COORDINATING COUNCIL

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- The first step of the process occurred in July 2022 when the Vitalization committee sent to the community circles a process for reflection on their experience of the governance structure.

- At the November 2022 CC the body worked with the summary of feedback from the community circles and articulated values and possible designs for future governance. (See attached Nov CC minutes)

- The Governance Committee was named in November 2022 by the Leadership Council and consists of the Vitalization Committee, another Leadership team member and two members at-large: Margaret Chapman, Theresa Fix, Marianne Gaynor, Helen Ingles, Mary Ann Penner and Gloria Rivera.

- The Governance committee met in December 2022, January 2023 and will meet in March and April 2023.

- At the April 2023 CC meeting the committee will share with the CC the feedback from the community circles and have further conversation. If the CC feels we are ready to recommend to the Chapter a revised design for governance, the plan will then move through the necessary channels. A communication will be sent to CICLSAL (Congregation for Institutes of Consecrated Life and Societies of Apostolic Life) requesting a period of experimentation rather than a change in our Constitutions.

- If the CC does not feel we are ready to make the decision about a specific model, the feedback from the CC will come back to the Governance committee for further refinement.