

# Does your team need a Retreat or Customized Facilitation?

**Who doesn't?** Times are tough, and local governments and state agencies everywhere are faced with the difficult task of doing more with less. Many groups—city councils, county commissions, state agencies, management teams, boards, and other decision-making bodies—have benefited from the opportunity to discuss priorities and improve effectiveness in a setting outside their regular meetings. The Carl Vinson Institute of Government has years of experience organizing and facilitating group meetings or retreats—a chance to regroup and strategize for the future.



**Find out if your group could benefit from a retreat or customized facilitation.**

**Do any of the following statements apply to your group?**

- ✓ We don't have a clear sense of direction or focus.
- ✓ We don't have a clear, long-range vision for the future.
- ✓ We have new members of the group and we want to get started off on the right foot.
- ✓ Relationships in our group could use improvement.
- ✓ There are times when we wish we had more time to discuss tough issues.
- ✓ We would benefit from the opportunity to talk about issues in a quiet setting.
- ✓ Our current plan does not align with our community's economic forecast.
- ✓ Our economic development program is not where we would like it to be.

## Schedule your group retreat or facilitation today!

If any of these statements describe your group, a retreat or customized facilitation can help address your concerns. Meetings or retreats facilitated by the Institute of Government are a convenient and relatively low-cost way to get down to the business of planning and discussing current and future challenges in a relaxed, informal environment. Our experienced facilitators will guide your group through a customized agenda that addresses your specific needs.



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