) developed CHAT, an interactive game that shows a resource allocation process.

CoLab is housed at the University of Washington School of Medicine and supports the integration of evidence with community expertise to advance behavioral health policy.

The Washington State Office of Equity developed Community Compensation Guidelines to remove barriers to creating policies with community.

The City of Burnsville, Minnesota, has been exploring participatory budgeting and developed a white paper and videos about the process.

Healthy Places by Design (HPbD)

Healthy Places by Design facilitated the post-webinar discussion group. Its Community Action Model was developed with insights from more than a dozen years supporting successful community health initiatives and a deep understanding of the community change process.

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