

Sharing community stories means first identifying the communities they come from. But...

# WHAT IS A COMMUNITY?

When you think about it, there's no single right answer.  
Communities can:

- be based on connections that can be seen or simply felt.
- exist across great distances or localized in one place.
- be something you are born into or choose later in life.
- change a lot over time or only change a little.
- revolve around a single shared interest, a government, or a belief system.
- have few differences of opinion or many competing viewpoints.

**What does community mean to you  
and what are some communities that  
you're connected to?**



**Which community stories do you think  
more people should know about?**