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***DEI* Scenario Role Playing Worksheet**

**Scenario:**

A large amount of oil has been found underneath a local Boys & Girls Club and near a waterway that provides drinking water to the local community. The Company. ***Oil & Gas R Us***, filed a project permit from the Government Agency to seek approval to extract the oil. If the oil is extracted, it will be sold and used in transportation, power stations, factories, and homes. This would make lots of money, boost the local community by providing jobs, and provide energy for people to use for over 50 years. At the moment, the country is dependent on other countries to get its energy. It is not clear if the energy will run out or how much it will cost to keep getting if from other places.

However, if oil is extracted, used, and burnt, it would release carbon dioxide into the atmosphere while contributing to climate change. The local community has already *experienced extreme flooding* from natural disasters and *poor water drainage*. The local government and businesses currently do a poor job of taking care of the community, addressing emergencies, and providing resources to this community. The local community concerns that if the oil is extracted this means that the oil will be transported via pipelines and if the pipelines fail and/or leak, the local water way may be contaminated and could make residents sick and cause serious health challenges.

***Should the permit be approved or disapproved? Decide as a group.***

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Read your role and use that position to work as a groupto approve or disapprove the oil extraction permit and why.

Each of you must work together to find solutions to support their decision while addressing.

Discuss and debate your positions to come to a consensus. Explain the final decision and while paying close attention to solutions that benefits vulnerable communities and the concerns raised to reduce carbon dioxide emissions.

**Each role will discuss:**

* What would you like to happen?
* What are you worried might happen?
* What would it take for you to approve the permit or to disapprove the permit?
* What stipulations or requirements would you place on the permit, if approved?

**Group Decision: (Approve or Disapprove the Oil Extraction Permit)**

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**Why did the group make this decision?**

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**DEI Roundtable Questions:**

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**Submission:**

Facilitators should submit **one** ***DEI Scenario Roleplaying Worksheet*** per each group for the session with the group’s consensus decision and the DEI roundtable questions for Week 7. List all participating teen’s names on the worksheet. Submit the Week 7 worksheet to: [cot@bgcgw.org](mailto:cot@bgcgw.org).