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Developing Rural Communities

Insights about Evaluation

- Tools can be used at different phases of a project
- Other outcomes not focused on
- Shared knowledge from evaluation enriches other efforts
- Hierarchy tools help see the parts and their relationships
- Hierarchy tool helps check for bias
- Community Capitals: Not every capital is equal. Lack of change in certain capitals does not equal failure
- Communication of evaluation results is part of the change