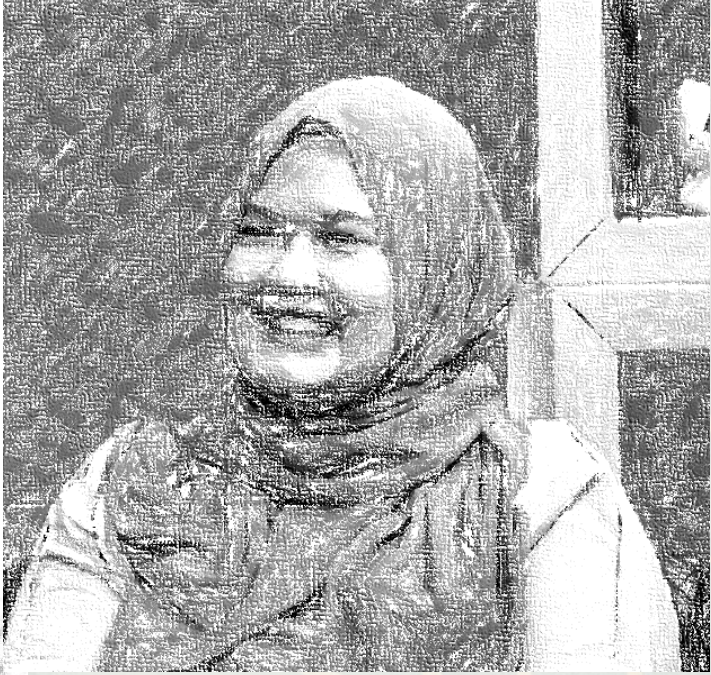


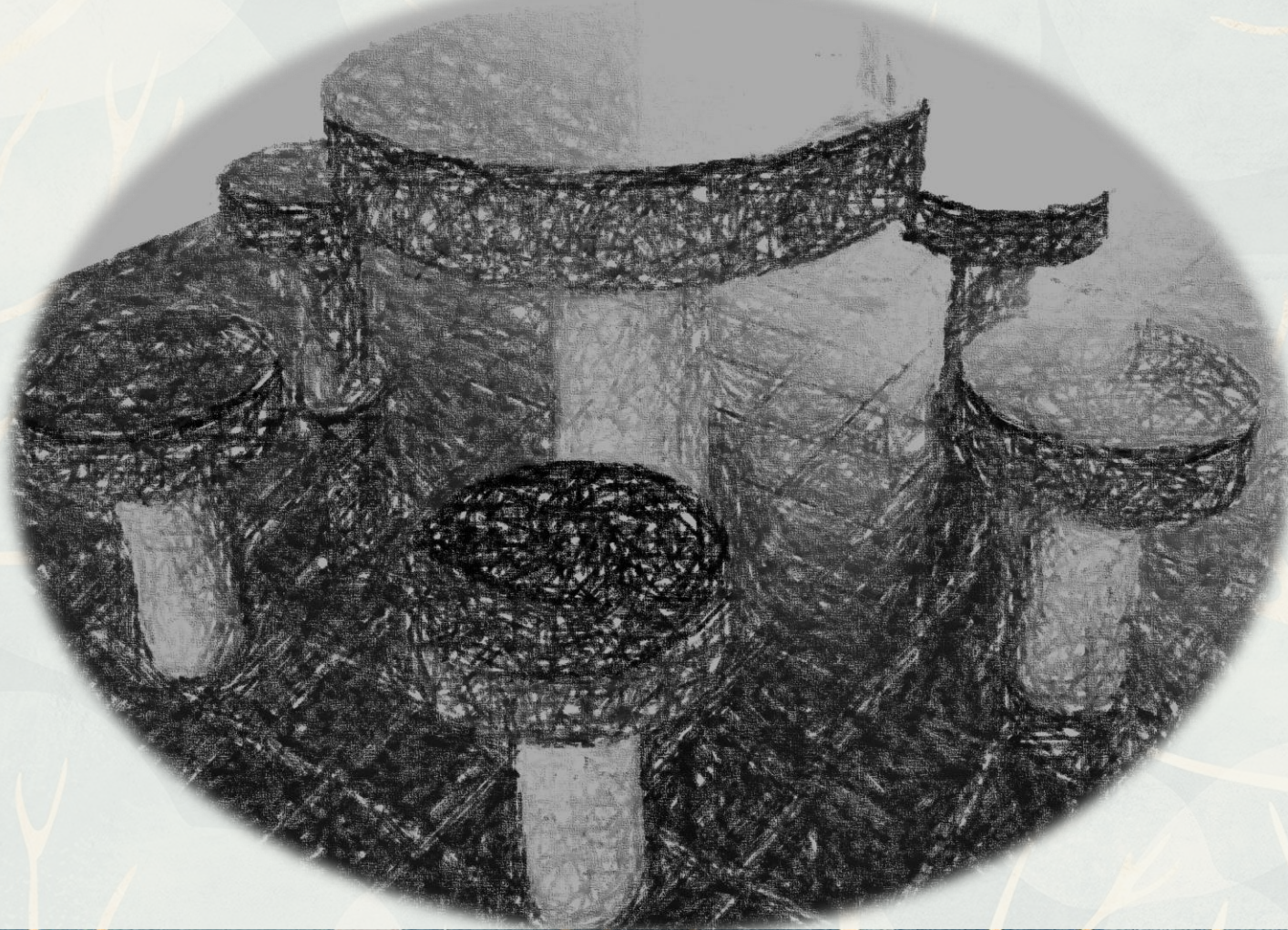


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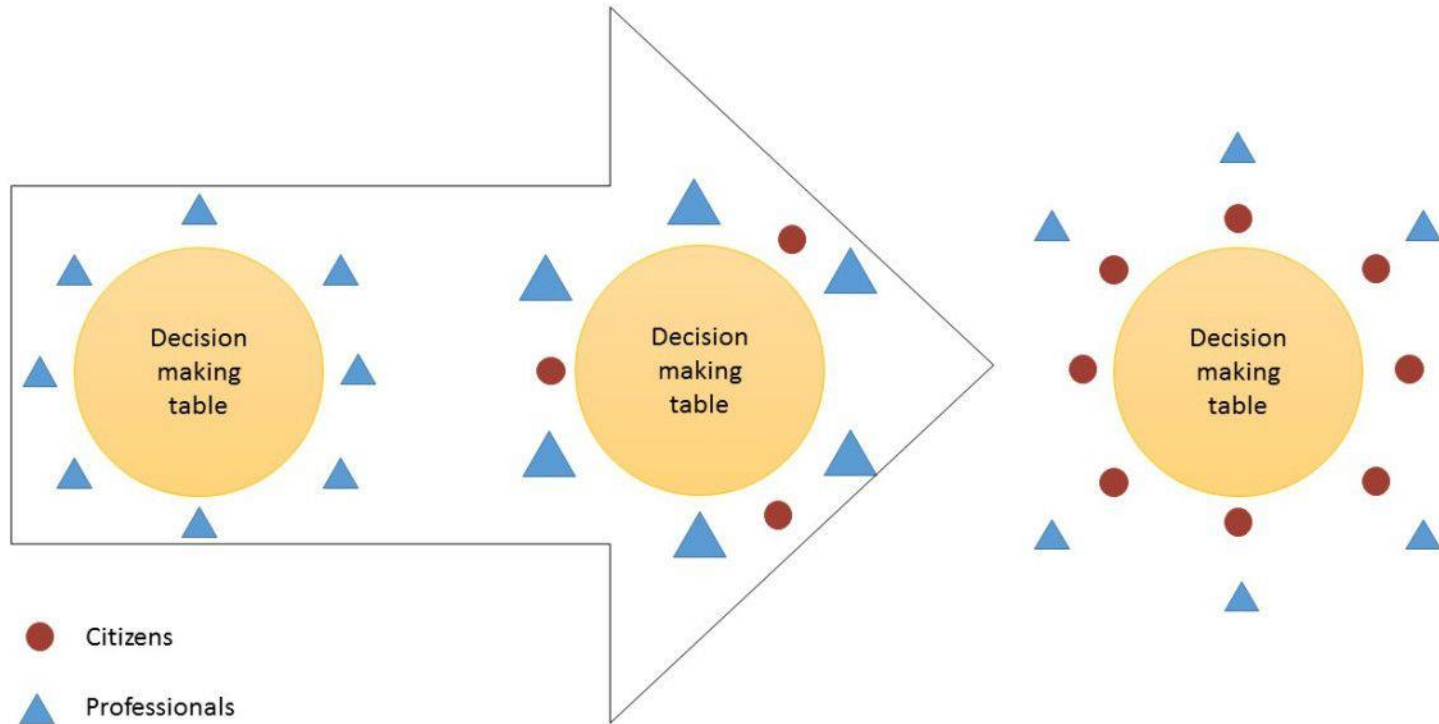








Community-Owned Development



Curiosity Questions

Process Questions:

- Who decides what will be done?
- Who are the producers of what results?
- How do everyday residents/citizens discover and mobilise each other's strengths and motivations?
- How do community-owned initiatives get started?
- What sustained these initiatives? What works? For whom? When? What didn't work?

Curiosity Questions

Outcome Questions:

Outcomes For Who?

Outcomes By Who?

- What matters most to the community as good outcomes?

Professionals as Experts



Citizens as Experts

**Start with Professional/
Research Expertise**



**Start with Strengths and
Resources of Citizens**

Research Questions



Curiosity Questions

Research Design



**Learning Conversations/
Stories**

Professional/Formal Language



Vernacular/Informal Language

Researcher-led



Community Participation

Findings



Co-Learning



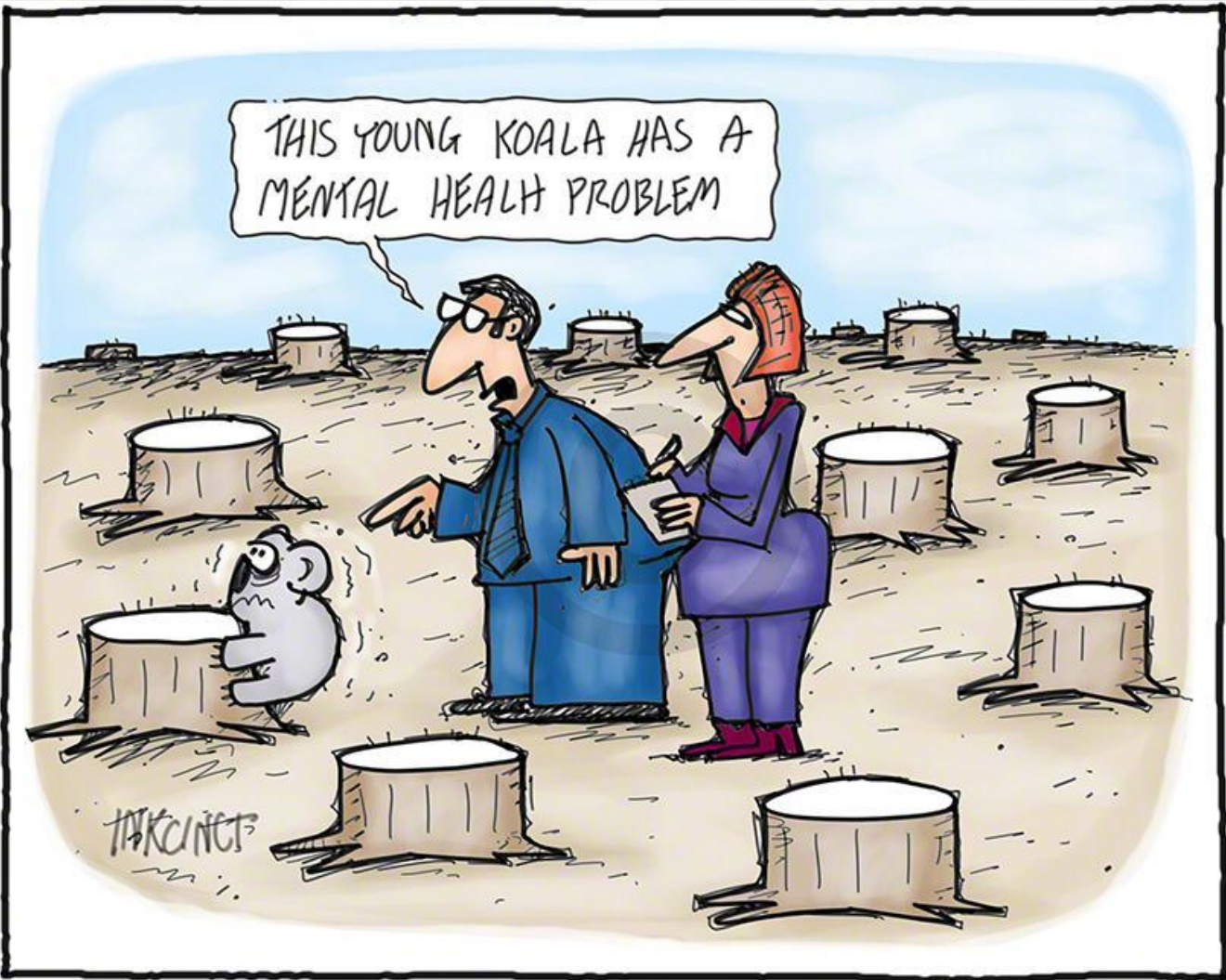
**Measure What
the
Community
Treasures**



**Climate for
Treasuring
and
Measuring**

THIS YOUNG KOALA HAS A MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEM





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Restoration of Community Building

- 1) “Communities are built at the pace of Trust” Authentic community building needs time to strike roots and bear sustainable fruits. Hence, funding and evaluation should have a longer time orientation, instead of quick short-term results

Restoration of Community Building

2) A Social Compact where Institutions and the State play a catalytic role by enabling, rewarding, aggregating and funding community initiatives, instead of over-reaching or over-regulating.

Likewise, citizens must step up and claim the space to collaborate, contribute and shape

Restoration of Community Building

3) Failures are necessary – We learn wisdom and humility from things that do not work.

Communities need time and space to learn and build our muscles to norm, “florm” (flop and storm) in order to perform

Social Services & Community Development



“Do No Harm” Questions

1) What can residents do well on their own?
(BY)

2) What can they do well with some help?
(WITH)

3) What do they need institutions to do?
(FOR)

Community-Owned Development





Thank You