

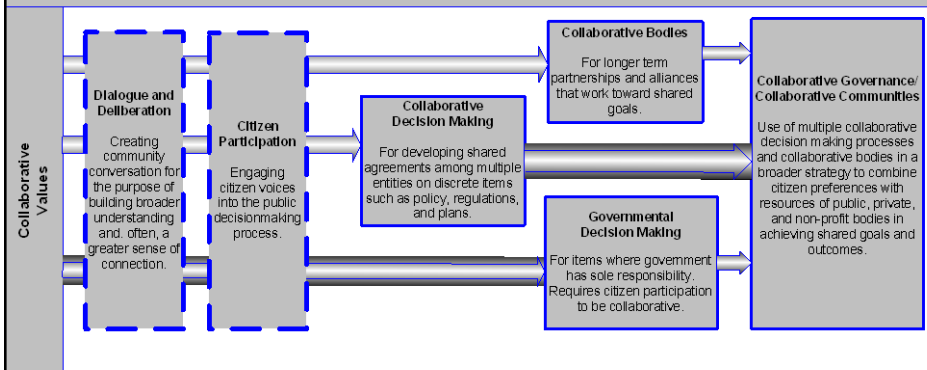
# Participation, Governance, and Change

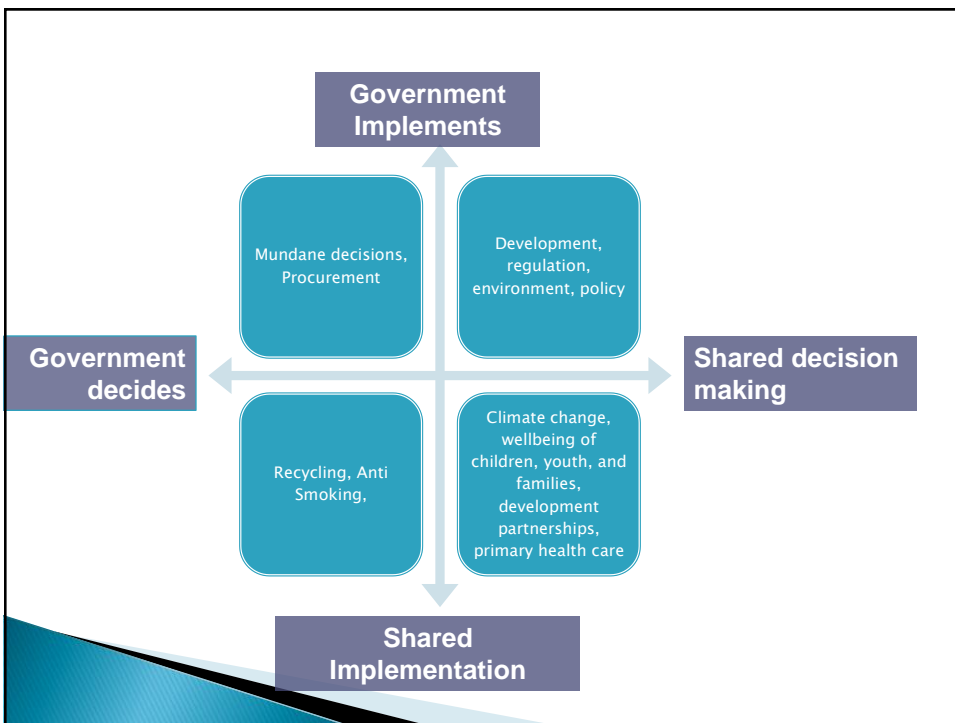
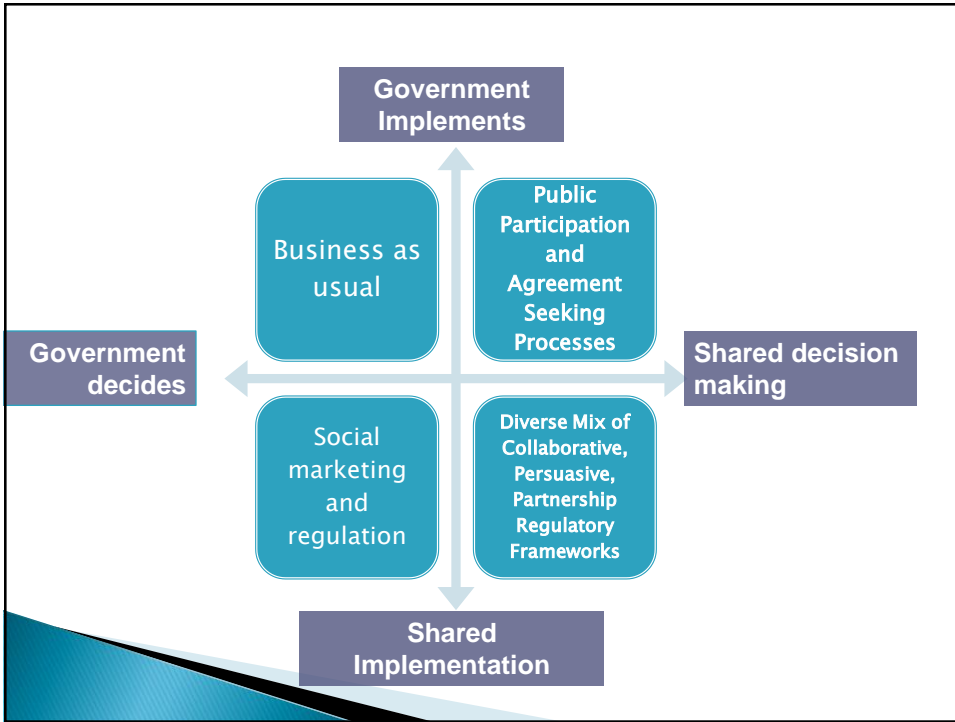
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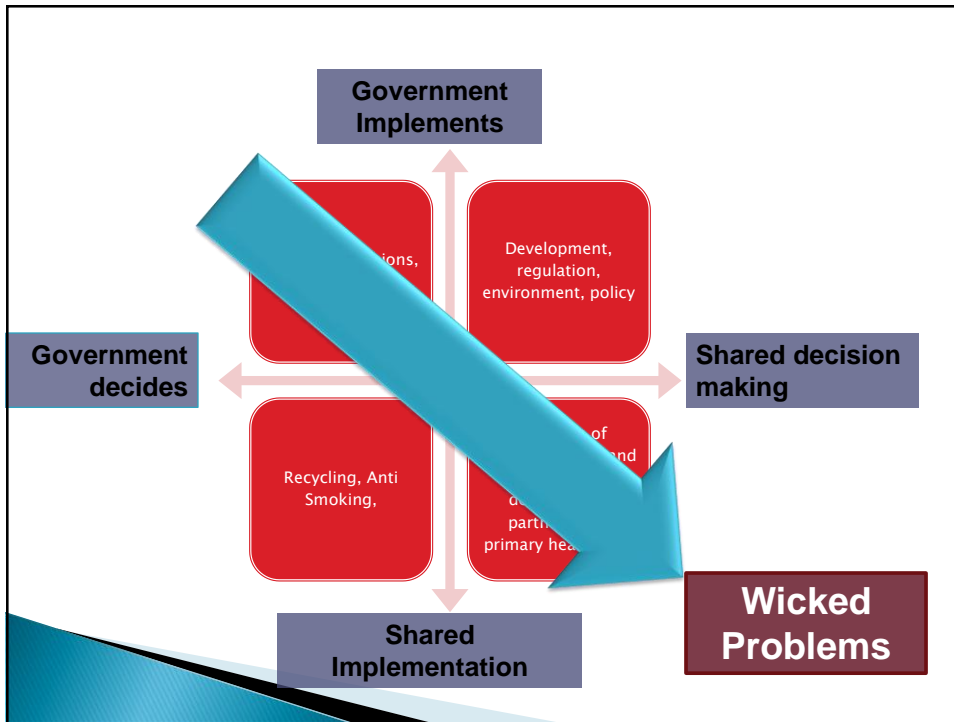
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## Collaborative Governance Framework

Linking Dialogue, Citizen Participation, and Collaboration for Collaborative Governance







## Some Directions in the Field

- ▶ Use of highly participatory processes is becoming more routine
- ▶ Routinization leads to politicization
- ▶ Pushback from participants as processes become less authentic, meaningful, neutral
- ▶ Pushback from leaders who see the gaming and/or slow nature of the processes and revert to directive leadership

## More Directions

- ▶ Greater and more innovative mixes of more techniques and tools
- ▶ More focus on building and maintaining significant space in the policy agenda
- ▶ Accountability and performance management frameworks are increasingly driving collaborative initiatives
- ▶ There is more attention to and less clarity about governance, collaborative or otherwise