

# The 4C Star

Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Date \_\_\_\_\_

This star, developed in partnership with the Ford Institute for Community Building and rural residents, is a way to explore community projects. It will help you see a project's focus and relative strengths.

The star below has 15 total segments. Please color in up to nine of them. Where you color will demonstrate where you see the relative focus of this project. The farther out you color to a point indicates a stronger focus. For example, if you believe the project has a strong Connections focus, you would fill in the three segments that point to Connections. If it has little or no Capacity focus, you would leave those segments blank or just fill in one segment closest to the center. This worksheet can be used by individuals or groups as a quick self-assessment, to find alignment on strengths, to spark conversations and to set aspirations.

