



**DEVELOPING  
CONNECTIONAL  
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ROAD MAP**

Steps	Actions	Deadlines	Actions Performed By						Time Required
			Certified Candidates	Provisional Elder & Deacon (Post Seminary)	DCM Mentor	DCM Mentor Chair	Board of Ministry	BOM Registrar	
	<b>Time to Complete: 2 Years</b>								
<b>First Year -</b>									
1	Orientation Event - Lon Morris College in Jacksonville, Texas	August		X	X				
2	The Gathering Retreat, Lakeview	September		X					
3	Attend "Order Specific" Events			X					
4	Personal Interviews			X	X				
5	BOM Requirements for Counseling, Mentoring, Etc.			X					
6	Eight Meetings of Covenant Group			X	X				
7	Marriage or Singles Retreat			X					
<b>Second Year -</b>									
8	Annual Conference	May		X					
9	District Camp, Lakeview	June / July		X					
10	The Gathering Retreat, Lakeview	September		X					
11	Attend "Order Specific" Events			X					
12	Personal Interviews			X	X				
13	Six Meetings of Covenant Group			X	X				
14	Mid-Course Ministry Setting - Visit & Report			X	X				
15	Notify BOM Registrar	30-Sep			X				
16	Full Membership & Ordination Packets available to download	15-Oct						X	



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17	Arrange to record sermon	Fall		X					
18	Arrange Psychological Testing: a. Krist Samaritan Center or b. Jack Bodden	Fall							
19	Contents of Packet Reviewed	Oct		X	X				
20	Request Recommendation from District Superintendent	Nov		X					
21	Triads Assembled	Dec					X		
22	<b>DEACON Candidates - -</b> Completed packet returned via email/DOVE to BOM Registrar: <b>Discipline ¶ 330.4. a &amp; b</b>	15-Dec		X					
23	<b>ELDER Candidates - -</b> Completed packet returned via email/DOVE to BOM Registrar: <b>Discipline ¶ 335.a &amp; b</b>	15-Dec		X					
24	Triad Interviews Convened	Dec / Jan		X			X		
25	BOM Interviews	Jan		X			X		
26	Election & Ordination	Annual Conf.		X			X		
27	Spiritual Retreat			X					
If BOM Votes to Continue	Provisional Elders & Deacons Continued to Complete Recommendations / Requirements from BOM	1 Year		X		X	X	X	