

# Working Better Together: Governing Guidance

February 19, 2021, 10 am – 3pm

Online via Zoom

- 9:45 am**      **Check-in and Visiting in the Zoom Room**
- 10:00 am**      Welcome, Introductions, Setting the Stage
- The connection between excellent governance, Boards/Councils working well and achieving strategic goals in a challenging environment
- The Players: Roles, Responsibilities, Structure, and Boundaries
- Qualities of strong governance culture and its importance for well-functioning Board/Council
- 12:00 pm**      **Lunch**
- 1:00 pm**      Four key elements of a Board/Council that works well together
1. Relationships and Trust
  2. Information Sharing
  3. Teamwork
  4. Dialogue
- Ideas for improvement of governance culture: behaviors, practices, techniques for getting better at working together
- Writing of a simple action plan for you and your Board/Council to incorporate
- Debrief/Wrap Up/Session Evaluation
- 3:00 pm**      **Closing**