## **Recommended Methodology**

## Protocol for Assessing Community Excellence in Environmental Health (PACE-EH) Methodology

- Task 1 Determine Community Capacity
- Task 2 Define and Characterize the Community
- Task 3 Assemble a Community-Based Environmental Health Assessment Team
- Task 4 Define the Goals, Objectives and Scope of the Assessment
- Task 5 Generate a List of Community Specific Environmental Health Issues
- Task 6 Analyze the Issues with a Systems Framework
- Task 7 Develop Appropriate Indicators
- Task 8 Select Standards against which local status can be compared
- Task 9 Create Issue Profiles
- Task 10 Rank the Issues
- Task 11 Set Priorities for Action
- Task 12 Develop an Action Plan
- Task 13 Evaluate Progress and Plan for the Future

## **Summary Steps**

- 1. Identify and Consolidate
- 2. Survey & Research
- 3. Issue Profile
- 4. Prioritize Risk
- 5. Strategize