


## JUNCTION OF PUBLIC PROCESSES WORKSHEET

This worksheet will help gather the information needed to decide HOW to work with others. You will select from the spectrum of “Junction of Public Processes” to find the appropriate level of stakeholder involvement in the decision making process.

**THE ISSUE:** How complex and controversial are the issues? How much does this issue impact others? How quickly does the issue need to be resolved? How much do those affected understand the issues involved?

**THE PEOPLE:** Who needs to be involved to develop and implement a solution? Would they go along with the agency decision? Who could block a decision if they did not like it? How much does the agency understand the concerns, interests, and opinions of those that could be affected by the action?

**PARAMETERS:** Does the agency have the authority to take action? Has a decision already been made, or is the agency open to alternatives? What is the objective of using collaboration? What are other constraints i.e. time, resources?



**The higher the level of issue complexity, public impact and stakeholder commitment needed, the greater the need to engage and collaborate**