



Community Needs, Programs and Outcomes Annual Report
November 20, 2014

The Community Needs, Programs and Outcomes Committee is comprised of Chad Day, Iversy Velez, Dr. Julie Smith-Morrow, Dr. Michelle Deeley Wilhite, staff liaison Dr. Patricia Goodman, and Joe Creaghead, Chair.

The initial meeting of the Committee was held at the Urban Campus on October 20. The following items were discussed and/or decided:

1. It was decided the name of the committee should be shortened to the "Community Needs Committee".
2. We will propose at the next Board meeting that this committee be established as a standing committee and so reflected in the by-laws.
3. We established a draft mission statement for the Committee as follows:

To enhance communication between Gateway and the Community served to strengthen the alignment between the Community needs and Gateway offerings.
4. The Committee decided it would be helpful to have a more complete understanding of what programs and metrics are in place aimed at coordinating Community needs with Gateway programs. Dr. Goodman will provide information on the activities arising from the Strategic Plan that are aimed at this coordination at our next meeting.
5. Our next meeting will be held at the Urban Campus on December 17 from 4:30 to 6:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe Creaghead, Chair