

**Readings recommended by participants that illustrate their work
in asset-based, citizen-led development**

Zegeye Asfaw
HUNDEE
Ethiopia

Bogaletch Gebre
KMG
Ethiopia

Mengistu Gonsamo
Oxfam Canada
Ethiopia

Samuel Molla
Oxfam Canda
Ethiopia

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Vibrant Communities Saint John
Canada

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ABCD Institute and Institute of Cultural Affairs
United States of America

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Consultant
United States of America

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University of Newcastle
Australia

Katherine Gibson
Centre for Citizenship and Public Policy
University of Western Sydney
Australia

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PLAN Institute for Caring Citizenship
Canada

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Khanya-aicdd
South Africa

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Jim Diers

University of Washington/ABCD Institute

United States of America

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Daniel Duncan

United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona

United States of America

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Aloysius Fernandez

Myrada (www.myrada.org)

India

Saleela Patkar

Consultant

India

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Lucie Goulet

Oxfam Canada

Canada

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Bernard Guri

Center for Indigenous Knowledge and Organizational Development (CIKOD)

Ghana

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Mary van den Heuvel

Community Volunteer

Canada

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Wiliber Ibarra

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Ecuador

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Scott Killough

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United States of America

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Jill Koch

Community Assets for Education (CAFÉ) Institute

Canada

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Iva Lafond

Saskatoon Tribal Council

Canada

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Joanne Linzey

United Way of Canada-Centraide

Canada

Rogério Arns Neumann

Odebrecht Foundation

Brazil

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New Prospect Baptist Church

United States of America

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South Africa

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Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport

Canada

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Anselmo B. Mercado

Cooperative Business Institute (CBI)

Philippines

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Peter Mortimer

**United Way of Halifax Region
Canada**

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**University of Manchester
United Kingdom**

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South Africa**

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Gladys Nabiswa

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Kenya**

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Mary Nelson

**Bethel New Life
United States of America**

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Rachel Polestico

**SEARSOLIN
Appropriate Technology Center
Philippines**

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**Sustainable Agriculture Center
Philippines**

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United States of America**

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Cormac Russell

ABCD Institute, Northwestern University, United States of America

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Inspiring Communities Pty Ltd

Australia

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Rural Community Development Center, National Institute of Agricultural Planning and Projection

Vietnam

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