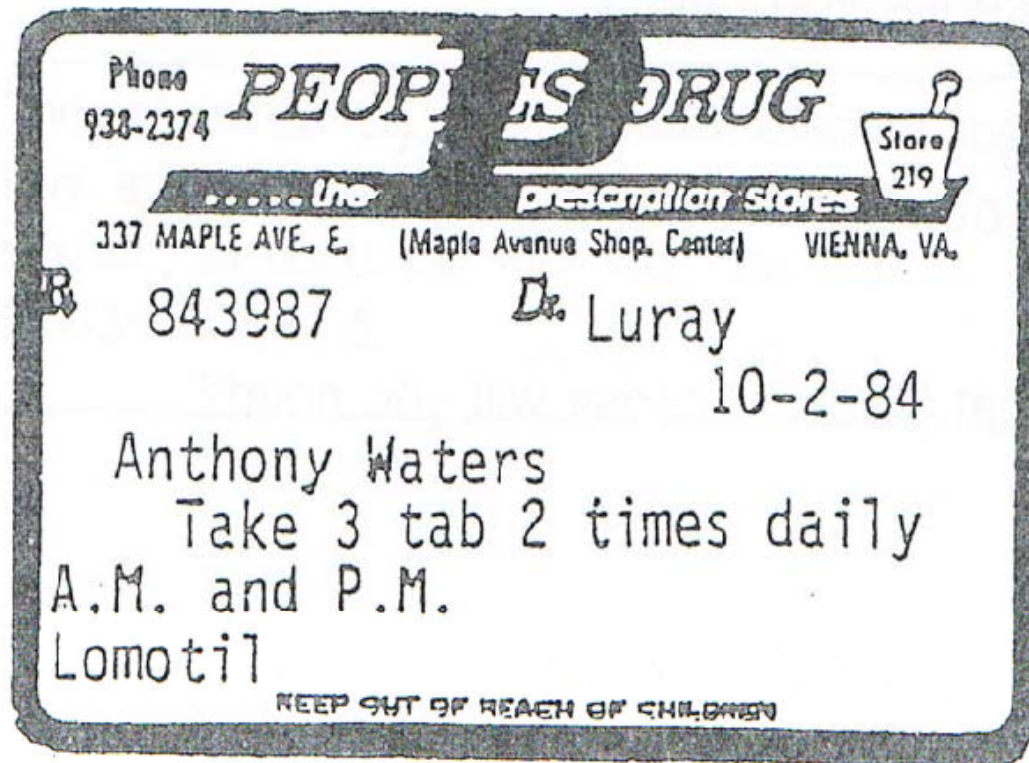




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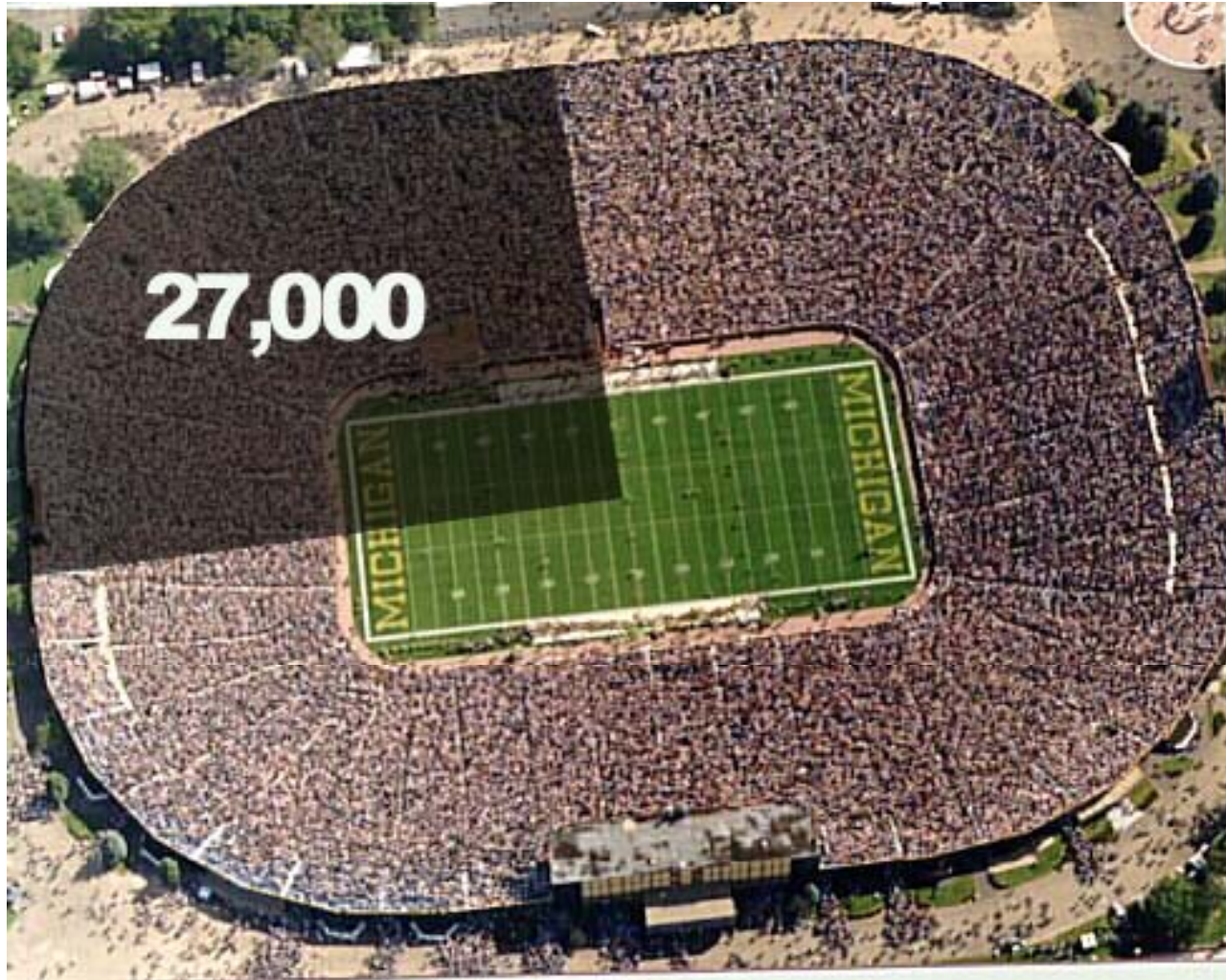


DEFINITION OF LITERACY

- "An individual's ability to read, write, and speak in English, compute, and solve problems, at levels of proficiency necessary to function on the job, in the family of the individual, and in society." - Workforce Investment Act of 1998, Section 203



WASHTENAW COUNTY ADULTS WITH LOW LITERACY SKILLS



LITERACY SUCCESS DEPENDS UPON...

1. Amount of teaching
2. Content of teaching
3. Quality of teaching
4. Student motivation
5. Alignment and support



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FOUR KEY CONSIDERATIONS FOR ACHIEVING COMMUNITY LITERACY SOLUTIONS

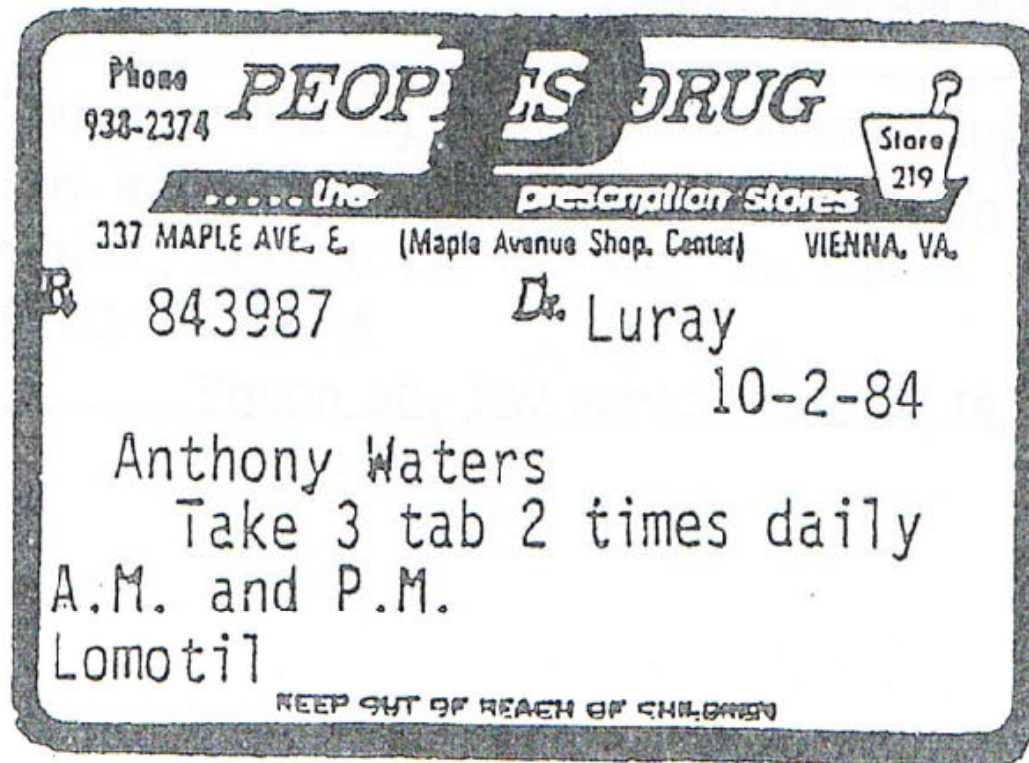
How will the community provide...

1. Resources
 2. Decision – Making
 3. Accountability / Data
 4. Community Engagement
- ...for the solution?

Why Community Literacy?
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THANK YOU!

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