Community-University Alliance
Planning Team

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* **Will allow for:**
  * A consistent portal through which communities can engage the university in efficient and authentic way
  * A central location for university faculty and staff to gather and share information and connect with community partners to form new and enrich existing partnerships
  * A virtual space for the housing and sharing of knowledge, experiences, and research
Community-University Alliance

- Two distinct yet complimentary pieces
  - A consortium of university partners and community stakeholders
  - A databank to house information that will serve three measurement functions: accountability; research; improvement
Value to Community and University

* **Value Proposition to the Community**
  * Reliability and consistency
  * Having value beyond function

* **Value Proposition to the University**
  * More effective data storing and information sharing
  * Institutional memory and better connectivity
Three-Year Outcome Expectations

* Increased capacity for research and development through databank
* Co-created alliance that nurtures and supports our academically-rooted, mission-driven work
* Additional resources for CETR that will support this work
Connected Communities

* Project Location
  * Pilot consortium component in the Hill District
  * Virtual component is not limited by geography
Key Assets

* **Assets of the Community**
  * Hill Consensus Group, Hill House Association, Ujamaa Collective, FOCUS Pittsburgh, BUGS, Bedford Dwellings Tenant Association, Hill District CDC, Hill District Education Council, Remake Learning

* **Assets of the University**
  * Community engaged faculty, CETR staff, justice-based student organizations, advancement, governmental affairs, mission and identity
Initial Core Team

* Terri Baltimore – Hill House Association
* Celeta Hickman – Ujamaa Collective
* Paul Abernathy – FOCUS Pittsburgh
* Raqueeb Bey – Landslide Farms/BUGS
* Luci-Jo DiMaggio – Director Mission Animation
* Jeff Mallory – Director Office of Inclusion and Diversity
* Rick McCown – Community Engaged Faculty
* Temple Lovelace – Community Engaged Faculty
* Christopher Meidl – Community Engaged Faculty
* Alia Clevenger – Director of Co-Curricular Community Engagement
* Matt Walsh – Community Engagement Coordinator UCWC
* Suzanne Higginbotham – Duquesne Pharmacy
* Anne Marie Hansen - CETR Director
Next Steps

* Invite members to core team
* Connect to university strategic plan
* Launch Meet and Greet event in the fall for prospective members