

The background of the slide features a close-up of a thin, dark brown branch with several dried, pressed leaves. The leaves are a mix of brown and tan colors, showing their natural texture and shape. The branch runs diagonally across the frame, from the bottom left towards the top right.

# **DIRECTOR SUCCESS:**

## **A Library Plan for Boards**

**A Presentation for The Northeast Kansas Library System  
Topeka Shawnee County Public Library, KS  
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# AGENDA

COMMITMENT

ROLES

CULTURE

COMMUNICATION

GREAT DIRECTORS

GREAT BOARDS



# COMMITMENT



# A STORY ...



*Photo From Santa Rosa Charter School for the Arts*

# Roles



# Keeping Roles Clear

- Understanding Job Descriptions
- Goals & Expectations
- How Will You Know If It's Working? (Evaluations)



# Managing Risk





**COMMUNICATION**

**START WITH  
MEETINGS**





**GOALS**

**PLANS HELP  
EVERYONE**

# How to Have a Great Director


- Trust & Respect
- Direction
- Support
- Problems
- Growth



# Have a Great Board

- Calendar/Plan
- Govern
- Communication
- Supervision





**"Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress. Working together is success." --Henry Ford**