

Unit 4: Part 3 – The government and the people

1. **Government** _____
2. Why do communities need government?

○ **Thomas Hobbes** – life without government would be “solitary, poor, nasty, brutish, and short.”
3. What do governments do?

Functions of Government	Description
Keep Order	
Provide Security	
Provide Services	
Guide the Community	

4. Levels of government

- **National**

- **State**

- **Local**

5. **Principles of American Democracy**

Rule of Law	
Limited Government	
Consent of the Governed	
Individual Rights	
Representative Government	