

Table 1



***Summary of Estimated Time Commitments
of BR&E Visitation Participants¹⁰**

Participants	Number of Participants Per Program	During Visits and Planning Phase (4 to 9 months)	During Implementation Phase (1 to 2 years)
		<i>Total Hours Per Person</i>	
Local Citizens and Leaders			
Overall Coordinator	1	70	40
Other Leadership Team Members	3-4	45	30
Task Force Members	25 - 30	20	20
Volunteer Visitors	25 - 30	10 - 20	0
Firm Owner/Operator	30 - 100	1 - 3	0
Technical Assistants			
BREI Certified Coordinator or Professional	1	100	30
Computer Technician	1	25 - 45	0
Report Writer	1	100	0

* Includes time spent in meetings. Time spent on implementing projects varies considerably based on priorities identified and individual skills.

¹⁰ Loveridge and Smith. *op. cit.*, pp. 73-74.

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