

Community Mapping

This is a brainstorming tool to help you discover potential issues in your community.

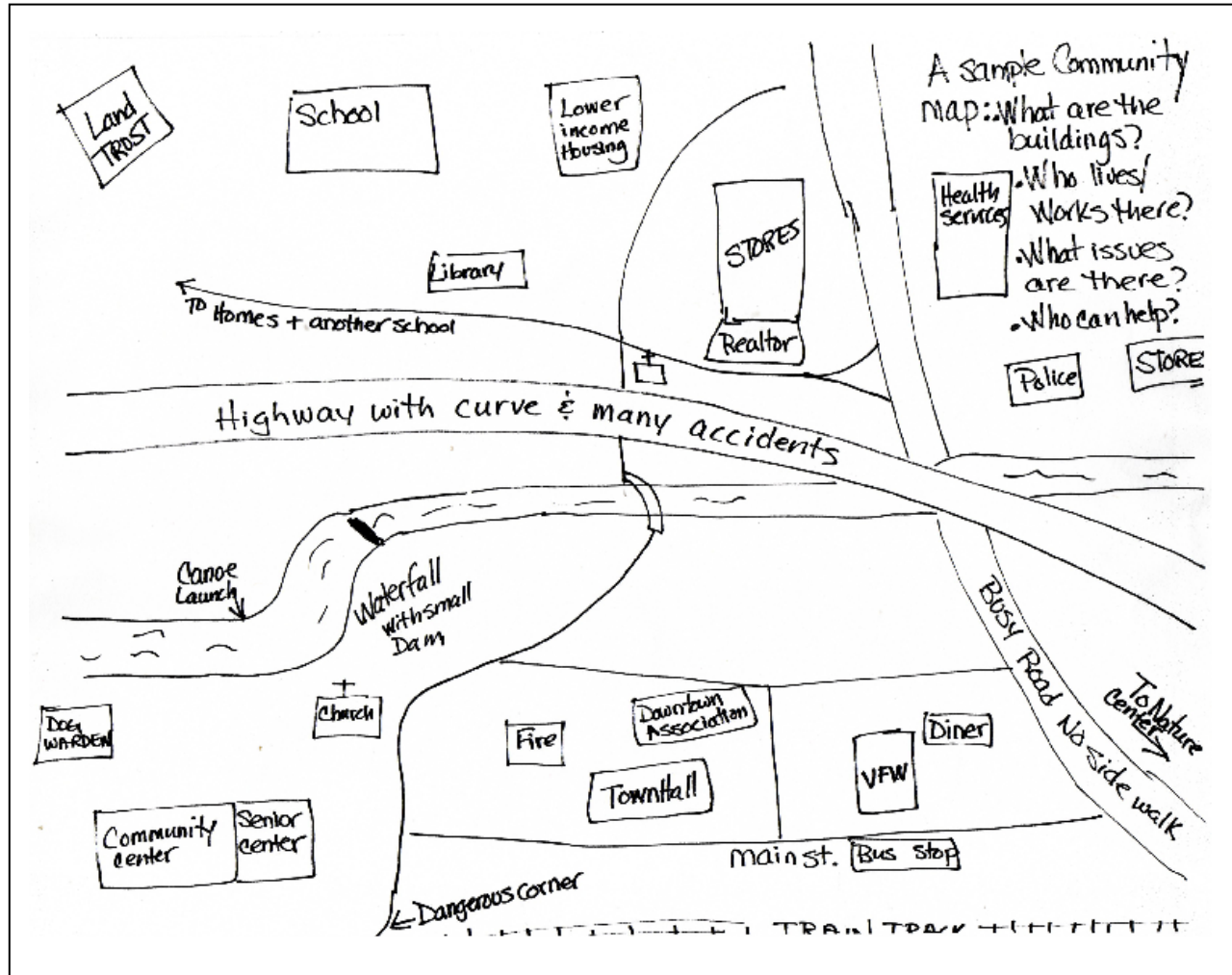
Literally draw a map of your community. As seen in the community map on the left-you may find issues right away (such as car accidents, no sidewalk, etc...) However, you may not see an issue right away. Use your community map to help you think about whom you can talk with to research issues in your community.

Ask:

What are the buildings?
Who lives/works there?
What issues are there?
Who can help?

When brainstorming your community and who to talk with, don't forget:

The Media
Faith Organizations
Non-profit Organizations
Student Organizations
Local, Regional, State Governments
Civic Organizations
Educational Institutes
Parent Organizations
Businesses
Individuals



Community:

Everyone's community is different. A community can be as small as a school or as large as a country. Many people belong to many different communities.