Put Your House
(in order)
–the directive in Isaiah 38:1
Problems

- Murmurings
- Editor in Chief Serves?
- Society Mission<>Journal Mission?
- Iffy IF
- Editorial Board in Exile
House Putting Strategy
Whose House is it?

- Examine Plat of Survey
  - Setbacks (Firewalls?)
- Come Up to Code
  - Clarify ByLaws (Inspections?)
- Architectural Comportment
  - Community Standards (Mission?)
- Dig Foundation
  - Assessments (Contracts & Taxes)
Engineer Pillars

• Commission Oversight
• State of the Journal Review
• Board Ctte Oversight
• EIC Review Parameters
• Contract Revision
Commission & Board

• Commission Oversight over State of Journal Review
  • 25 members broad + Directors of Education & SciPubs & Edu Research
  • Chair reports to Executive Ctte and Joins Oversight of EIC

• Executive Ctte of Board Oversight of EIC Review
  • President, Commission Chair, 3 ad hoc Directors +
  • Director, SciPubs
State of the Journal

• The Usual Suspects

• IF Trends, Speed of Publication, Acceptance Rate, Submission/Readership Distribution, etc

• Altmetrics, Social Media Effectiveness, Conformity to Mission

• Member Value Proposition

• and let’s not forget finances........
EIC Review Parameters

- Content Development (50%)
- Editorial Board Management (30%)
- Reader/Author Satisfaction (10%)
- Operational Effectiveness (10%)
Contract Changes

• 5-year term (1 renewal)

• Defined Reports

• Subject to Annual Review

• Goals Appended to Contract (Annually)

• No Compete Clause

• EIC Expenses Subject to Annual Budget Planning
.......for you shall die and not live

– the rest of Isaiah 38:1