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| Training Capacity Building Working Groups meeting  Solutions Lab project | |
| Meeting Date: | **Thursday, March 2, 2021 at 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm ET** |
| Location: | **Online: Adobe Connect meeting room**  **https://cdp.adobeconnect.com/theboardroom/** |

**Notes**

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| **Hosts:** |
| * Michel Frojmovic * Mary Clarke * John Purkis * Davis Crenna * Michael Ditor * Fiona Wright * Jamie Carrick * Saeideh Hejazi |
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| **Participants:**   * Jasmine lng – City of Calgary * Laurie Dixon – City of Kingston * Prerna Bhasin – City of Toronto * Ted Hildebrandt – Halton Region * Victoria Chapman – Simcoe County * Chris Eden – Halton Region * Tiffany Boening – Simcoe County * Erik Sagmoen – SPARC BC * Andrea Dort – Region of Peel * Gena Ali – Halton Region * Luke Grazier – City of Regina * Albert Boakye – Winnipeg * Bryn Ferris – Lansdowne Technologies Inc. |

**Agenda:**

1. **Introductions** (Michel)
2. **Overview of the CDP Solutions Lab** (John)
3. **Survey result charts presentation** (Mary)
4. **Challenge brief and research** (David)
5. **Group discussion in** 3 breakout rooms (John, Mary, Fiona) **on Mural:** 
   * Questions:

Q1: Based on the overview and information covered in the challenge brief what is missing?

Q2: Data sources and decision making: Who holds housing related data? Who uses it? How do they use it?

Q3: Who else do you think we can invite to the table to help us better understand these issues and to help identify and prototype potential solutions?

* + **Highlights of issues:**
* Availability and timeliness of data
* Data accessibility in smaller communities
* More local data needed
* Eviction data
* Many indicators out there that are not actually housing data
* Airbnb, rental data
* Getting data in right geography level, aggregate and customize that data to be able to compare across neighbourhoods
* Data missing specifically, Health region. MLS data
* Not at the table: Local housing corporations
* Looking forward: stablishing a central warehouse for data
* Consistent language for data and how it used
* Better understanding of housing delivery and private sector role
* Making decision and support housing and homelessness
* Looking at the potential for connecting data holders and decision makers

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1. **Presentation of Community Recovery Dashboard** (as potential prototype for Housing Data Product) (Jamie)
2. **Next Steps**
   * Next meeting on *April 6, 2021*: National level ideation session followed by microlabs engagement of local stakeholders’ ideation sessions
   * Participants can add more comments on Mural <https://app.mural.co/t/ctlabs8714/m/ctlabs8714/1613158781799/1b6f26b0c5a1bcfe6150c27910d8484e1fef5967> or ask other housing experts for comments*. Note:* Please just let us know who will add more comments (name and organization)