# Community Forum #1 Public Safety Redevelopment Project

April 20, 2021 – 5:30-6:30 pm







### **Agenda**

- Land Acknowledgement
- Team Introductions
- Forum Expectations
- Critical Race Theory at PCC
- Workforce Equity
- Project Intro & Timeline
- Poll Public Safety's Role on Campus
- Public Safety at PCC Cascade
- Feasibility Study Criteria for evaluation
- Safety and Accessibility
- Your Feedback
- Questions for Project Team
- Poll Project Survey
- Further Engagement





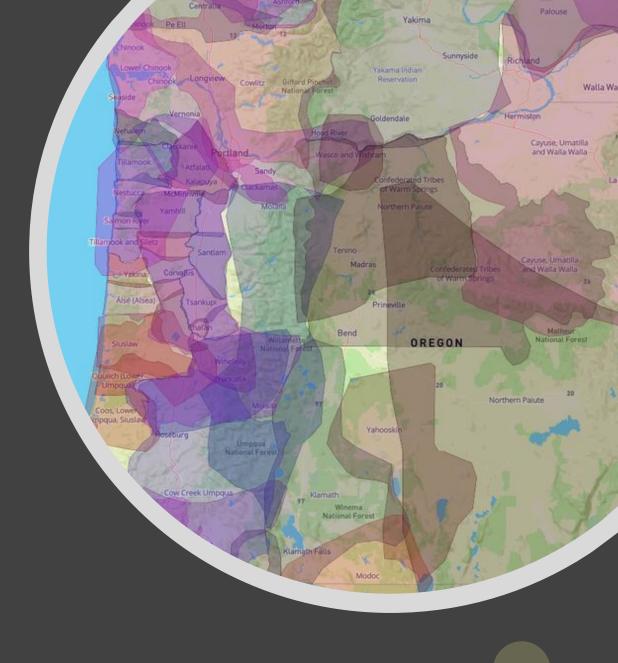


## Land Acknowledgement

Every community owes its existence and vitality to generations from around the world who contributed their hopes, dreams, and energy to making the history that led to this moment. Some were brought here against their will, some were drawn to leave their distant homes in hope of a better life, and some have lived on this land for more generations than can be counted. Truth and acknowledgment are critical to building mutual respect and connection across all barriers of heritage and difference.

We begin this effort to acknowledge what has been buried by honoring the truth. We are living on the ancestral lands of the Multnomah, Wasco, Cowlitz, Kathlamet, Clackamas, Bands of Chinook, Tualatin, Kalapuya, Molalla, and many other tribes who made their homes along the Columbia River creating communities and summer encampments.

We pay respects to their elders past and present. Please take a moment to consider the many legacies of violence, displacement, migration, settlement, and gentrification that bring us together here today. And please join us in uncovering such truths at any and all public events.







# Forum Expectations

During the community forum, the project team will provide updates on the feasibility study and outline our decision-making process. Opportunities will be provided for community feedback and to ask questions of the project team.

As you follow along, please keep the following expectation in mind:



Listen carefully and respectfully to each presenter and/or speaker.



Practice open-mindedness.



If and when you have questions, please type them in the chat. The project team will attempt to answer all questions.



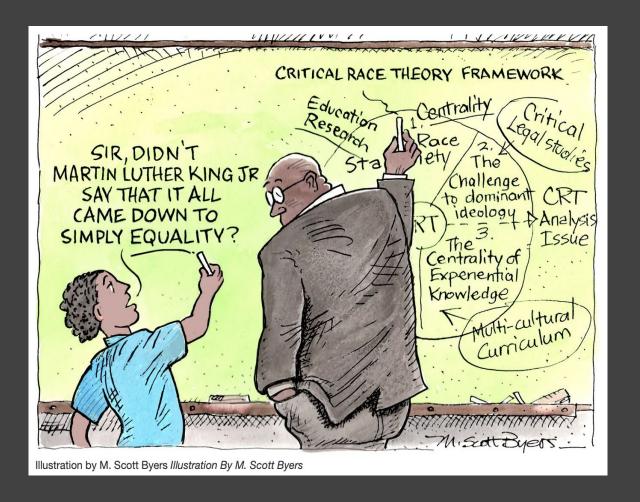
If you ask to speak, please be open and honest.



If you have any concerns about the community engagement process or overall design process, please let us know.

# **Critical Race Theory** (CRT)

CRT acknowledges that white supremacy exists and is maintained through our power structures, including educational institutions. It advances that transforming the relationship between law and racial power, and racial emancipation, are possible.







### **Workforce Equity Through Construction**

PCC is taking steps to cultivate shared prosperity and equitable outcomes through construction hiring and workplace practices.

- 20% utilization of apprentices in each trade, 20% BIPOC workers,
   15% women workers
- 20% of subcontracting opportunities should be awarded to COBID-certified firms, with no more than 14% going to Emerging Small Businesses.
- PCC and OWCB will be attending RISE Up, a program that emphasizes positive jobsite culture. Learn more here: <a href="https://riseup4equity.org">https://riseup4equity.org</a>.
- PCC is signatory to the Safe From Hate Pledge and is active both on the Steering Committee as well as leading the Public Owner's Sector of the Safe From Hate Alliance.











### **Public Safety Building Redevelopment**

- Cascade Campus Public Safety offices currently located at the corner of N. Commercial Ave. and Killingsworth St.
- Current building was originally built as a residence in 1952, later served as a dentist's office
- 2,500 square feet
- Relocation or construction of new purpose-built facility on the current site

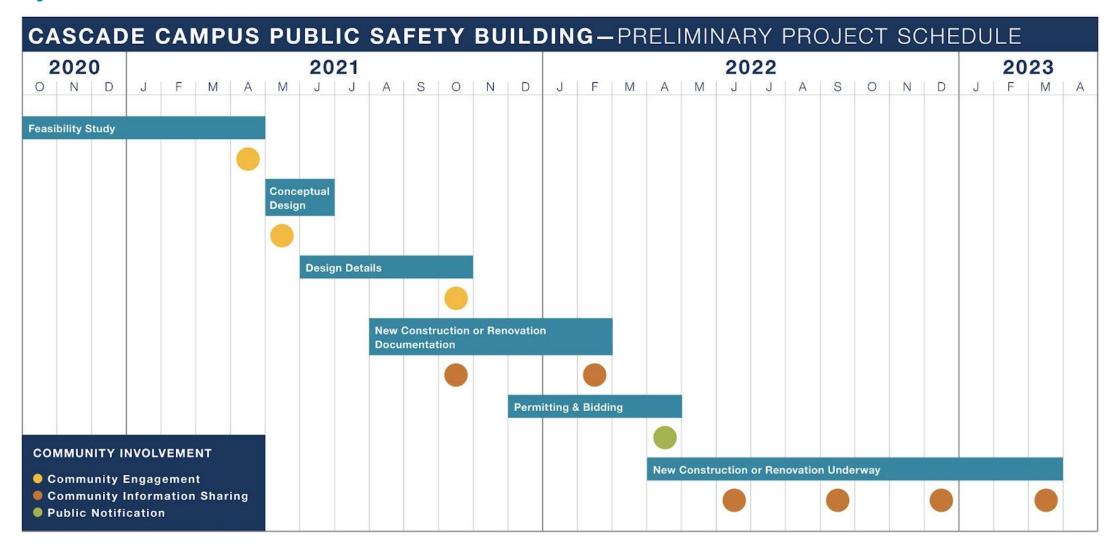








### **Project Timeline**







## Poll

Do you know what PCC Public Safety's role is on campus?

Please select your answer in the Zoom poll.



### **Providing a Safe Learning Environment**





### What is the Role of Public Safety?

### **Courtesy services:**

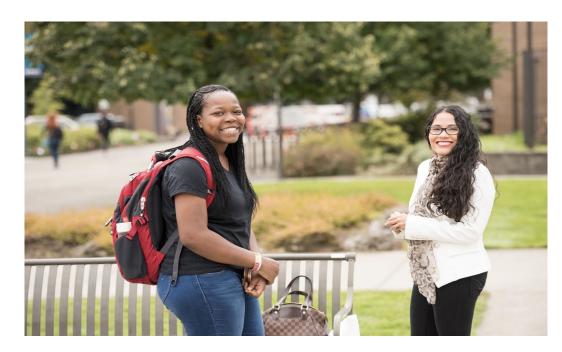
- Dispatch Hotline
- Safety escorts
- Battery jumps, vehicle lockouts
- •Buildings and room access
- •Participate in and support the Student Care/Conduct Process when needed

### **Crime prevention related services:**

- •Clery Reporting compliance, required by federal law
- Timely warnings and Emergency notifications
- Lockdown and active shooter response
- Visible foot and vehicle patrols
- •Parking lot and bicycle security, fraud, and harassment
- •Investigation and written reports for low-level property crimes
- •Coordination with local law enforcement and first responders for emergencies and serious crimes

### **Training & Planning:**

- Emergency Preparedness and Response Planning
- •Conducting Training for Emergencies, e.g. evacuations
- Safety presentations



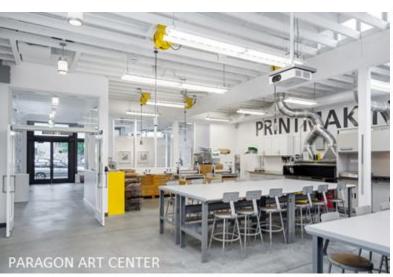




## DAO — who we are and why we care about this project

Broad portfolio of community-based projects
History of working in diverse districts
We maximize the cultural influence of all projects
History with PCC community















### **Public Safety Department Space Requirements**

Core Spaces: Lobby/Reception 140 SF

Offices/Open Workstations 640 SF

Dispatch 150 SF

Security Operations Center 240 SF

Conference Room 280 SF

Kitchenette 120 SF

Locker Rooms 300 SF

Restroom 60 SF

Bike Storage 100 SF

Util./Mech./Misc. Storage 270 SF

Circulation 300 SF

TOTAL: 2,600

(For New, Ground-Up Building Only): Community Meeting Room 400 SF

Exterior Needs: Staff Parking (7 spaces minimum)

Bike Parking

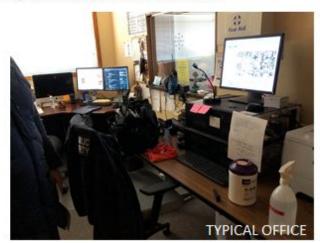
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### **Existing Public Safety Building**

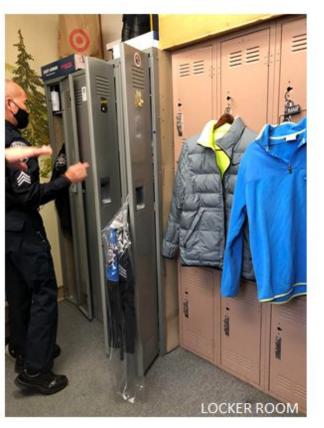
- The building is located at the corner of N.
   Killingsworth St. and N. Commercial Ave.
- The structure is a 2,500 SF one-story building with a small basement
- Building was identified as early as 2006 as a candidate for replacement because it is too small, poorly organized, and lacks a women's locker room (or all-gender option) as well as other usable spaces for the department
- It also lacks a welcoming presence for students, faculty, and staff seeking the department's services















### **Evaluation Criteria Matrix**

- Location on Campus: A central location which has direct walking and biking routes to all areas of campus is preferred
- Building Fit: The location within the building should provide direct access to the exterior, and be consistent with the existing architectural and structural configuration
- Program Synergies: The presence of the Public Safety Department should enhance, not disrupt, the existing uses of the building
- Existing Program Relocation: The feasibility and difficulty of relocating the displaced spaces should be considered
- Potential Cost: A cost estimate was commissioned for the Public Service Education Building and new Public Safety Building options; the relative cost of the other three options was inferred based on the comparative scope of renovation entailed

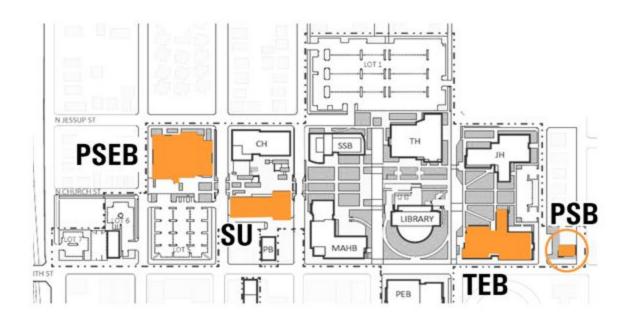
Technology Education Building (East Wing)

Technology Education Building (North Wing)

**Student Union** 

Public Services Education Building

Public Safety Building (New Building)



Location on Campus	<b>Building Fit</b>	Program Synergies	Existing Program Relocation	Potential Cost





### **Technology Education Building (East Wing)**

- Proposed study area: 3,500 SF
- Existing building houses classrooms, labs, and academic faculty offices
- Study area was identified by PCC administration as housing spaces that could be relocated
- Proposed Public Safety Department location replaces video production and classroom space

Evaluation Results:

Location on Campus

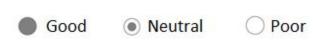
Building Fit

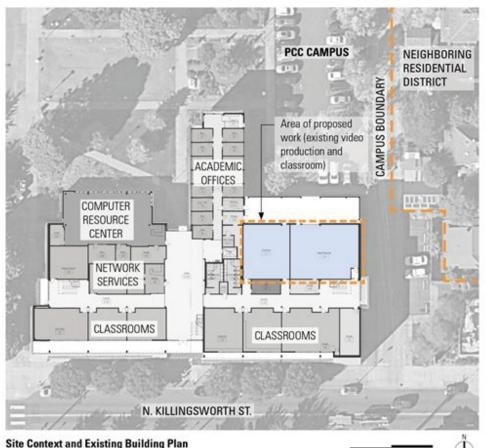
Program Synergies

Existing Program Relocation

Potential Cost

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### **Technology Education Building (North Wing)**

- Proposed study area: 2,500 SF
- Existing building houses classrooms, labs, and academic faculty offices
- Study area was identified by PCC administration as potentially underutilized
- Proposed Public Safety Department location replaces north wing of academic offices on ground floor

**Evaluation Results:** 

Location on Campus

**Existing Program Relocation** 

**Building Fit** 

**Program Synergies** 

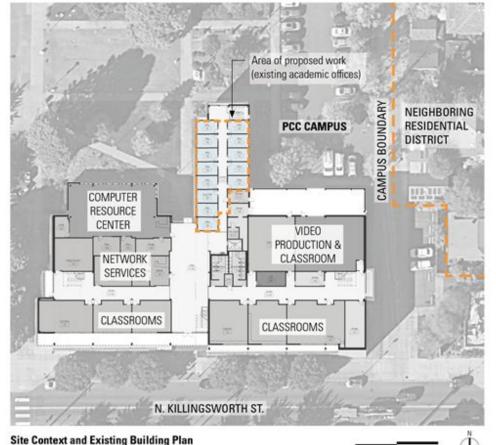
Potential Cost

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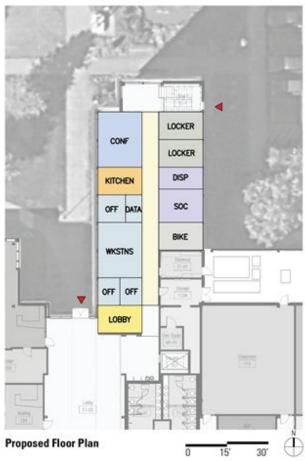
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Neutral

Poor







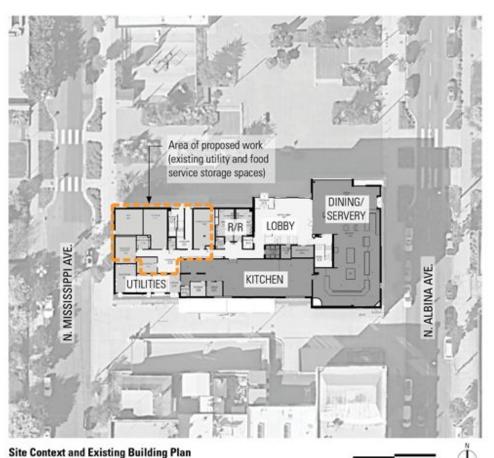




### **Student Union**

- Proposed study area: 2,400 SF
- Existing building houses a large food preparation area, dining area and café, and lobby/lounge area on the ground floor, and student spaces on the upper floors
- Study area was identified by PCC administration as potentially underutilized
- Proposed location replaces underutilized food preparation spaces, a small meeting room, and utility spaces

# Evaluation Results: Location on Campus Building Fit Program Synergies Existing Program Relocation Potential Cost S\$\$











### **Public Services Education Building**

- Proposed Study Area: 2,400 SF (Public Safety) plus reconfigured administrative suite
- Existing building houses Public Services Education Department labs and classrooms (Fire Protection, EMS, and Criminal Justice). In addition, the Dean and administrative offices for the department are located here
- Study area was identified as a possibility for synergy with existing programs, as well as an opportunity to reconfigure the administrative suite

#### **Evaluation Results:**

Location on Campus

**Building Fit** 

**Program Synergies** 

**Existing Program Relocation** 

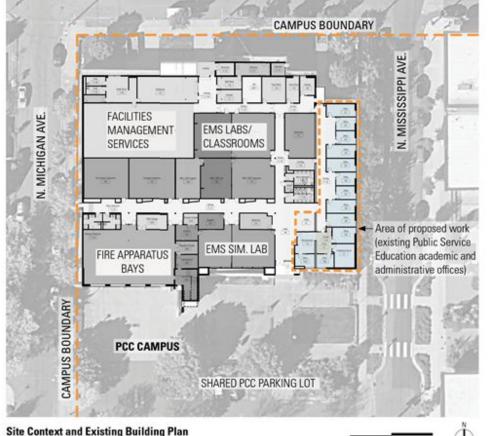
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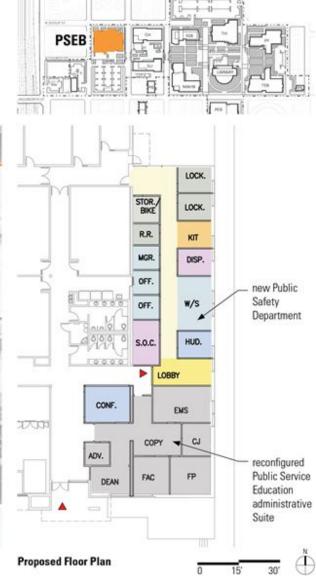
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Good

Neutral

Poor









### **Public Safety Building (New)**

- New building area: 3,100 SF; existing building would be demolished
- New, ground-up building would be customized for the Public Safety Department's current size and configured for their modern operations.
- A generously sized community meeting room could offer a chance to engage with neighboring community- this space wouldn't be feasible at other candidate sites

Evaluation Results:

Location on Campus

Building Fit

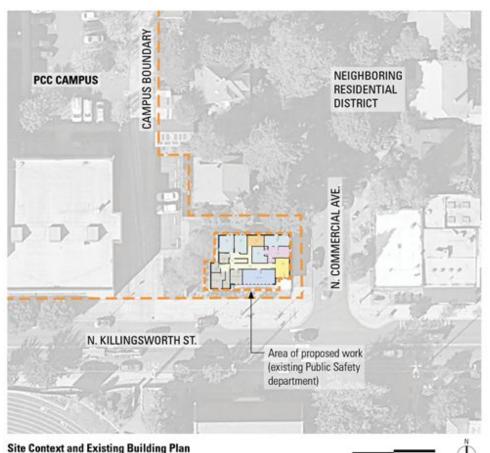
Program Synergies

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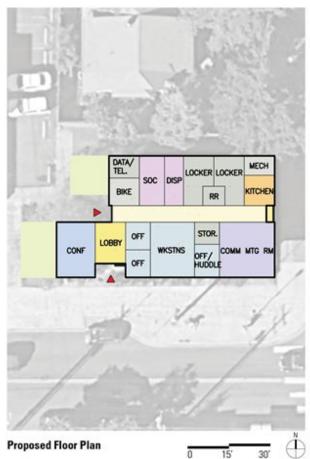
Existing Program Relocation

Potential Cost

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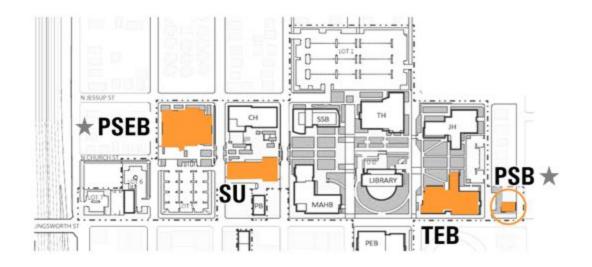








# **Evaluation Criteria- Results of Feasibility Study**



	Location on Campus	<b>Building Fit</b>	Program Synergies	Existing Program Relocation	Potential Cost
Technology Education Building (East Wing)	•	•	0	0	SSS
Technology Education Building (North Wing)	•	0	0	0	\$\$\$
Student Union	•	0	0	0	SSS
★ Public Services Education Building	•	•	•	•	\$\$
★ Public Safety Building (New Building)	•	•	N/A	•	\$\$
Good Neutral	Poor				



# Safety and Accessibility

# In order to determine a final location, the project team is also evaluating:

- Accessibility of Public Safety
- General community perceptions of a safe learning environment
- Design features that support a safe learning environment





### **Your Feedback**

Please type your answers to following questions in the chat. If you would like to elaborate on your answer orally, please put a star at the end of your answer!

1. What makes a safe learning environment for you?

2. How is PCC already supporting a safe learning environment?

3. What aspects of building and campus design best support a safe and welcoming environment?







## **Questions for Project Team**





## Poll

Have you taken the project survey?

Please indicate your answer in the Zoom poll.





## Please continue to engage!

P&CC and We All Rise are continuing to conduct outreach to inform the placement of the new Public Safety Offices until April 27. You will receive an update with the final results of the feasibility study in May.



### Take an online survey

Through Tuesday, Apr. 27, scan the QR code or visit the project website to participate in a 10 minute survey.

We invite all of our community members to learn more about this project at our website: <a href="https://pcc.edu/bond-cascade">pcc.edu/bond-cascade</a>



### **Opt-in for small group conversations**

If you have questions, comments, or concerns, schedule a small group conversation with the project team. Contact Gina Valencia at gina.valencia@pcc.edu or (971) 722-8416.

Information about engagement opportunities for the design phase of this project is forthcoming.



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# Questions?







# Thank you!





