

## Who are We?



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Who is the QCC?



# Activities and Insights









| Our Value Proposition is unclear           | Our Purpose is unclear                                    | Guiding Statement, Internal Culture   |
|--|---|---|
| Recognition is important                   | Appreciation and awareness are important                  | Recognition Strategy  |
| A declining membership will deter partners | A disengaged membership will deter partners               | Brand Awareness and Recruitment, Member Engagement and Experience, Partnerships |
| How do we "monetize" our members           | How do we give and receive value for and from our members | Membership Fees and Activity Fees   |

Problem Framing



## Guiding Statement Strategy

### Recommendation 1: Adopt a Clearly Defined Independent Purpose

From: Starting with Vision Statement

Recognition Matters! Our innovative and meaningful recognition programs make people, communities, and organizations stronger

## Guiding Statement Strategy

### To: Starting with Purpose Statement

The purpose of the QCC is to build Ontario's legacy, by cultivating pride, and celebrating, connecting, and enriching the lives of Ontario's unsung public service heroes.

| Challenge/Problem | Question to Answer                    | Characteristic of the Statement  |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Purpose Statement | Why do we exist?                      | A big lasting idea that may never be achievable  |
| Vision Statement  | What do we aim to achieve?            | Defines the desired ambitious (yet realistic) future outcome, and includes some quantification and a human element |
| Mission Statement | How do we plan to achieve the vision? | Describes the business the organization is in, and provides focus for management and staff.                        |

## Guiding Statement Strategy

### Recommendation 2: Keep Guiding Statement Up-to-Date

Example of Updated Guiding Statements: Uber

| Guiding<br>Statement | Original   | Updated  |
|----------------------|--|--|
| Purpose              | Evolve the way the world moves.  | Evolve the way the world moves.  |
| Vision               | Acquire 40% market share for paid rides in key US metropolitan markets.  | Smarter transportation with fewer cars and greater access. Transportation that's safer, cheaper, and more reliable; transportation that creates more job opportunities and higher incomes for drivers. |
| Mission              | By seamlessly connecting riders through our apps, we make cities more accessible, opening up more possibilities and more business for drivers. | We ignite opportunity by setting the world in motion.  |



## 73.5%

of OPS employees favourably agree that individual recognition is important to them

80.5%

favourably agree that team recognition is important to them

40.1%

favourably agree that their ministry does a good job of recognizing employees

# Recognition Strategy

### The QCC lacks fit with recognition preferences

## Recognition Strategy

### What would you like to be recognized for?

| Response                                |     |
|---|-----|
| Consistently doing a good job           |     |
| Positive leadership                     | 35% |
| Collaboration or support of team effort | 34% |
| Taking on extra responsibilities        |     |
|   | -   |

QCC covers this space

| Taking on extra responsibilities              | 33% |
|---|-----|
|   | -   |
| Commitment to public service                  | 18% |
| Length of service in OPS                      | 12% |
| Improving safety in the workplace environment | 5%  |
| Volunteering                                  | 4%  |

### How would you like to be recognized?

| Response                                   |     |
|--|-----|
| Personal acknowledgement                   | 43% |
| Verbal thank you                           | 42% |
| Immediate feedback                         | 37% |
| Learning opportunity                       | 30% |
|  |     |
| Divisional award ceremony                  | 6%  |
| Profiled in corporate communication        | 6%  |
| Gift (modest item with low monetary value) | 6%  |
| OPS wide ceremony or event                 | 3%  |

### Can recognition have a positive social impact?

"The purpose of the QCC is to build Ontario's legacy, by cultivating pride, and celebrating, connecting, and enriching the lives of Ontario's unsung public service heroes."

## Recognition Strategy



Honouring Hidden Figures



Reconciliation



**Gestures of Support** 

### First step towards social impact is recognizing member needs

## Recognition Strategy



Retired

Isolation, purposelessness, ageism



Non-Retired

Lack of learning/career opportunities

## Recognition Strategy

### **Considerations**

- How might we recognize specific contributions without visibility into members' day-to-day lives?
- How might we deliver recognition with a positive social impact?
- How might we account for the differing needs of retired and non-retired members?

### Recommendations: Expanding beyond Long Service Recognition

Gain visibility by tapping into internal and external sources

Recognize retirees by helping them re-connect

Recognize non-retirees by showcasing character and aiding development

## Recognition Strategy

Keep slide but hide this text, move the "Gain vis...recognize retirees....recognize non-retirees..." to the center

## Recognition Strategy

### Gain visibility by tapping into internal and external sources



### 1. Introduce Nomination Based Recognition Process:

- Design recognition criteria based on OPS Survey and QCC Member survey
- Invite members and their families to nominate



### 2. Conduct Press & Media Scans

- Scan press and media for OPS,BPS,NP recognition stories
- Collect, curate and communicate
- Reach out to and recognize public service heroes

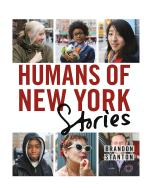


### 3. Create Member Profiles

- Launch internal campaign calling for members to create profiles
- Profiles can include a short biography, interests, hobbies, and ambitions

## Recognition Strategy

### Recognize retirees by helping them re-connect



- 1. Highlight member stories to society
  - Expand beyond internal newsletter to outward facing channels such as social media



- 2. Share learnings with other members or society
  - Invite members to host or co-host webinars
  - Launch mentorship program



- 3. Advocate and support senior causes
  - Organize events that bring together members and society
  - Communicate educational material to the public

## Recognize retirees by showcasing character and aiding their development



- 1. Smaller, more frequent gestures
- Leverage OPS survey insights
- Recognize character



- 2. Offer learning specific to life-stage
  - Offer skill-based learning and career planning advice
  - Recognize top learners





## Branding Awareness Strategy

### **Considerations**

### Transparency Legacy Value alignment

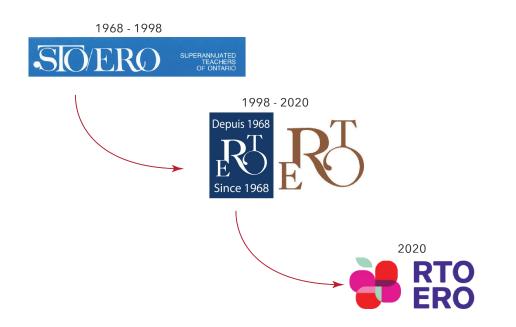
 Fostering awareness among current members



 Creating visibility and interest among potential members



## Ex: RTOO transition



From RTO case study

### **Considerations**

## Recruitment Strategy

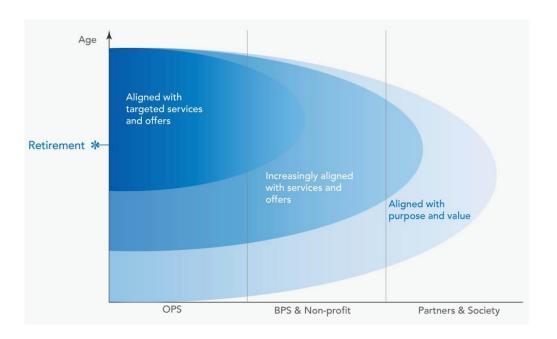
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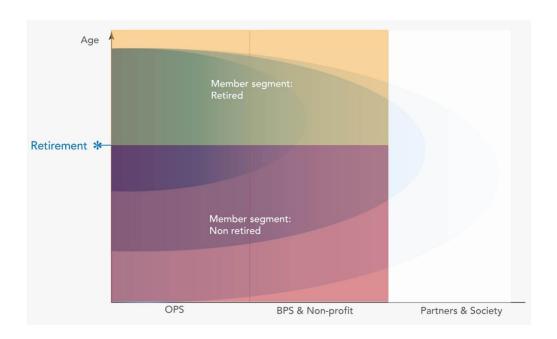


• Business to Consumer









### Retired & Pre-retired



### Pains:

- Ageism
- Health conditions
- Difficulty with new technology
- Disconnection with society
- Greif from friends and family leaving
- Online Scam
- Feeling weak or useless
- Loss of purpose
- Worries about children's futures

### Gains:

- Learning new hobbies
- Learning new skills
- More spare time
- Public is more caring toward seniors
- Senior discounts/ benefits
- Treated respectfully
- Building relationships with families and friends

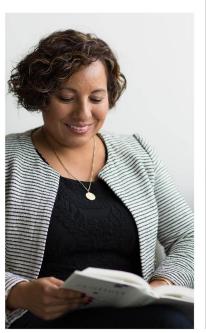
### Jobs need to be done:

- Plan retirement
- Cognitive growth
- Learn new technology
- Keep busy and active
- Keep connection with friends and family
- Exercise
- Eat healthy
- Catch up with news
- Take care of grandchildren
- Connect with society
- Travel
- Manage investments and finances

### Wants:

- Mental & physical health condition
- Life planning & selfdevelopment
- Social engagement
- Connect with friends/ family

### Non-retired (OPS, BPS NP)



### Pains:

- Resolving work issues remotely takes considerable effort
- Skipped over promotion at work
- Disrespectful remarks from work
- Work does not provide value learning
- Low concern for mental health at work
- Worry over children's future
- Uncertain about own future (layoffs)
- Unable to see friends

### Gains:

- Being recognized for a job well done
- Learning/opportunities
- Feeling valued for contributions
- Being able to unwind
- When concerns/opinions are acknowledged
- Being a positive role model to children

### Jobs need to be done:

- Plan career
- Self-development
- Save and budget
- Plan for retirement
- Take care of family
- Exercise to maintain health

### Wants:

- Self-development
- Career planning
- Release pressure
- Wealth management
- Retirement preparation

### Recommendation:

- Expand Information and Knowledge Sharing to Enhance Connections and Enrich Quality of Life.
- Build Interest Hubs and Offer Different Hobby-Related Activities.
- Expand Wellness Activities and Exercise to Maintain Mental and Physical Health

# Membership and Activity Fees Strategy

Webinars Connecting Enriching





Interest Hubs Celebrating Connecting Enriching

Wellness Activities Connecting Enriching





**Self Development**Connecting
Enriching

## Insight - Case Study

### A comparison of 12 similar organizations:

- Only two membership organizations that provide members with discounts and services without charging a membership fee, include QCC
- ½ organizations have membership tiers that are associated with differing membership fees, benefits, and levels of involvement.
- Discounts and rewards are expected.

### Case study in RTO & MROO

- Both organizations are charging membership fees.
- Both organizations have membership tiers.

## Insight - Financial exercise

| Total 2019 Revenues Total Rewards Revenue | \$1,149,385 |
|---|-------------|
| Total Rewards Revenue                     | \$789,645   |
| Total Johnsons Revenue                    | \$614,732   |

| Total QCC Members   | 50,000 |
|---------------------|--------|
| Johnson members     | 18,099 |
| Non Johnson members | 31,901 |

Avg Revenue/Johnson Member \$34

| \$20 Annual Fee              |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| T                            | 05.000      |
| Total members @ 50% drop     | 25,000      |
| Johnson members @ 15% drop + |             |
| policy termination           | 15,384      |
| Non johnson Members          | 9,616       |
|                              |             |
| Fee Revenue                  | \$500,000   |
| Johnson Revenue              | \$522,522   |
| Total                        | \$1,022,522 |
| Gain/Loss vs Total Rewards   |             |
| Revenue                      | \$232.877   |

| \$10 Annual Fee              |           |  |
|------------------------------|-----------|--|
| Total members @ 50% drop     | 25,000    |  |
| Johnson members @ 15% drop + |           |  |
| policy termination           | 15,384    |  |
| Non johnson members          | 9,616     |  |
|                              |           |  |
| Fee Revenue                  | \$250,000 |  |
| Johnson Revenue              | \$522,522 |  |
| Total                        | \$772,522 |  |
| Gain/Loss vs Total Rewards   |           |  |
| Revenue                      | -\$17,123 |  |

| \$15 Annual Fee              |           |  |
|------------------------------|-----------|--|
| Total members @ 50% drop     | 25,000    |  |
| Johnson members @ 15% drop + |           |  |
| policy termination           | 15,384    |  |
| Non johnson Members          | 9,616     |  |
| Fee Revenue                  | \$375,000 |  |
| Johnson Revenue              | \$522,522 |  |
| Total                        | \$897,522 |  |
| Gain/Loss vs Total Rewards   |           |  |
| Revenue                      | \$107,877 |  |

### takeaways:

- The simulation compares changes in revenue following the introduction of \$10, \$15, and \$20 annual fees.
- The \$20 and \$15 pricing options were found to be revenue accretive.

### Recommendation: Transition to a Paid Membership Model

Membership and Activity Fees Strategy

Pay to Participate Only pay for events and activities

Some Pay a Fee Grandfathering current members and introduce membership tiers

All Pay a Fee Low and high price points

Inclusion Focused Revenue Focused



## Partnership Strategy

Revenue sharing accounted for 70% of the QCC's total revenue in 2019-2020

Five Revenue Sharing
Partners: Johnson Insurance,
Telus, Collette Travel,
HearingLife, and MBNA
Mastercard

95% of revenue sharing comes from Johnson Insurance

## Partnership Strategy

Recommendation 1: Develop Values-Aligned Relationships

Recommendation 2: Facilitate Relationships Between Partners

Examples of types of bids that the QCC could branch out to:

tender\_13000 - Ontario Gazette Composition Services

tender\_12733 - RFQ 20003- Freelance Writing and Editorial Services

tender\_12828 - Print Products and Related Services

tender\_13184 - Literacy Digital Tools and Research Digital Tools

Recommendation 3: Seek Out Opportunities to Elevate Those Who Serve the QCC's

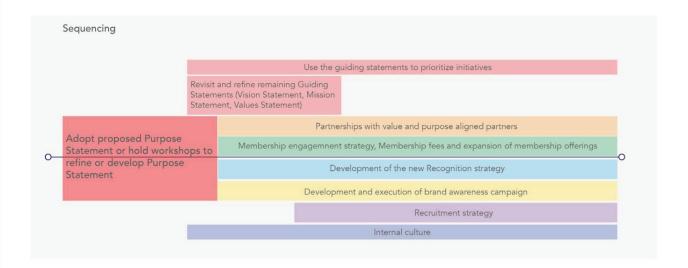
|   | Total  | 0.5%     | 1%       | 2%       |
|---|--------|----------|----------|----------|
| Number of Employees (Telus,<br>Collette, MBNA, HearingLife) | 98,069 | 490      | 981      | 1,961    |
| Expected Revenue<br>(based on \$34 per insured memb         | oer)   | \$16,672 | \$33,343 | \$66,687 |

## Shifting Internal Culture

### Recommendations

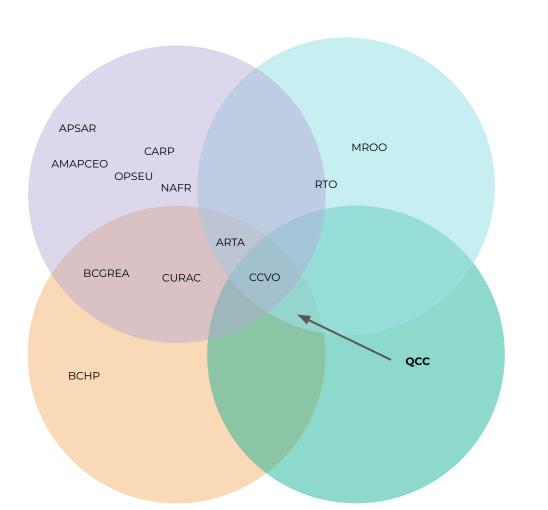
- Create space to practice adaptive leadership. Building resilience through bricolage.
- Become a learning organization. Breaking structures of hierarchy for internal learning, feedback, and ideas.
- Build relationships to further cross-sector leadership. Building teams, solving problems, and achieving impact together.

### Conclusion



## ADVOCACY & REPRESENTATION

GIVING BACK & COMMUNITY BUILDING



WELLBEING & LIFESTYLE

RECOGNITION



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### Financial Simulation: Assumptions

### Four assumptions are built into the simulation:

- 1. The simulation represents the QCC's current state with no changes to value proposition, reward partners, and product/service offerings.
- Total QCC membership assumed to be at 50,000, out of which 18,099 are enrolled in a Johnson Insurance Policy (Approximate figure, aligned with QCC staff). The average reward revenue per member was back-calculated by dividing Johnson reward revenues by the number of Johnson enrolled members and does not take into account policy mix.
- Considering that the majority of QCC members joined not by choice but through auto-enrollment total QCC membership will experience a 50% drop. Percentage drop was chosen to represent an extreme case
- Considering that they have already bought into a QCC offering, only 15% of Johnson Enrolled members will cancel their membership and terminate their policies. (Unless a policy is terminated by the policy-holder, the QCC will continue to receive commission revenues regardless of membership status)

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