



City Commission Work Session

Agenda

March 9, 2023 @ 1:00 pm

City Hall - Commission Chambers
401 S. Park Avenue

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1. **Call to Order**
 2. **Discussion Item(s)**
 - a. [Discussion on Comprehensive Plan Updates](#) 2 hours
 3. **Adjournment**



City Commission **agenda item**

item type Discussion Item(s)	meeting date March 9, 2023
prepared by Allison McGillis	approved by Jeffrey Briggs, Michelle del Valle, Randy Knight
board approval Completed	
strategic objective	

subject

Discussion on Comprehensive Plan Updates

motion / recommendation

background

See attached PowerPoint presentation.

alternatives / other considerations

fiscal impact

ATTACHMENTS:

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City Commission

Work Session



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Comprehensive Plan Update

Why does the city need to update?

- Under the requirements of Chapter 163, Florida Statutes
- Plan must be updated every seven years
- February 1, 2024 deadline for submittal to Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO)



Comprehensive Plan Update



What will the Update do?

- Brings the entire Comp Plan into conformance with changes since the adoption of the 2017 plan
- Updates all the data and analysis that direct the policies in the plan
- Addresses concerns/issues over the past seven years

What's in the Comprehensive Plan?



Ten Elements to the Comprehensive Plan

1. Future Land Use
 - Goals, objectives and policies to maintain character, scale, and quality development while creating an environment that balances business creation and growth.
2. Transportation
 - Goals, objectives and policies to maintain a balanced transportation system that places a hierarchy of modes: 1) walking 2) bicycling 3) transit (bus and rail) 4) private vehicles.
3. Housing
 - Goals, objectives and policies to create a quality residential environment that is diverse, supports and protects affordable housing, aims at eliminating substandard housing conditions, and preserves residential historic or architectural recourses.
4. Public Facilities
 - Goals, objectives and policies to promote public health and safety while ensuring an environmentally safe, efficient and cost effective system for sanitary sewer, waste, drainage, potable water, and electric utilities.

What's in the Comprehensive Plan?



Ten Elements to the Comprehensive Plan

5. Conservation

- Goals, objectives and policies to provide for the preservation, conservation and appropriate management of the city's natural resources.

6. Recreation and Open Space

- Goals, objectives and policies to preserve, maintain and enhance a quality system of parks, open space and recreational facilities which satisfies the needs of the current and future residents of Winter Park.

7. Capital Improvement

- Goals, objectives and policies to coordinate land use, public facilities and fiscal management decisions.

8. Intergovernmental Coordination

- Goals, objectives and policies to provide for improved intergovernmental coordination of public and private entities in involved in development activities, resource conservation, transportation and growth management.

What's in the Comprehensive Plan?



Ten Elements to the Comprehensive Plan

9. Schools

- Goals, objectives and policies to maintain a high-quality educational system for the current and future residents of the City of Winter Park through coordinated efforts between the city, Orange County and Orange County Public Schools.

10. Property Rights

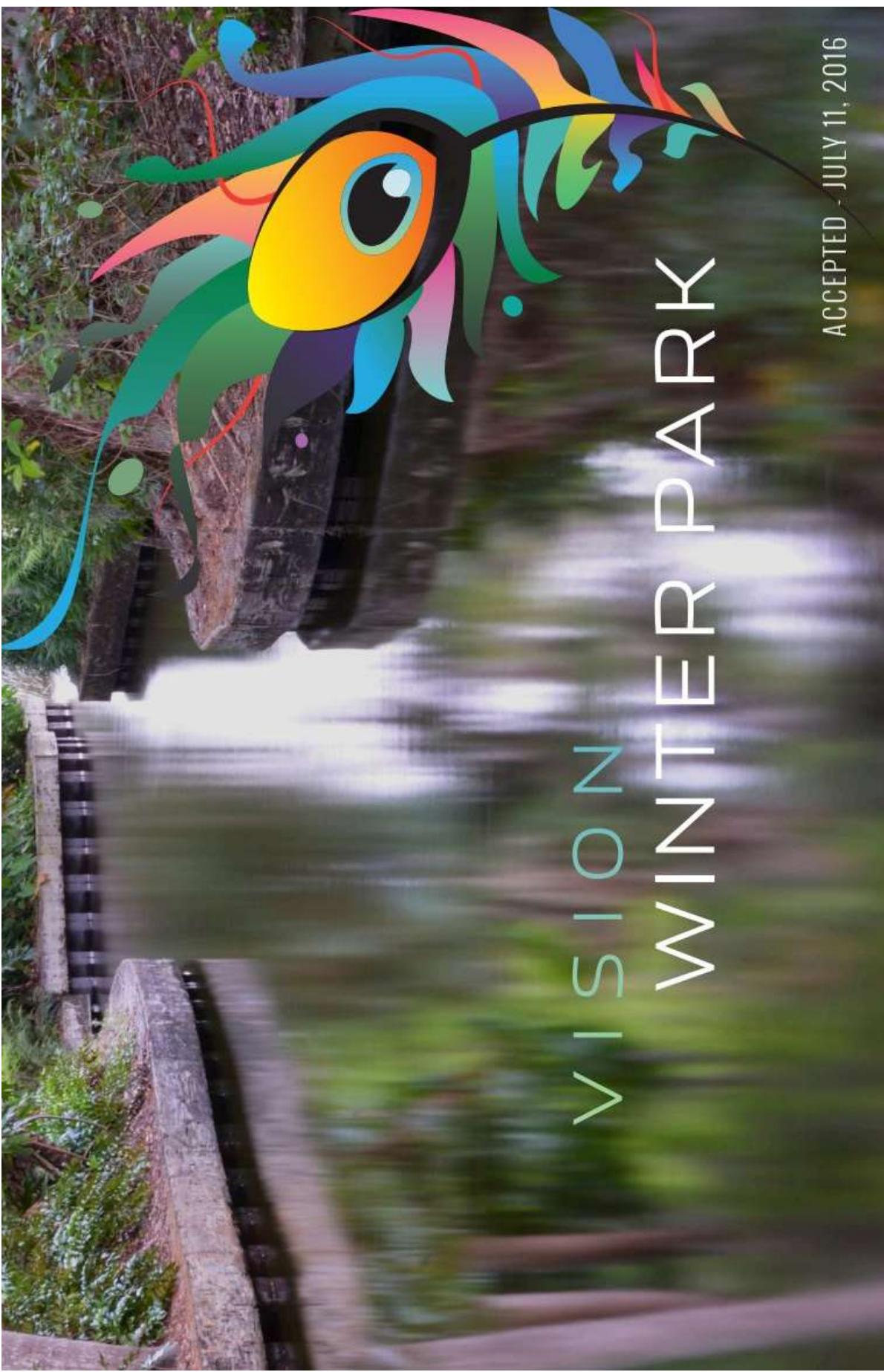
- Goals, objectives and policies to signify respect for judicially acknowledged and constitutionally protected private property rights, signify respect to people's rights to participate in the decisions that affect their lives and property, and to ensure that those rights are considered in the City of Winter Park's decision-making.

Other Components of the Comprehensive Plan:



Data Inventory & Analysis

1. Future Land Use
2. Transportation
3. Housing
4. Public Facilities
5. Conservation
6. Recreation and Open Space
7. Capital Improvement
8. Intergovernmental Coordination
9. Schools
10. Property Rights



A COMMUNITY-DEVELOPED VISION

In response to city leadership's desire to fully engage our residents and businesses in the visioning process, the process focused intensely on public involvement. Building this Vision has been directed by our community: community-wide direct mailings to every household; online outreach; 3 questionnaires; newspaper, magazine and journal ads; over 60 events, community sponsored activities, family events, educational forums, neighborhood park meetings, interviews, and focus group meetings. Our 21-person Steering Committee and over 100 Co-Creators served as our sounding board for the future. In recognition of their vital role in the process, our Co-Creators were invited to personalized workshops. Our Steering Committee assisted in getting word out to the community - outlining a program that continually engaged our citizens, identifying additional opportunities to reach out and listen to neighbors, business owners, visitors, family, and friends. Our Steering Committee spent time with these groups, created a common understanding, and educated each other throughout the process.



60
823
COMMUNITY EVENTS

856
REGISTERED WEBSITE USERS

11,935
SURVEY RESPONDENTS*

25,000
EVENT PARTICIPANTS*

29,000
WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA VIEWS

MULTIPLE DIRECT MAILINGS

THOUGHTS FROM THE STEERING COMMITTEE



GUIDING VISION & THEMES

OUR VALUE

safety/ security

parks/ recreation

diversity

cultural assets

family-oriented

uniqueness

stewardship/ sustainability

landscape setting/ wildlife

proactive growth/ future

village ambiance/ small town feel

thriving commercial center

active/healthy lifestyles

collaboration/ involvement

transportation/ transit

friendly/ welcoming

quality of life

appeal/ destination

tranquility/ calmness

excellence/ high-quality/ world-class

vibrancy

progressive

thriving

inclusiveness

character

education

history/heritage

generational appeal

walkability/ bikability

aesthetics



OUR VISION

WINTER PARK IS THE CITY
OF ARTS AND CULTURE,
CHERISHING ITS TRADITIONAL
SCALE AND CHARM WHILE
BUILDING A HEALTHY AND
SUSTAINABLE FUTURE FOR
ALL GENERATIONS.

VISION THEMES

- 1 Cherish and sustain Winter Park's extraordinary quality of life.
- 2 Plan our growth through a collaborative process that protects our city's timeless scale and character.
- 3 Enhance the Winter Park brand through a flourishing community of arts and culture.
- 4 Build and embrace our local institutions for lifelong learning and future generations.

FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT

CHERISH AND SUSTAIN WINTER PARK'S EXTRAORDINARY QUALITY OF LIFE
PLAN OUR GROWTH THROUGH A COLLABORATIVE PROCESS THAT PROTECTS OUR CITY'S TIMELESS SCALE AND CHARACTER
ENHANCE THE WINTER PARK BRAND THROUGH A FLOURISHING COMMUNITY OF ARTS AND CULTURE
BUILD AND EMBRACE OUR LOCAL INSTITUTIONS FOR LIFELONG LEARNING AND FUTURE GENERATIONS



GOAL 1-1: MAINTAIN THE CITY'S CHARACTER
The City of Winter Park desires to ensure the City of Winter Park maintains its traditional scale and low density residential character while at the same time plan our growth through a collaborative process that protects our city's timeless scale and character

TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT

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GOAL 2-1: BALANCED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM
The City of Winter Park desires to ensure a balanced and safe transportation system that

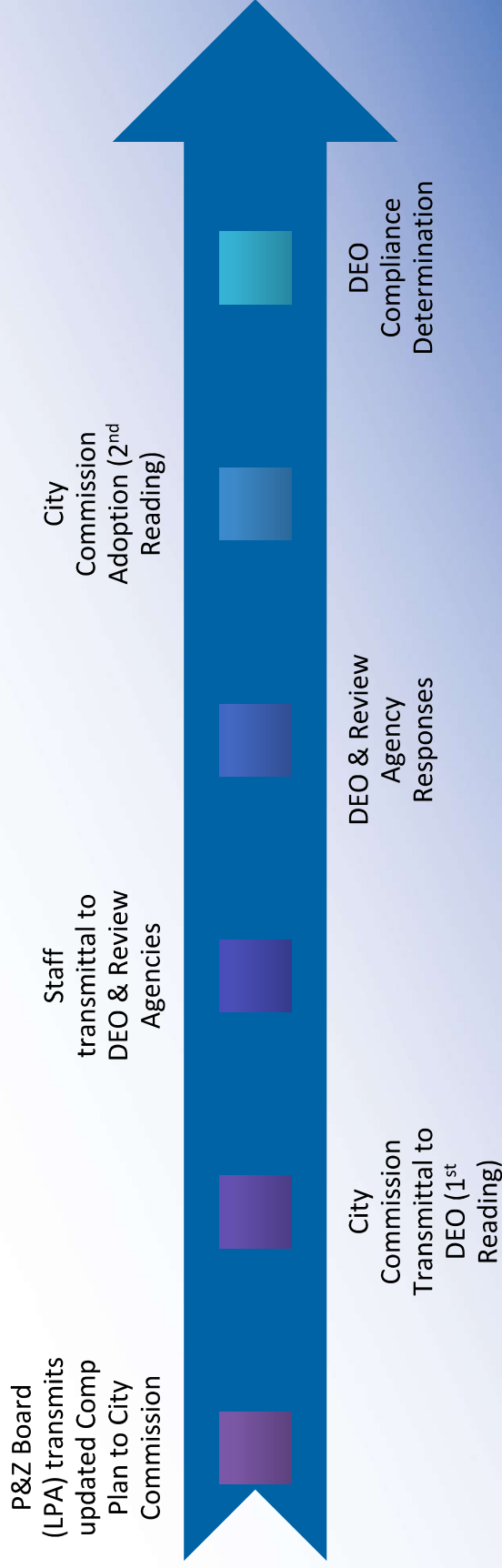
RECREATION & OPEN SPACE ELEMENT

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GOAL 6-1: PROVIDE ADEQUATE RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE
By preserving, maintaining and enhancing a quality system of parks, open space and

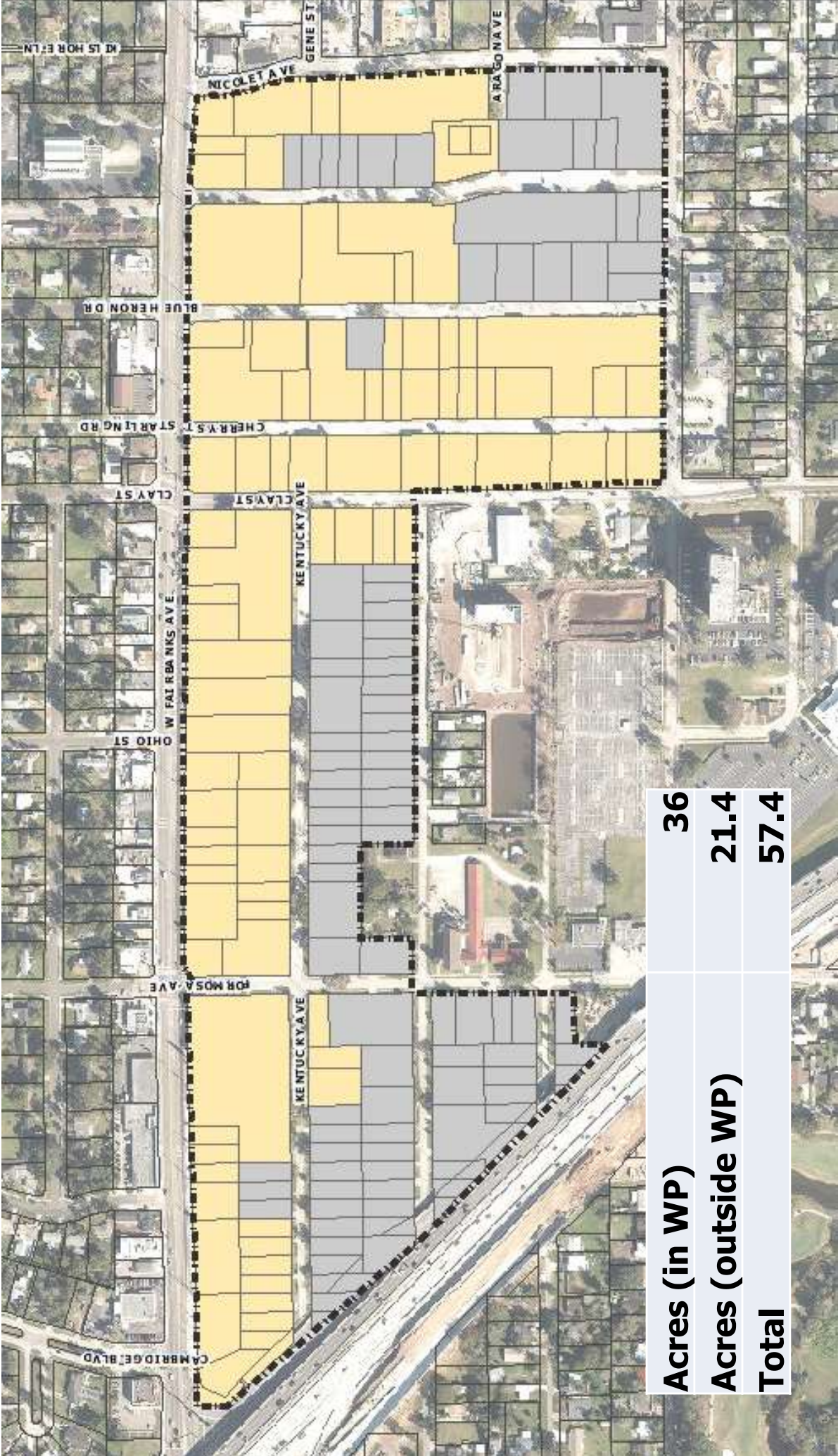
Comprehensive Plan Adoption Process

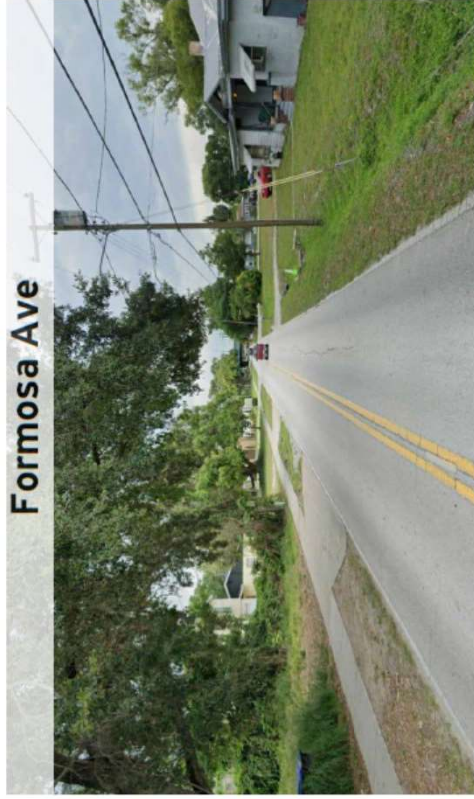


New Future Land Use Policy



Proposed West Fairbanks Area Policy to be added into the Future Land Use element.





Formosa Ave



Oglesby Ave



Kentucky Ave



Nicolet Ave

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Street Conditions - Site Visit W Fairbanks Ave Redevelopment Area

CAMIN ASSOCIATES
urban planning • landscape architecture • architectural design
500 dalway avenue suite 404 orlando, florida 32801-3859
September 6, 2022 CA Job No: 221036-10





Existing Conditions/Challenges

- Most of the area was developed in Orange County jurisdiction prior to city annexation in the 1990's/some still in Orange County.
- First wave of development from the original 1920's plats was residential homes.
- Commercial/Industrial redevelopment replaced the homes during the 1950's-1970's.
- Development was based on 'rural' standards.



Existing Conditions/Challenges

- City added a sanitary sewer line along the West Fairbanks corridor, but most properties have not connected and have septic systems.
- Properties off Fairbanks frontage will need lift stations to connect to the sanitary sewer line.
- There is no storm water retention provided on the individual properties.
- Many properties function via parking in the street, in the grass, or back-out into the street.
- Most streets do not have curbs or sidewalks.

Proposed W. Fairbanks Policy



- Allow for the redevelopment of the 'aged-out' industrial sector based on market needs.
- Establish a Future Land Use policy with entitlements that allow for such redevelopment.
- Policy will also provide a method for the upgrade of needed infrastructure.
- Lastly, adopt zoning codes to enable market to proceed.

Proposed Template



- The Planned Development for Ravaudage provides overall mutually exclusive entitlements of 14.76 units per acre and 100% floor area ratio.
- One can have an apartment complex of 100 units per acre on a site as long as the 14.76 units/acre is not exceeded within the entire development.
- City needs to partner with redevelopment to earn entitlements with off-site infrastructure upgrades.



Next Steps

- Formulate the policy/Future Land Use category for this area to create additional entitlements (would also apply to properties as they are annexed).
- Set-up buckets of entitlements and limit square footage by use – commercial, office, residential.
- First-come, first-serve to the bucket of entitlements.
- Would need to ensure that the infrastructure in the area is also improved during redevelopment, potentially based on project size.

Entitlements Analysis



Existing Development		
Single-Family Lots		22
Medium/High Density Residential Lots		29
Commercial/Industrial Square-Footage		63,994

Potential Entitlements		
Residential @ 14.76 du/ac		847
Residential @ 17 du/ac		976
Residential @ 25 du/ac		1,435
Office/Commercial @ 100% FAR		2,500,344



Questions?

