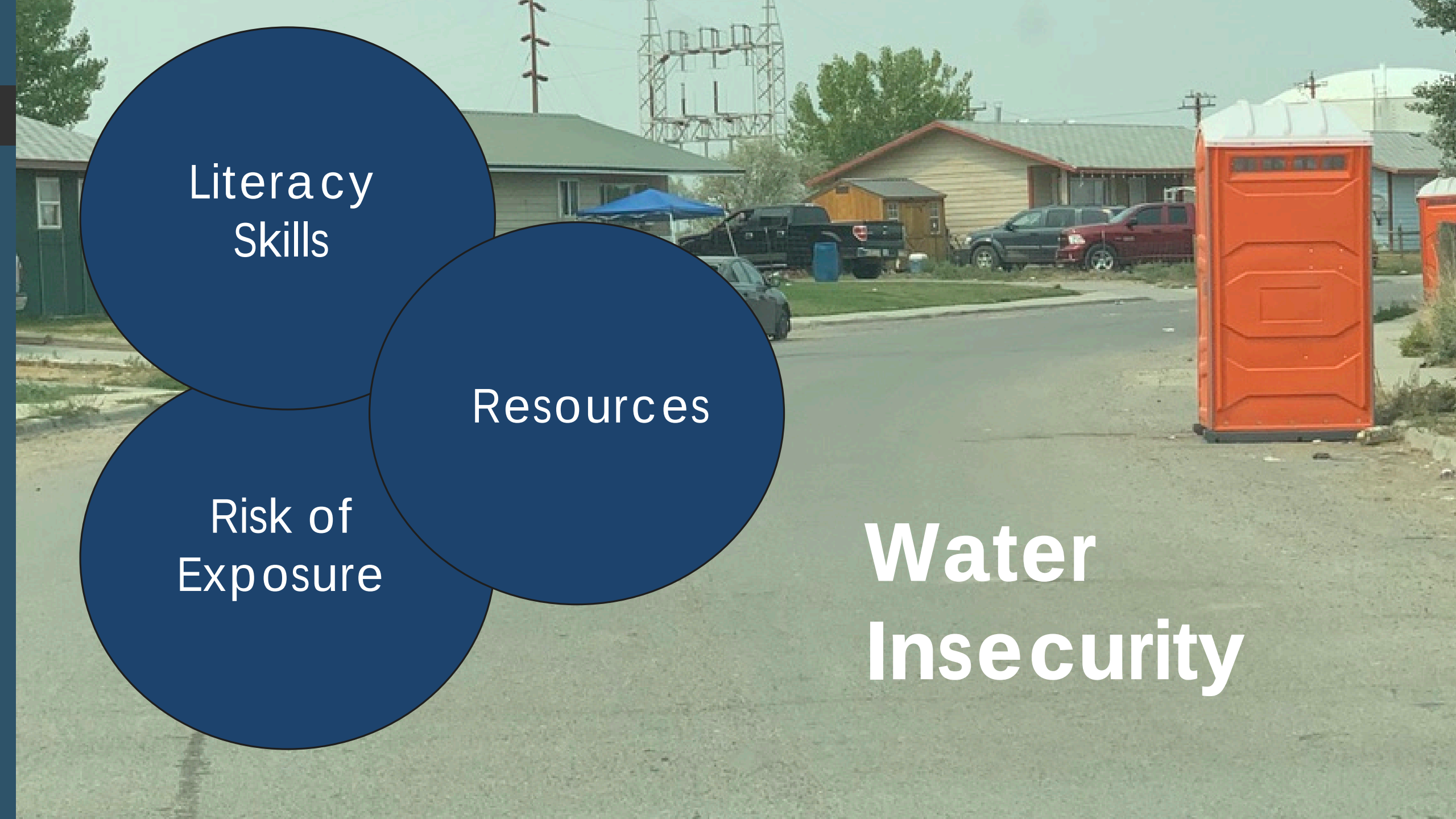


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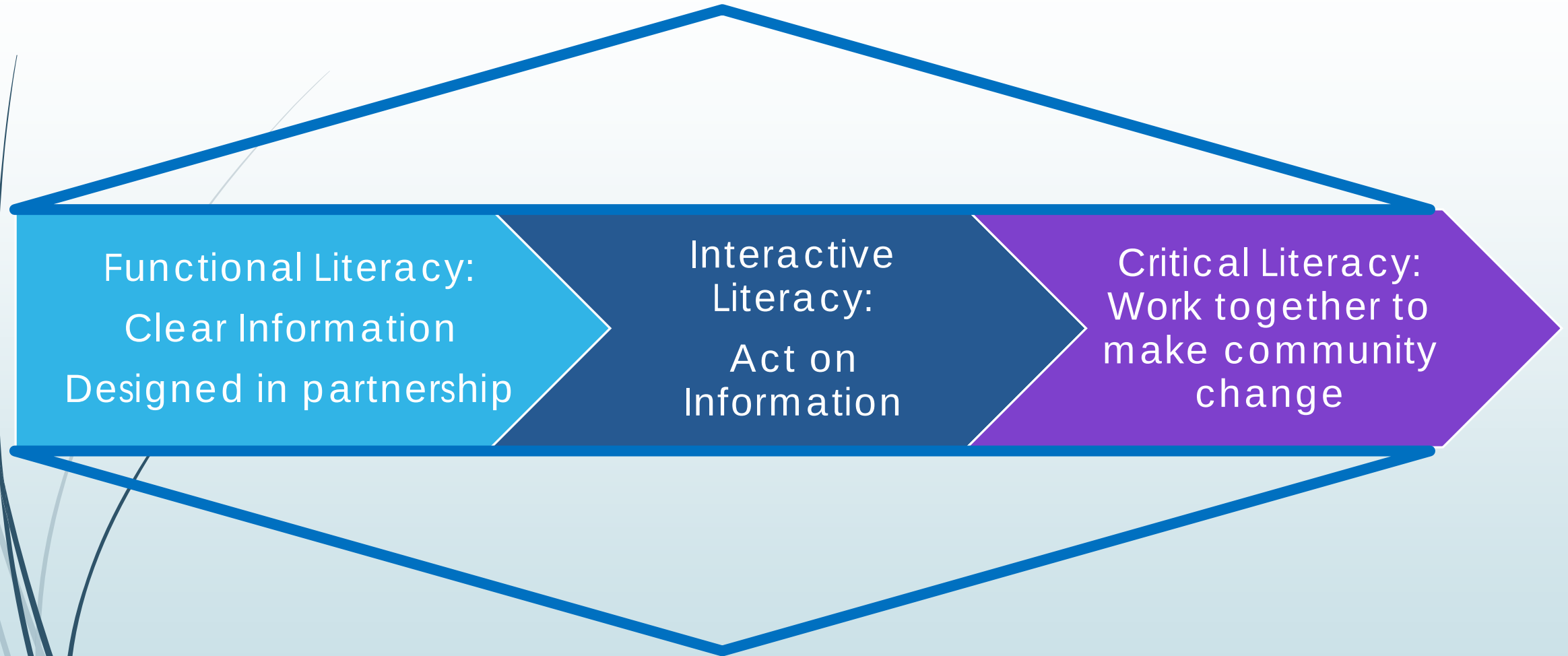
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Protecting Our Water Sources



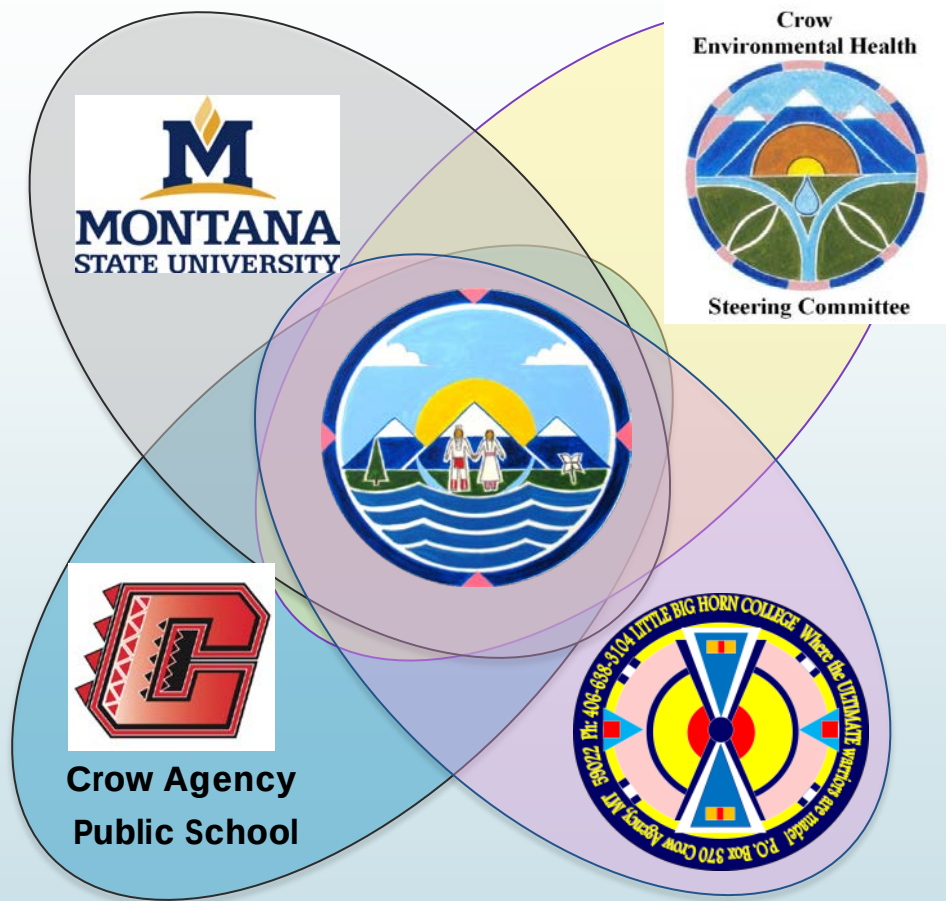
Community-Based Participatory Research



Environmental Health Literacy

Application of Environmental Health Literacy to Identify Locus of Action





**Applying
Health
Literacy
Framework:
Guardians
of the Living
Water**

Functional Literacy Examples





Interactive Literacy Examples





Critical Literacy Examples





Critical Literacy

Evaluation Findings: Promoting Critical Literacy





Implications

- Complexity of environmental health literacy initiatives
- Cross collaboration and efficient partnerships
- Authentic Involvement of Youth
- Integration of Indigenous and Western Science



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