**Fresno Residents Council: Training Schedule**

**Special Note:** This schedule is tentative and subject to change. Please work with your Anchor CBO to know exact and updated details about REAP trainings. Training options will be scheduled as follows:

* **Tuesday Training Sessions:** 5:30pm - 7pm
* **Saturday Training Sessions:** 10am - 11:30am

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| **TRAINING MODULE** | **SUMMARY** | **OPTION 1**  (Virtual- on Zoom) | **OPTION 2**  (Virtual- on Zoom) |
| **Leading with a Vision** | In this first training, Residents Council members will discuss the importance of establishing a shared vision, and work together to craft a mission and vision statement for the Fresno Residents Council. | **Tuesday, Aug 17**  5:30pm | **Saturday, Aug 21**  10am |
| **Community Organizing** | Central to community organizing is the ability to build strong public relationships with others who share similar values and beliefs. In this module, we will discuss how to build relational power through Face-to-face meetings in order to build power and shape the terms by which we live our lives. | **Tuesday, Sept 21**  5:30pm | **Saturday, Sept 25**  10am |
| **Understanding the Fresno Landscape** | Fresno County is home to over 1 million residents, and is both a place of great potential and great challenges. In this module, we will discuss how our council can impact this region by understanding who in our community currently wields the power of position, the power of organized money, and, finally, how we hope to wield the power of organized people. | **Tuesday, Oct 19**  5:30pm | **Saturday, Oct 23**  10am |
| **Problems to Policies** | Residents Council members will begin to discuss the most pressing problems facing our communities today. In this first session we will define public policy, understand how it’s made, and, most importantly, how we can take major problems and begin to formulate policy solutions to address them. | **Tuesday, Nov 9**  5:30pm | **Saturday, Nov 13**  10am |
| **Forming a Policy Agenda** | Now that we have greater familiarity with public policy, we will begin to discuss which issues/ problems our Council will hope to address in the coming year. | **Tuesday,**  **Nov 30**  5:30pm | **Saturday,**  **Dec 4**  10am |
| **Issues Assembly** | This will be a special event for Residents Council members. More details to come! | **Saturday, Dec 11**  10am-1pm | |