



September 13, 2017 Comprehensive Plan Briefing
Environmental Sustainability Committee
Draft Actions and Metrics

2035 Comprehensive Plan Timeline

	Spring 2016	Summer 2016	Fall 2016	Winter 2017	Spring 2017	Summer 2017	Fall 2017	Winter 2018	Spring 2018
Initial Input (Community Survey)	Active	Active	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light
Plan Development	Light	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Light	Light
Draft Plan	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Active	Active
Final Plan	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Light	Active



2035 Comprehensive Plan Structure

Vision: The inspirational statement of Fairfax City in 2035.

Guiding Principles: Content-specific inspirational statements.

Goals: General statements of the ideals toward which the city strives.

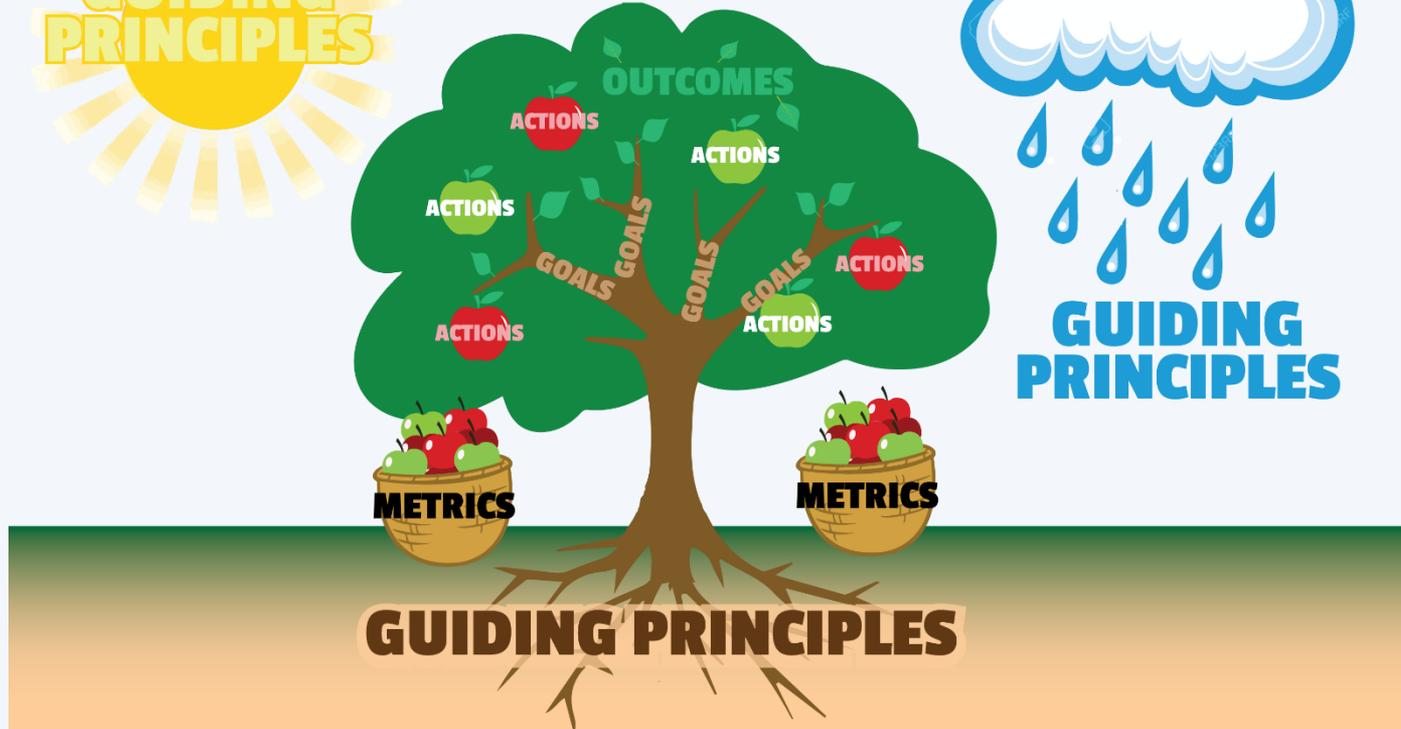
Outcomes: What success looks like for each goal.

Actions: Specific steps necessary to realize each outcome/goal.

Metrics: Methods to measure progress toward achieving each goal.



VISION



Supporting Information and Data

- **Draft Fact Book;**
- **Discussions with City Council, Planning Commission, Boards and Committees;**
- **Community input received on community survey and draft vision statement;**
- **Recommendations from Comprehensive Plan, Vision Fairfax Mason Charrette, Fairfax 2020 Commission Report & other City plans;**
- **National and state best practices.**

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Content Areas

Environmental Sustainability

- Natural Environment
- Sustainability Initiatives

Community Services

- Education
- Parks and Recreation
- Cultural Arts
- Government and Public Safety
- Infrastructure and Utilities

Vision Statement & Guiding Principles

Fairfax City is a vibrant, livable 21st century community with a strong, sustainable economy that supports walkable, safe and convenient access to the natural and built environment.

Natural Environment Guiding Principle. *In 2035, Fairfax is a city with a healthy ecosystem of naturally flowing streams, native plants, wildlife, contiguous natural habitat areas and a healthy tree population.*

Sustainability Initiatives Guiding Principle. *In 2035, Fairfax is a city with sustainable practices that preserve, conserve, use and recycle resources.*

Infrastructure and Utilities Guiding Principle. *In 2035, Fairfax is a city with safe, well-maintained infrastructure and use of advanced technology.*

Next Steps

- **Soliciting input from residents, stakeholders, staff, City boards/committees and City Council.**
- **Sept - Oct 2017: Planning Commission reviews comments on draft actions and metrics.**
- **Sept 16: Panel Discussion at Sherwood**
- **Oct 19: Public Outreach in the evening at Sherwood**

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PANEL DISCUSSION

Emerging Trends Shaping Our Community

SATURDAY, SEPT 16, 2017

9:30 TO 11:30 AM

SHERWOOD CENTER

3740 OLD LEE HWY

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