

Keypad Polling

Housing and Neighborhoods Working
Group

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Have you ever lied to your mother?

1. Only once, and candy was involved
2. Yes, but my brother/sister made me
3. Only when it was in her best interest
4. Never
5. More times than I can count

Create Great Places: Short-Term Strategies (Pick top two)

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1. Identify points of interest in the community (historic trails, walking tours, driving tours)

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2. Invest in community amenities to improve quality of life such as sidewalks, parks, promoting arts and culture

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3. Identify and quantify vacant and underutilized buildings/properties through database integration.

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4. Update safety and security measures to handle growth and development in the region

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5. Provide resources to support and promote local events and festivals

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6. Intervene before buildings become a "total loss" (maintenance).

Create Great Places: Long-Term Strategies (Pick top two)

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1. Make more compact and dense cities and towns - by aligning regulations and incentives, and encourage multi-use structures.

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2. Facade grant program for businesses in historic commercial districts

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3. Provide venues for local musicians, artists, craftsmen

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4. Develop appropriate zoning tools (form-based code, etc.) and identify areas through area plans for zoning/redevelopment

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5. Encourage cities and towns to undertake directed planning & extension of utilities & road improvements for a strong urban framework

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6. Focus on grayfield redevelopment on arterial corridors.

Housing Choice: Short-Term Strategies (Pick top two)

1. Promote neighborhood associations
2. Improve connections (sidewalks, bike lanes/paths) between existing housing and employers.
3. Eliminate regulatory road blocks that limit or discourage mix of housing types
4. Education and demonstration - look to how other communities are doing this; model after successful southern cities - charlotte, bham, atl
5. Provide financial incentives for development of vacant lots and rehab private properties
6. Land development regulations to encourage mixed use.

Housing Choice: Long-Term Strategies (Pick top two)

- 7 1. Mixed use conversion of "left behind" commercial areas - for example old strip malls
- 4 2. Zoning to allow courtyard development to promote mix of incomes
- 3 3. More diversity in housing type (cost, size, etc.).
- 7 4. Great schools in every community
- 5 5. Programs for that support accessibility features in homes and infrastructure like sidewalks
- 2 6. Encourage town-center development along corridors.

The technology used today was helpful.

8 1. Strongly Agree

5 2. Agree Somewhat

0 3. Neither Agree nor Disagree

0 4. Disagree Somewhat

0 5. Strongly Disagree