PRI sample Tier approach to addressing Poverty – DRAFT

Tier I Issues – PRI is the lead group to convene conversations and create action on an issue.

Example – The PRI employment work group.

Tier II Issues – PRI is not the lead group but joins with others who are leading on an issue. PRI role is to create connectivity and help strengthen the effort. A liaison with between the group and PRI is formed so that information flows back and forth.

Example – PRI joins the Great Start Collaborative and works toward preventing poverty within that framework.

Tier III Issues – PRI will "weigh-in" on an issue but not lead or join an effort.

Example – PRI writes a letter to the editor or op-ed piece to address affordable housing in Traverse City.