

# *Southside Oroville Joint Committee*

## **Proposed Purpose, Roles & Responsibilities**

*For SOJC review, revision, approval*

### **Overall Goal**

To ensure that Southside Oroville develops a common vision for the community.

### **Initial Ideas for SOJC Tasks**

- To serve as the local advisors to NCDI's work and the Path to Positive Change Process.
- To have an open membership process that encourages broad participation of youth, faith-based/community-based organizations, representative ethnic groups, as well as entities focused on family services, education and community safety.
- To participate in co-design; review/suggest revisions to developed documents/reports; and/or plan community meetings.

### **Input about the SOJC idea from the June 1, 2009 Breakfast Briefing Meeting**

#### **How do people feel about this idea?**

- ❖ Open process would work
- ❖ As long as there are strong facilitators

#### **Communication**

- ❖ Provide translation (Hmong/Spanish)
- ❖ Us mail as well as technology
- ❖ Voicemail Service
- ❖ Door Knocking
- ❖ Hmong community-local radio and others
- ❖ Have convenient meeting times and get through agendas effectively
- ❖ Motivate folks to stay engaged

#### **Practices/Ideas to Avoid or Keep**

- ❖ Involve the youth, actively and continuously
- ❖ Include elders in discussions
- ❖ Involve school/education Representatives
- ❖ Let community churches know about what's happening
- ❖ Include Fraternities/Sororities/Professional Groups
- ❖ Inform Sherriff's Dept
- ❖ Include Tribal Representation
- ❖ Encourage long-term commitment until and beyond we see change happening

