

## **Histomap**

Information Processing: Exploring and Discovering, Organizing and Integrating

### **PROCESS**

- Hang chart paper on the wall for a timeline.
- Mark eras in the group's history—the year the bond issue passed, the year the new principal arrived, the loss of a federal program.
- Use icons to illustrate the different events that occurred within each of the eras.
- Groups of people add words and icons to the timeline and share their memories.

### **ALTERNATIVES**

- Organize groups randomly or as intact working groups.

### **TIPS**

- When people hear about the same event from different perspectives, a more complex history is understood.
- What is expressed and understood can be released and does not have to dominate the working space of the group.