

Bolivia's Participatory Institutions (1993)

Oversight Committees made up of elected representatives from territorially-based organizations (neighborhood groups)
Oversee public spending

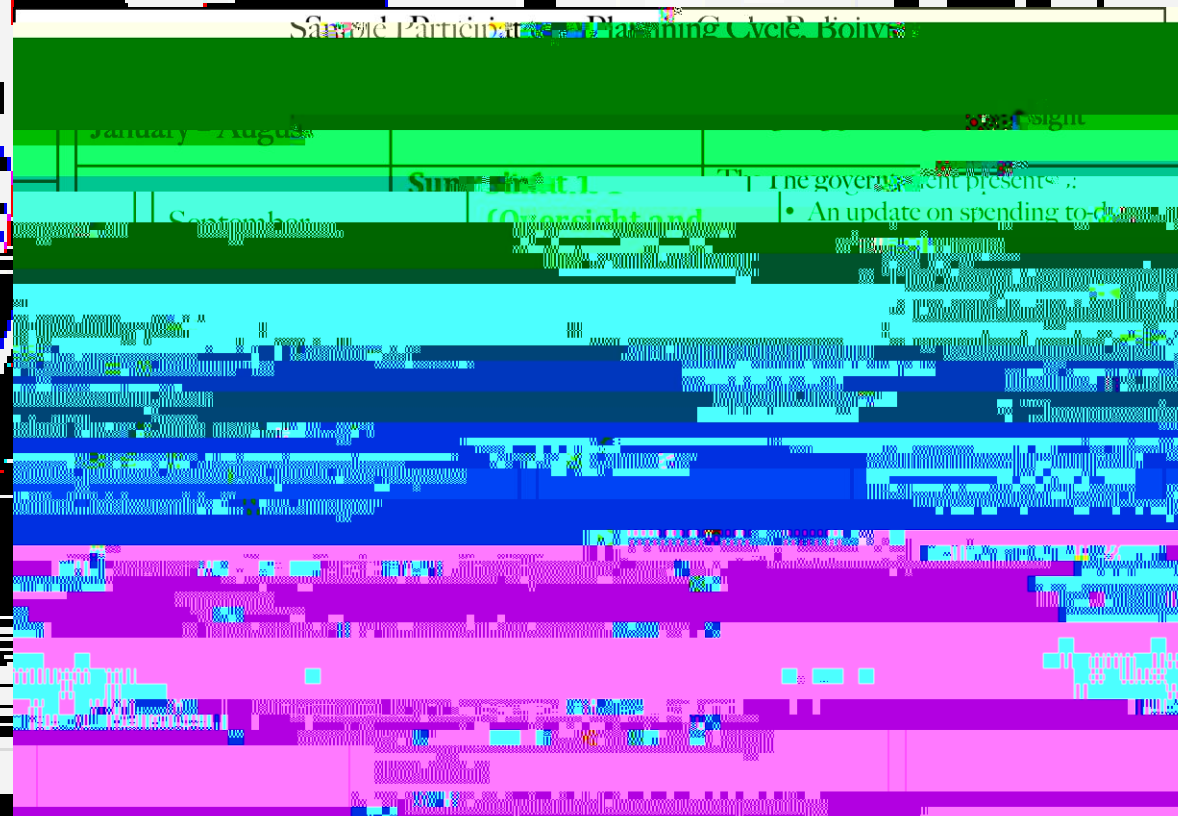
Mayor

City Council

Oversight Committee

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Participatory municipal planning cycle to decide:
a) five-year strategic plan and b) annual investment budget (Annual Operations Plan)



Peru's Participatory Institutions (2002)

Participatory budgeting in 25 states (regions), 195 counties (provinces), and 1838 cities and towns (districts)

Phases:

1. Preparation: Call for participation and training.
2. Deliberation: Participants (civil society and government) meet to discuss and debate projects.
3. Finalization: The final list of projects is sent to the city council and local coordination council for approval. The approved list is sent to the Treasury Department.

Peru's Participatory Institutions (2002)

Local (and State) Coordination Councils with elected representatives from civil society

Councils approve annual budget and strategic plans

Mayor

City Council

Local
Coordination
Council

Guatemala's Council System (1985)

Council system made up of civil society representatives; runs parallel to representative governmental institutions; should channel civil society demands and oversee government spending.

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