

WHAT VOICES MUST BE INCLUDED AT THE TABLE?

Another research & development / professional group (that is not the Leadership Team) to implement our vision X 3

Younger clergy X 2

Administrative issues regarding aligning staff

Responsibilities that come with a move

Administrative leaders X 2

Rural and urban X 2

Large and small

Ethnic Persons / Immigrants / English as a Second Language X 9

People committed to transforming the world

People committed to The UMC

Voices who aren't rigid and understand adaptive change

Technology experts

God / Holy Spirit / Prayer X 3

Those not currently at table – people in business and secular organizations who understand organizational management

Leaders of other denomination with whom we are in communion or those with whom we share cooperative parishes/ministries

Youth / Young Adults X 9

Older Adults X 2

The Poor X 2

General Agencies

Local Church

Other Jurisdictions X 2

Global Church X 2

Bishops X 3

BOOM

District Superintendents

UMW X 4

UMM X 2

Deaconess

Home Missioner

Other mission personnel

Bring in community members and listen: How can we serve each other? Follow through on what we hear

Established power structure voices who are willing to listen to the other voices

A United Methodist who has never been a member of a committee

Reaching out to find those to contribute

Unchurched X 3

Educators X 2

Communicators X 2

DCM X 2

JCFA / Treasurers / Finance Committees X 3

Outside church: community development

Someone with success in cross-cultural ministry and church planting

Frame context of the way we do ministry – efficient and effective

Utilize episcopal candidates who are not elected in other leadership

Look at leadership in a different way – not expecting bishops to do it all the same

Jurisdictional Leadership Team

Clergy & laity from every annual conference

Episcopacy Committee

Committee on Conferences X 2

Pension / Benefits / Compensation X 3

Marginalized (i.e. GLBT) X 6

What about the people “working in the trenches” vs. the perceived “powerbrokers” in this process

All Ages X 3