

PCC Board of Directors

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Reflections on PCC Strategic Planning

- Steering Committee - a dedicated, engaged group
- Let the Committee have its voice
 - Avoid speaking for the Committee / Avoid jumping to conclusions
- Synthesis is and will be a challenge
 - Teasing out the wheat from the chaff / Identifying what is truly “strategic”
- Committee wants its work to mean something
- Support for the initiative has been great
 - Busy folks have regular jobs, too
- Scope not organic to PCC
 - Remember, the bond plan took 3 years and 5 iterations
- Committee sets its own pace / guided, organic process

The logo features a large, light blue diamond shape in the background. Overlaid on this is the text "Together, Envision the Future" in a stylized orange script font. Below this, the words "PCC Strategic Planning" are written in a blue sans-serif font, underlined by a thin blue line. A thick orange horizontal bar is positioned at the very bottom of the logo area.

Together, Envision the Future
PCC Strategic Planning

Challenges

- Making the process organic
- Not focusing on solutions to mundane or tactical problems
 - Don't get stuck in the present / Don't get stuck inside the box
- Quality and time are important, but what's the priority?
- Remains to be seen how sub-committees will work
- College input (on me)
- Opportunity to comment vs. material to comment on
- Is it really going to mean something, or is it just a “box to be checked?”
- “Few essential” / “Trivial many” → continuous vs. one-time