

POINTS OF LIGHT

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### **THE CIVIC 50 LEARNING & RECOGNITION**





How extensively and strategically your company applies its resources to community engagement, including employee time, skills, cash, in-kind giving, and leadership.

#### INTEGRATION

How your company's community engagement program supports business interests and integrates into business functions, or how it "does well by doing good."

### The Survey & Assessment Tool

- Self-administered and online
- All questions are quantitative
- Scoring is normalized and applicants are compared to similar size companies
- Only honoree companies made public



#### **INSTITUTIONALIZATION**

How your company supports community engagement through its institutional policies, systems and incentives.

#### IMPACT

How your company measures the social and business impact of its community engagement program.



#### **GUIDING THE WAY FOR CORPORATE CITIZENSHIP**

### **THE CIVIC 50 NATIONAL HONOREES**



#### **REASONS TO PARTICIPATE**

### THE VALUE FOR COMPANIES

#### **YEAR-ROUND RECOGNITION**

In addition to the announcement, honorees are provided with marketing assets and resources to promote their designation internally and externally.

#### **ALIGN & SCALE YOUR PROGRAMS**

The Civic 50 framework provides companies with a simple, yet effective tool for aligning and scaling their programs to drive greater community impact.

#### **PEER CONNECTIONS & LEARNING**

Connect with and learn from other leading peer companies to share insights and best practices.

#### **SCORECARD REPORT & BENCHMARKING**

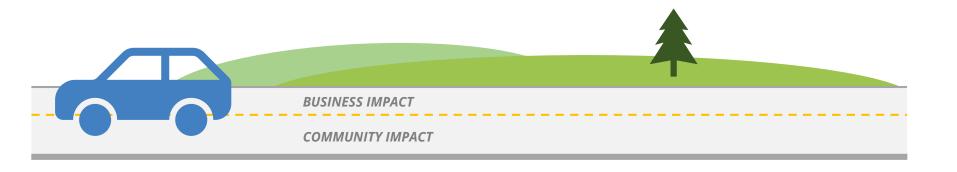
Every company receives a free scorecard report with benchmarking data to help track annual improvement and communicate your impact story.

#### **STORYTELLING & INSPIRATION**

The framework and assessment tool helps companies understand and authentically tell their impact story to inspire others to take action.

#### STANDARDIZED LANGUAGE

Using the common language and framework accelerates learning and helps advance the sector.





#### **REASONS TO PARTICIPATE**

### **CUSTOMER & EMPLOYEE EXPECTATIONS**



#### **CUSTOMER EXPECT BRANDS TO ACT** Of customers agree: "I believe brands

can be a powerful force for change. I expect them to represent me and solve societal problems. My wallet is my vote."

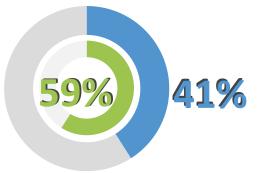


### EMPLOYEE EXPECTATIONS INCLUDE SOCIETAL CHANGE

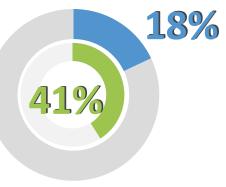
Percent of employees expect prospective employers to shape the future of society.



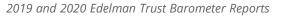
Percent of employees who expect a prospective employer to have a greater purpose and their job to have a meaningful societal impact.



41% OF ALL ADULTS and 59% of GEN Z have made decisions on products based on a company's social responsibility



18% OF ALL ADULTS and 41% of GEN Z have considered applying for or taking a job with a company specifically because they believe it is committed to being socially responsible

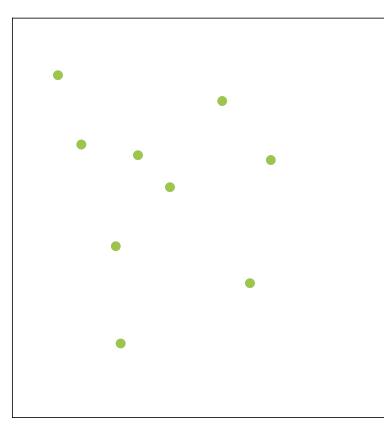




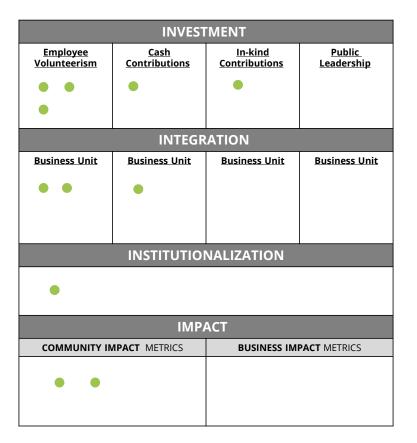
#### A FRAMEWORK FOR COMMUNITY IMPACT

### ALIGN, STRENGTHEN & SCALE YOUR PROGRAMS

#### **CURRENT YEAR**



#### YEAR 1



#### **YEAR 2+**

INVESTMENT					
<u>Cash</u> Contributions	<u>In-kind</u> Contributions	<u>Public</u> Leadership			
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INTEGR	ATION				
<u>Business Unit</u>	<u>Business Unit</u>	<u>Business Unit</u>			
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	Cash Contributions	Cash In-kind   Contributions Contributions   INTEGRATION   Business Unit   Business Unit   INSTITUTIONALIZATION   IMPACT			



• Element of your social impact or community engagement program

## SCORECARD REPORTS



Disconsion	Score	Overall			Sector	
Dimension		Rank	Tier	Medal	Rank	Tier
Overall	#,###	Top 50: Yes				
Dimension 1: Investment	###	5	Top 10%	9	1	Top 10%
Dimension 2. Integration	###	67	Lower 25%		11	Top 50%
Dimension 3: Institutionalization	###	35	Top 25%	0	2	Top 10%
Dimension 4a. Impact (social)	###	62	Lower 25%		7	Top 50%
Dimension 4b. Impact (business)	###	48	Top 50%		6	Top 25%

Scored Questions	Your Entry	Score	Score Overall / [Your Sector]				
	rour entry	% tot pts	Your Rank	Vs. Avg.	Percentile		
Dimension 1: Investment	-	###	5	🔺 43%	Top 10%		
Q1. Participants	32%	75%	23	<b>4</b> 7%	Top 25%		
Q2. Hours / # employees	13.2	100%	5	45%	Top 10%		
Q3. % Skills Based	12%	75%	45	- 12%	Top 50%		
Q4. Value (grants) / revenues	.031%	100%	3	<b>~</b> 76%	Top 10%		
Q4. Value (grants) / Q5. Number	\$52,500	50%	2	<b>6</b> 5%	Top 10%		
Q6. % Multifaceted Investment	13%	25%	61	-38%	Lower 25%		

#### **REPORT OPTIONS**

- Individual (free)
- Sector
- Comprehensive

Scored Questions		Over				erall / [Your Sector]		
	Your Entry	% tot pts	Your Rank	Top 10% if more than	Top 25% if more than		Lower 25% if more than	
Dimension 1: Investment	-	###	5	###	###	###	###	
Q1. Participants	32%	75%	23	38%	30%	23%	12%	
Q2. Hours / # employees	13.2	100%	5	12	6.7	4.6	2	
Q3. % Skills Based	19%	75%	45	27%	18%	12%	6%	
Q4. Value (grants) / revenues	.031%	100%	3	.03%	.024%	.018%	.01%	
Q4. Value (grants) / Q5. Number	\$52,500	100%	2	\$45,455	\$38,642	\$27,054	\$18,754	
Q6. % Multifaceted Investment	13%	25%	61	38%	30%	23%	12%	



#### FROM COMMUNITY SUPPORT TO STEWARDSHIP

### **THE CIVIC 50 TRANSFORMATION**

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT FRAMEWORK	COMMUNITY <u>SUPPORT</u> "good for your community"	COMMUNITY <u>STEWARDSHIP</u> <i>"BETTER for your community AND company"</i>
INVESTMENT	Occasional hands-on volunteer projects planned throughout the year	Year-round engagement opportunities provided to employees (skills-based/pro bono, virtual, board service)
	Company makes a cash donation to a nonprofit based on executives choosing	Strategic cash AND in-kind giving aligned with company priorities, employee interests and nonprofit needs
	Stay clear of speaking out on social issues	Publicly advocate and speak out on social issues
INTEGRATION	Community engagement defined by volunteer events and company giving	Community engagement integrated through all departments to advance company's social impact goals
INSTITUTIONALIZATION	Volunteering and giving back is just something your company does	Community engagement shows up in your organizational policies, values, systems and goals
IMPACT	Track high-level metrics related to volunteering and giving (number of volunteers, total giving, etc.)	Track metrics related to the outcomes and impact of your work relating to your community AND business goals

## THE SURVEY SECTIONS



#### **Section 1: INVESTMENT**

How the company strategically invests its resources in community engagement and social impact, including employee time and skills, cash, in-kind giving and public leadership.



#### **Section 2: INTEGRATION**

How the company integrates its community engagement and social impact programs throughout its business functions and interests (i.e., "does well by doing good").



### **Section 3: INSTITUTIONALIZATION**

How the company institutionalizes its community engagement and social impact programs through organizational policies, systems, and incentives.



#### **Section 4: IMPACT**

How the company measures the social and business impact outcomes of its community engagement and social impact programs.



## INVESTMENT



How the company strategically invests its resources in community engagement and social impact, including employee time and skills, cash, in-kind giving and public leadership.

- Volunteerism (number, hours, and type)
- Cash contributions and grants
- In-kind contributions
- Public leadership and advocacy activities



## INTEGRATION 2



How the company integrates its community engagement and social impact programs throughout its business functions and interests (i.e., "does well by doing good").

## To what degree does your company leverage its community engagement activities with... and then how?

- BUSINESS FUNCTIONS MARKETING/PR SKILL/LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT RECRUITING DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT PURCHASING/SUPPLY-CHAIN/SOURCING
- Formal written strategy coordinated with the selected business department, broadly and consistently implemented
  - Formal written strategy coordinated with the selected business department, implemented on a limited basis
  - Informal strategy, broadly and consistently implemented
  - Informal strategy, implemented on a limited basis



# INSTITUTIONALIZATION



How the company institutionalizes its community engagement and social impact programs through organizational policies, systems, and incentives.

- Input from communities and partners
- Leadership participation
- Employee engagement programs and incentives
- Voting and civic engagement



#### DIMENSION 4

### **IMPACT VALUE**



How your company measures the social and business impact of its community engagement program.

#### PROGRAM CATEGORIES VOLUNTEERISM CONTRIBUTIONS & GRANTS IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS LEADERSHIP & ADVOCACY RACIAL EQUITY

- **Quantitative outcome metrics (social)\*** (i.e., how many people improve their lives and how) based either on a contribution claim (you claim a portion of the program's overall outcome equal to the portion you funded) or an attribution claim (the net gain in social impact attributed solely to your intervention).
- **Quantitative outcome metrics (business)\*** that are predefined and part of a standardized and regularly implemented data collection process
- **Qualitative outcome measures** (i.e., success stories) and/or predefined satisfaction metrics that are part of a standardized and regularly implemented data collection process
- **Quantitative outputs** (i.e., drivers of outcomes) that are part of a regularly implemented data collection process
- Anecdotal, non-quantitative information (i.e., success stories) that is informally or periodically collected
- Not currently measured / N/A / Cannot Share



#### THE CIVIC 50 2021 SURVEY

## SURVEY INSTRUMENT True impact<sup>®</sup>

