What Works Cities Bloomberg Philanthropies

Statement of Interest

1. Confidentiality

We're committed to keeping your information confidential.

a. What Works Cities will not publish anything you share without your permission.

Response: I accept / I don't accept

2. City Details

- a. What is the name of your city and state?
- b. What is the name of your mayor or city's chief executive?
- c. What is the start and end date of the mayor's term?
- d. When was the Mayor first elected (if this is not the first term)?

3. Your Details

a. Are you authorized to act as your city's initial point person for What Works Cities?

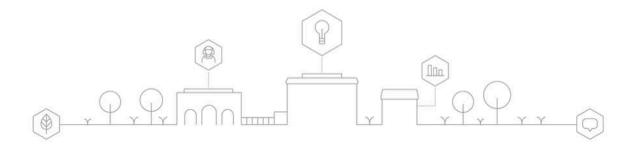
Response: Yes / No

- b. Great. What's your name?
- c. What's your role or title?
- d. Please share your phone number.
- e. And your preferred e-mail address, please.

4. Experienced, or Starting Out?

A What Works City is committed to using data and evidence to improve citizen engagement, make government more effective, and improve results for residents. These next questions are about your interest and experience in that approach.

- a. How easy is it to have conversations about data and evidence in your city? Response: Rank from a scale of 0-10.
- b. Has your mayor already expressed interest in this program? Response: Yes / Not Yet



- c. How much experience do you have in approaches that better apply data and evidence to city governance?

 Response: We've been working like this for a while. / We're starting out.
- 5. If answer to 4c is "We've been working like this for a while," please answer the following questions.

Let's dig into some details. 2-3 sentences per answer is ideal at this stage.

- a. Great. If your city and its leadership has already demonstrated a commitment to using data and evidence, please give an example. If you'd rather upload a press release, policy memo, or another document, you can do that next.
- b. If there's something you'd like to share with us, upload it here. If not, keep going.
- c. In general, how can you imagine data and evidence playing a greater role in your city government?

If answer to 4c is "We're starting out," please answer the following questions.

There's no better time than now. 2-3 sentences per answer is ideal at this stage.

- a. Why is now the right time to get started in your city?
- b. In general, how can you imagine data and evidence playing a greater role in your city government?

6. Your Goals

What Works Cities is committed to supporting your city, your citizens, and your goals. Let's turn to what you want to accomplish. (Again, 2-3 sentences per answer is ideal.)

- a. In what specific areas are you interested in using data and evidence to achieve better results for your citizens?
- b. What's most challenging about expanding your city's use of data and evidence?
- c. What kind of support would you be most excited to receive in a partnership with What Works Cities?

