



Community Resilience Fund

Guide to updating your Direction of Travel Maps

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What you will need

The Directions of Travel maps in the evaluation report were set-up using Google Drawings. You can re-create them in any design software that you choose. The final, editable versions of the iterations in this report [can be found here on Google Drive](#). You may feel free to download them and edit them in the visual editing software of your choice.

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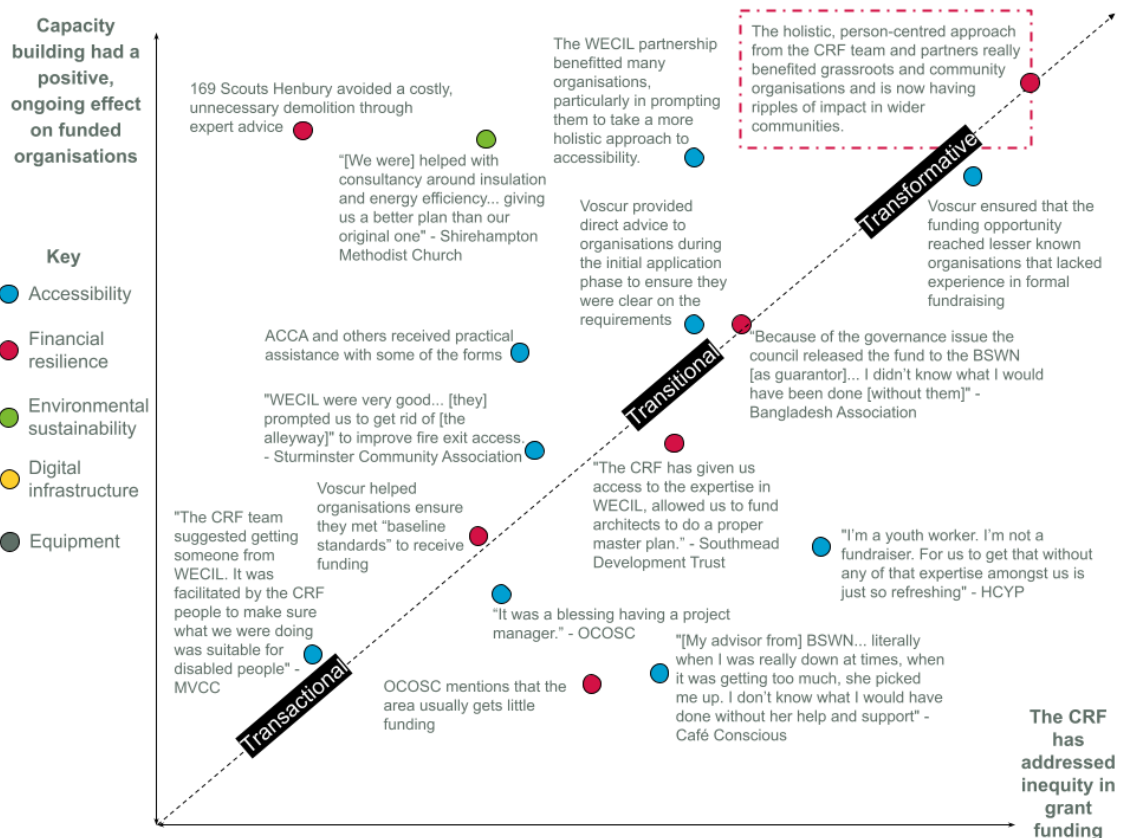


Diagram 1: Example Direction of Travel Map from the evaluation report

How to do it:

1. **Set-up a Direction of Travel map:** We recommend updating the previous map and keeping some of the earlier data points that still feel relevant.
2. **Look at the updated learnings:** This will be data you have gathered, which might be further Community Reporter interviews, Ripple Effect Maps, questionnaires, ad hoc feedback etc. Categorise the learnings under the evaluation aims.
3. **Identify data points for each learning:** A data point is a specific piece of evidence from such as a key quote, a specific impact, or quantitative indicator.
4. **Plot your data points:** Use the axis labels to plot each data point onto the Direction of Travel map into the appropriate position. Use colour-coding to distinguish between different types of data.

5. **Identify groupings:** As time goes on, you will start to see groupings in the plotted data points. Groupings are trends within the data points. You can use a drawing tool to highlight/circle which points are in a specific grouping and use a text feature to add a label to that group if you so wish.
6. **Update your current state of play:** This is the statement that summarises what the Direction of Travel Map tells you. It can be useful to do this as a team.
7. **Update your recommendations/next adjacent steps:** What can be done to keep things moving in the right direction? These do not have to be big, overarching recommendations that may take years to accomplish. They can be smaller steps or changes that can happen over a few weeks or months.