Podcast 2:

**FSW's Public Mission and Civic Engagement**

* Contributes to the economic well-being and presence in the community.
* Collects stories of members’ community contributions.
* Fulfills its public institution responsibility through programs, partnerships, and initiatives aligned with community needs.
* Aligns with Florida Statute to provide postsecondary education relevant to community needs.

**Mission Pillars and Community Impact**

* Seven mission pillars guide community impact, focusing on:
	+ Workforce opportunities enhanced by industry-aligned programs and advisory boards.
	+ Economic vitality supported by partnerships with local employers, chambers of commerce, economic development councils, and customized workforce solutions via FSW's Corporate and Community Education.
	+ Transforming lives through education and initiatives.

**Community Outreach and Resources**

* Healthcare initiatives include events like the Dental Hygiene program's "Give Kids a Smile."
* Access to cultural and historical resources such as the Rush Library and Museum of Medical History.
* Facility usage of venues like the Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall for college and community needs.

**Student Development and Civic Responsibility**

* Develops informed citizenship through:
	+ General education curriculum.
	+ Florida's Civic Literacy Competency requirement.
	+ Faculty-led civic engagement activities integrated into coursework.

**Global and Environmental Initiatives**

* International Education initiatives and sustainability programs broaden student perspectives.
* Student organizations contribute to community service through environmental cleanups and youth mentoring.

**Support for Diverse Populations**

* Targets support for:
	+ First-generation college students.
	+ Military-affiliated populations as a Military Friendly School.

**Mission Fulfillment and Addressing Reviewer Questions**

* Highlights alignment with community economic interests.
* Strengthens presence and contributions to the community.