

# **TEACH 'EM HOW TO VOTE FINAL REVIEW**

#### HOW CAN WE STATEMENT: REFRAMING

How can we simulate the PB process and create an experience in Bellaire community meetings so that members have the understanding and ability to participate? How can we simplify the explanation PB process and create an experience in Bellaire community meetings so that members have the understanding and ability to participate? How can we simplify and communicate the PB process so various users in Bellaire have the understanding, ability, and incentive to participate?

### 1. Immerse 🔍

#### PB in Bellaire



**Participatory Budgeting** is a voting process that allows community members to generate ideas and *directly impact* the allocation of resources in their local government.



#### What does Participatory Budgeting look like in Bellaire?

- Submitting
- Discussing
- $\circ$  Voting
- Beautification in Bellaire



### 2. Ideate, Ideate, Ideate



What can we produce?



**Primarily to educate efficiently** 



### Postcard

Widespread engagement, track involvement





**Educate without interaction** 





Congregate and hype the community

### 3. Create

#### Prototype and Test and Prototype Again

#### **Mockups**

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#### **YOU DECIDE** Participatory Budgeting (PB) in Hosuton

What would you do with \$1,000,000?





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#### Your vote impacts the money spent in your community!



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#### YOUR community YOUR decision Vote: 7/15/16 12pm - 9pm Bellaire Community Center

Participitory Budgeting					
More money					
More fun					
More Impact					
Free money					
Motivation					
Things					
• stuff					



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#### GET INVOLVED IN PB BELLAIRE Ŧ

#### **User Feedback**

## Your Community Your Decision

Who? You! What? Vote on your community's beautification ideas When? July 6, 2016 Why? Because you care about Bellaire

**Participitory Budgeting** is coming to Bellaire. Community members submit ideas and create proposals for projects they want to see in Bellaire. Explain that voters decide which submitted project proposals get funded and implemented. Houston Mu

Bellaire

# Send us your idea on the back of this card!

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#### **Insights from Bellaire community**



#### **Bellaire Icons**

- Bellaire residents identify with *the trolley*
- Two water towers!



#### **Questions on Involvement**

• Want to know the time commitment



#### **Sentiments on PB**

• Want to get involved



#### **Budgeting & Funding Issues**

- Non-residents use Bellaire facilities
- Who should be able to benefit?

### **Our Solution**

**Final Iteration** 

# Beautify Bellaire

**Participatory Budgeting** is a democratic process that needs your voice! Use this chance to propose an idea to beautify your community. This summer, take action and vote for what you want to see in Bellaire.

Who? Bellaire needs you!
What? Vote on your community's beautification ideas
When? July 6, 2016 12:30pm - 9:00pm
Why? Because you care about Bellaire
Where? Bellaire City Hall

### Send us your idea on the back of

# How do you want to improve Bellaire?

I want to see..

- New trees in the park
- Fixed potholes
- Additional park benches
- Public art installation
- □ More community activities
- Community garden
- □ My idea:

### How to get

Proposal Ta Transform an ideas into pro Meetings Wedr 5:00 - 7:00 pm ( [ www.propo

Poll Volunte 2 hour shifts [ www.plzvoi

Submit your How would y improve Bells

> July 6, 2 www.votehe

### 4. Conclusion

#### Implementing with Sketch City & Bellaire



# **Thank you** Q&A

#### **Team Teach 'em How to Vote**

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