

# IMPROVING AMERICA FOR ALL AGES



**Community AGEnda: Improving America for All Ages** is an initiative of Grantmakers In Aging and is funded by the Pfizer Foundation. It seeks to enhance and accelerate age-friendly development work in communities across America. Launched in 2012, Community AGEnda has awarded grants to local groups in Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, and the greater Kansas City area to support their efforts to become great places to grow up and grow old. The project also hopes to inspire similar age-friendly work across the country through convening, promotional activities, and the collection and development of planning, assessment, and strategy tools and other practical resources, including an online searchable database of age-friendly projects in the United States.

## COMMUNITY AGENDA RESOURCES

A number of resources have been developed to help anyone interested in developing and funding an age-friendly community.

1. For an overview, explore **Age-Friendly Communities: The movement to create great places to grow up and grow old in America: An introduction for private and public funders**. This document profiles notable age-friendly programs, highlights issues and best practices, and offers insight from the top thought leaders.
2. When you're ready to roll up your sleeves, turn to **Aging Power Tools: A curated selection of resources to promote stronger, age-friendly communities**. Based on a broad web review and GIA's experience in the field, this toolkit offers a practical framework and a wealth of materials from top practitioners that funders, local governments, and community groups can use to move ahead.
3. Explore **Age-friendly America**, our searchable database of more than 200 programs, where you can find out what's going on in your area and nationwide.

