

## Challenges to Community Engagement

- Short-staffing
- One challenge is limited staffing
- pretty much completely about short-staffed
- I agree not enough staff....
- Lack of budget resources to send staff out into the community, but the return on investment in terms of future support balances that
- Staffing
- Also, lack of budget.
- Limited staff is a challenge at my library
- Lack of support from the organizations themselves
- Also we're a city municipality, not a district, so sometimes creates roadblocks to getting things done (along with budget, staffing, etc.)
- Do tax payers question you getting out of the building and helping organizations that might have political agenda? Can libraries stay neutral?
- Perhaps meeting times
- Yes, they {organizations} are interested in the programs or support but do not stay connected/are not easy to reach.
- you have to make strategic partnerships that are in line with your mission...but it is always possible to be involved and provide information and remain neutral