

## **Notes from Flip Charts**

### **Responding to Our Aging Population**

#### **Common Vision?**

- High level and intent but not defined
- Improve quality and well being of seniors
- Creating an age friendly vision
- Strive to be the best
- Aging in place
- Funding dilemma
- Community impact table
- How do we move towards collective impact as a region?

#### **Elements of a Common Vision**

- High level, not defined
- Make Ottawa a “destination”, “example”
- Create an age-friendly city
- Strive to be the best
- Agreement that Collective Impact makes sense – no long and option
- Create a Collective Impact table – who?
  - Members
  - Leadership
  - Critical success

#### **Critical Success**

- Having discussions at right levels with right people
- Organization support
- How to identify champions? (In private sector)
- Leadership
- Resourcing
- Media champion
- Politicians
- Faith groups
- Link to Gatineau – lessons & links
- For Profit business that cater to seniors – residences, Health services, and funeral homes, palliative care.
- Data
- Legal community
- Housing/transportation/food security

- Chronic disease societies
- Safety
- Funders
- Experts – lived experience, those affected
- All 3 levels of government and the LIHNs
- Private sector – chambers of commerce
- Educational institutions – research and students
- Service providers – non profit and private
- Hospitals
- City's inclusion lens, diversity
- Primary care (not hospitals)
- Disability

#### **Lead to get it up and Going**

- Council on Aging – Potential Backbone
- Link to BIA, BBB
- Involve CSS (OCSC) Independent living, along with others

#### **How were all partners supported during the collective impact presentation?**

- Getting people to “let go” of their own agendas
- Success may mean closing some agencies