Reconstitution of the Steering Committee

- As before, membership drawn from multiple schools, and includes faculty, students, and staff.
- The former Co-Chairs, Sue Estroff and Bill Andrews, remain on the committee.
- The new Co-Chairs are Gina Carelli (Psychology, Arts & Sciences, and Alice Ammerman (Nutrition, Public Health).
Steering Committee Membership

Rumay Alexander, Clinical Prof., Nursing
Alice Ammerman, Center Dir., Public Health
Bill Andrews, Sr. Assoc. Dean, Arts & Sciences
Larry Band, Dir. & Dist. Prof., Arts & Sciences
Linda Beeber, Dist. Prof., Nursing
Jan Boxhill, Sr. Lect., Arts & Sciences
Rob Bruce, Director, Friday Center
Gina Carelli, Dist. Prof., Arts & Sciences
Mary Cooper, Student Body President
Sue Estroff, Professor, School of Medicine
Steve Farmer, Vice Provost for Enrollment & Undergrad. Admissions
Melinda Manning, Assistant Dean of Students
Terry Rhodes, Professor, Arts & Sciences
Ron Strauss, Executive Vice Provost & Dist. Prof., Dentistry
Low-cost Priorities

- Establish a Provost’s committee of students, faculty, and administrators to examine academic regulations.
- Create Bachelor’s to Master’s degrees that can be earned in four to five years of combined study.
- Create a pilot faculty-student mentoring program.
- Pilot innovative lectures courses ...
- In Engagement, review what is already underway with respects to the recommendations and what remains to be done.
- Equity and Inclusion Theme remains to be determined.
Recommendations with Major Costs

- Guarantee every first-year a student in a first-year seminar.
- Provide sufficient courses and sections to enable students to graduate on time.
- Enhance technology capabilities in classrooms and in the library.
- Improve graduate and professional student support.
- Bring faculty salaries to the 80th percentile.
- Expand hiring of interdisciplinary faculty.
- Increase faculty diversity.
- Fund the University libraries.
What Are We Accomplishing Now?

- Expand honors program. This is underway already, and the number of entering honors students should achieve its goal of doubling by 2013, thanks to private gifts.
- Monitor faculty and staff salaries via a comprehensive salary equity survey.
- Offer fee waivers for economically disadvantaged students.
- Maintain strategic partnerships with North Carolina high schools.