City Council Power Mapping Worksheet

“Power mapping” is the process of doing research on a decision maker (or group of decision makers) in order to find out how to influence them to give you what you want. Use the space below to do some research into who’s on your council, what they care about, and how to start the process of passing your local resolution.

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Mayor:

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<th>Council member</th>
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Process for passing a resolution:

Resolution history:

Reaching out to city council:

1. Who is the most likely sponsor of the resolution?
   
   • Set up a meeting
     o Who should call the meeting, and who should be there?

   • Ask for sponsorship and for help reaching out to council members

   • Set a tentative time to introduce the resolution
2. Which council members do you need to convince?

  - What do they care about?
  - Who do they need to hear from?