**Partnership Agreement Template**

**Why We Exist**

We commit to the result that [Insert Target Result]. We know success requires that all young people have the opportunity to attain a postsecondary degree and choose a path to economic mobility. These choices are only available when young people have the cradle-to­ career supports needed to achieve X milestones:

1. [Insert Target Milestones]
2. […]
3. […]
4. […]
5. […]

We exist to ensure that a young person's zip code does not determine their economic and personal future.

**Who We Are**

We are [Insert #] organizations committed to working together across sectors to ensure every young person in [INSERT AREA] is on a path to success. Each organization brings years of experience moving outcomes in different sectors:

* *[Insert organization names and descriptions]*

# Our Vision

[Insert vision for partnership – which can include both a short-term and long-term vision or a unified vision. You can also add additional aspirations for your community and the partnership here or in a separate section]

# Our Structure

The X Partnership leadership team is comprised of [Insert description of who makes up the Leadership Council or governing structure]. The leadership team meets [Insert frequency] to ensure collaboration across organizations and optimize regional opportunities. Working groups will be established as necessary.

**Governance**

[Insert governance model below – an example has been provided]

The X Partnership holds a collective governance frame. We operate with a collective decision-making process that is formal, consensus-oriented, and deliberative. Our approach to governance is rooted in moving outcomes in a positive direction.

**Community Quarterback Support**

[Insert organization] serves as the convener and community backbone organization for X Partnership. [Insert organization] provides an experienced leader and support staff to facilitate, convene and strategically support the work.

We, the undersigned, hereby form X Partnership.

[Insert organizations and signatures below]