



HOW TO TRANSFORM SOCIETY TO WORK FOR ALL Six Common Schemas ... Plus a new one

	SCHEMA #1 Fight— Conservative	SCHEMA #2 Fight— Progressive	SCHEMA #3 Trans-partisan	SCHEMA #4 The Great Turning	SCHEMA #5 Education	SCHEMA #6 Consciousness	New SCHEMA “ToBE-ism”
What’s the PROBLEM?	e.g. ... OUR SOCIETY IS BREAKING DOWN Our ecology is in rapid decline; Politics are in gridlock; The spirit of community is being lost; etc						
What’s the CAUSE?	We had a “good society” but there have been too many changes	There is deep inequity in society ... the “moneyed” elite are in charge	The nature of politics is a battle that blocks intelligent action	The natural process of growth and decay	People lack awareness & knowledge	Our way of thinking separates us from our selves, nature & others	A mechanical system is in charge of us, no “We the People”
What’s the overarching SOLUTION?	Elect strong leaders, reduced government and being responsible	Grow through diversity, fairness of opportunity & stop autocracy	Assure better relationships through dialogue	Trust the death-rebirth cycle and be ready when a crisis occurs	People should learn more about X religion, civics, etc.	Shift the culture through meditation, self-reflection & spiritual awakenings	Use the “Wisdom Council Process” (WC) to evoke collective wisdom
What ACTIONS can you and others take?	Excel in the marketplace & influence policy to reduce government regulations	Get active, work with others to help fix the inequities. Demand change from government	Reach across the divide. Facilitate dialogue and greater listening	Model what is needed. Affect the people you can. Be ready to seize the moment in a crisis	Educate people to science, the “true faith,” holistic paradigm, etc.	Be the change you wish to see. Act local, think global. Withdraw energy from the old way	Support and help convene WC’s to facilitate all of us to come together as <i>We the People</i>
What’s the key ASSUMPTION?	A system of competition and self-interest can work in the future	A strong message will influence legislation, which will make the needed difference	Our system is OK. We can work within the market, voting, laws & representatives	The next system will evolve naturally. The downturn will be tolerable	People are open to learning the belief system & not in denial. The system is OK	Increased individual consciousness will generate increased collective intelligence	We can be facilitated to work together & solve impossible-seeming issues

The Wisdom Council (WC) process is a new social invention to facilitate “all the people” to become “We the People” so that “We” can address and solve difficult public issues. For more information see the Center for Wise Democracy ... www.WiseDemocracy.org.



What's your SCHEMA? ... for solving society's core problem?

	My SCHEMA
What is the core PROBLEM in society?	
What is the underlying CAUSE?	
What is the overarching SOLUTION?	
What ACTIONS can you and others take?	
What ASSUMPTION do you make in holding to this schema?	

See seven other solution schemas on the reverse side
 Please email a photo of your chart to info@WiseDemocracy.org