

Notes Open Space:

Co-Production: Council and Timebank. What would this look like?

- New economics seminar R Manji – TB credits in payments of rates?
- Ways council can give back rather than a monetary exchange
 - ☒ Services
 - ☒ Preferential seating
 - ☒ Cycle safety
 - ☒ Goods
 - ☒ Gifts/koha
 - ☒ Training
 - ☒ Concert tickets along the lines of the student army
- How reciprocity will work with council
- Rates = a different (market economy) currency not Timecredits a civic currency
- Timebanking is for service
- Joint problem solving – ie Lyttelton Library
- Co creation solutions between squares and blobs
- Where does social enterprise fit in? Asset transfer. Could timebanking exist to assist council to develop social enterprises?
- Council could offer financial advice to community groups, photocopying. venues
- How does CCC become a Timebank member? What Timebank does it join?
- Do we need an overall CCC Timebank membership as well as at a local level?
- Timebanking is a tool for transforming relationships between squares and blobs.
- Maybe the relationship for the council should be local and project based.
- There could be a danger of excluding those who are already doing everything
- The city runs on volunteers
- Keep it simple – it's about networking and honouring our common values
- Council role should be facilitating these social economy conversations where we can share learnings
- Why do we want the TB and CCC to work together? What is the vision? Criteria, statement of purpose? Giving, loving, being together, shared values. We are

looking for a relationship of trust and respect building between the squares and blobs

- Council could facilitate volunteer roles that people don't usually do
- If people don't want to join they don't have to
- Trading recording hours causes a ripple effect
- Test it in several areas. Idea pilot with Lyttelton re the pool. CCC training lifeguards to operate pool in hours that the facility is normally closed
- Test it with the parks unit
- Ensure that this is a creative process, keep communication open
- All about relationships and networking
- A deliberate connecting of squares of council
- Are we looking at a scale that is too big? Maybe it should be reduced to local community board areas?
- CCC at the city wide level maybe just voices overall support to join Timebanks
- The relationship will be different in different neighbourhoods
- We want recognition of our IDEAS Supporting the gift economy
- Penny to offer a session on this
- How could the concept be taken bigger on a city wide level?
- How do we balance organic growth with legislative and policy requirements of CCC?

NEXT STEPS

Penny to facilitate a conversation about how CCC can recognise our IDEAS

Wendy to continue the conversation with the local Mt Herbert Governance team

Mt Herbert Governance team to join the Timebank today

A work shop group needs to be created to focus at the city wide level. Test the scope and governance and vision. How do we hold hands together?

The CCC staff need raised awareness about Timebanking – could some seminars be produced for them? Suggestion Tony M CCC

New community board plans to include Timebanking?

Shared Purpose and Vision Role modelling – (huge value for councils to do this)

