



BUILDING SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES CONSORTIUM

Technical Assistance Application Form

Applicant

Jurisdiction:

Contact:

Street

Address:

City, State, Zip

Phone:

Email:

Data and Demographics

If data is not available, please note "not available" or "unknown."

Population 2000:
2010:
2020:

How many full-time employees are dedicated to land use planning?

Which category best describes your community? Urban Rural Suburban

Check all that apply in your community or targeted neighborhood:

High rates of poverty - more than 20% of households are at or below the federal poverty threshold, or the median household income is at 70% or less of the national average (<http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/index.html>)

High unemployment - Unemployment rate is greater than the national average (<http://www.bls.gov/cps/>)

Low affordability - High percentage of population pays more than 45% of household income on housing and transportation costs (<http://htaindex.cnt.org/map/>)

Residents face a disproportionate level of environmental degradation, social inequity, historic underrepresentation, economic stagnation, and/or recent economic disruption

Comments or additional information that further explains the challenges in your community:

Policies and Priorities

Please provide all requested data. If data is not available, note "not available" or "unknown."

Check the plans your community has already adopted and indicate the last time they were updated:

Comprehensive/General/Master Plan
Last updated:

Bike/Pedestrian Plan
Last updated:

Housing Plan
Last updated:

Park/Recreation/Open Space Plan
Last updated:

Comments:

Check the categories your community has already addressed with policies and/or regulations:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Complete streets
Demonstration
projects/PUDs | <input type="checkbox"/> Historic preservation | <input type="checkbox"/> Tree retention |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Design review | <input type="checkbox"/> Height bonuses | <input type="checkbox"/> Density bonuses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Maximum block lengths | <input type="checkbox"/> Expedited permitting
Limitations on cul-de-
sac development | <input type="checkbox"/> Joint and shared parking |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed use zones |

Comments:

Community Self Assessment
Rank the following statements.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
We are seeking additional expertise to shape the future growth of our community.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Most development in our community is auto-oriented.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
We experienced a high rate of population growth in the last 10 years.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High future growth rates are projected for our community	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
We have started to align our planning documents and goals with sustainable communities ideas and practices.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Existing or proposed projects in our community align with the Livability Principles.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

We lack the resources to implement innovative plans and policies.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Our elected officials strongly support sustainability initiatives.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Our citizens strongly support sustainability initiatives.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
We have an elected official or other community leader that regularly champions sustainability initiatives.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
An organization in our community has capacity to assist with implementation of our proposed project.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
We are eager to share lessons learned from our proposed project.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other jurisdictions tend to follow our example.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments: