

OFFICIAL COMMUNITY PLAN

Nelson 2050 Leading the way, together.



ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING JANUARY 15, 2024



LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We would like to acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Ktunaxa, the Syilx, and the Sinixt peoples and is home to the Métis and many diverse Indigenous peoples. We honour their connection to the land and rivers and respect the importance of the environment to our strength as a community.

Overview

- New Legislation
- Update on Policy Review & Development
- Strategies In-Development
- Communications "Awareness/Education"
 - 1-Pagers, Videos, E-Panel, Informational Presentations
- Next Meeting
- Urban Planning Trivia Game

New Legislation PROPOSED CHANGES



Municipalities with pop. over 5,000:

- 3 units lots less than 280m2
- 4 units lots over 280m2

Public Hearings

• No hearing may be held for zoning amendment consistent with the OCP

Housing Needs Assessment

- 5 year updates
- Standardized method
- 20 year projection



- (as per housing needs)

• 5 year interval (public engagement) Accommodate growth over a 20 year period



New Legislation OCP IMPACTS TO THINK ABOUT....

- Growth potential has increased throughout the City • How should the OCP consider the best locations to direct growth?
- Policy Guide on how to integrate HNR with the OCP in June/July • OCPs will need to include policies that address a wider range of housing types
 - (e.g., affordable housing, rental housing, housing for families, etc.)
 - **Note -** Guide will be coming out after public engagement in the spring

Policy Review & Development PHASE THREE OF THE OCP UPDATE



January

February

March

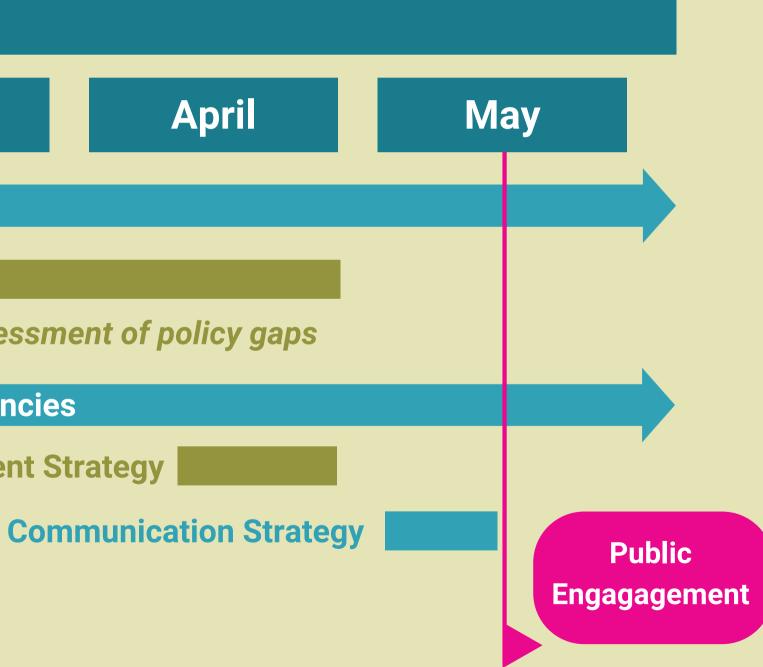
Project Communications

Policy Review & Development

Best practice research, line-by-line policy review, assessment of policy gaps

Internal Outreach & External Government Agencies

Engagement Strategy



Policy Review & Development PHASE THREE OF THE OCP UPDATE

Developing criteria & a process to determine:



Do the policies support the 2050 Vision?



Are there best practice gaps that need to be addressed by new policies? Best Practice Gap \longrightarrow New Policy Drafted

Are there legislative requirements that need to be reflected? Legislative Requirement \longrightarrow Policy Adjustment or New Policy Drafted

? Policy Adjustment

Strategies In-Development RECONCILIATION STRATEGY • How can the OCP Update foster relationship building at the City of Nelson?

- How can OCP policy support reconciliation?
- What should be identified on the OCP implementation plan?





Strategies In-Development YOUTH STRATEGY

• How do we ensure youth have a voice in the OCP Update? Includes school aged kids all the way to young adults (6 to 30 years)

- Requires different tactics for different age groups
- Should empower youth to be actively involved in municipal community building

• What should be identified on the OCP implementation plan?







Project Communications AWARENESS & EDUCATION



- Capacity Building
- Best Practice Research
- OCP Scope

Social Media Videos

- 2050 Vision
- 4 Foundational Values
- 3 Guiding Principles

Informational Presentations

- Audience = CCAs
- Capacity Building
- OCP Scope

E-Panel / Website

- Monthly Check-ins
- Advisory Committee updates
- Educational materials

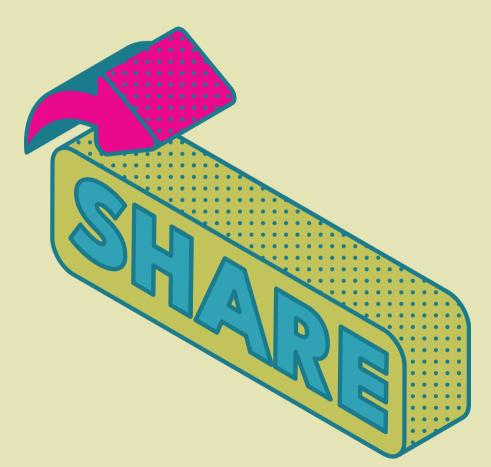
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1- Pagers:

- Infill Housing (published)
- Growth Management (ready to publish)
- **Transportation** (ready to publish)
- **Affordable Housing** (in-development)
- Nelson 2050 Vision (in-development)

Sharing Via:

- E-Panel / Website
- Advisory Committee



 Social Media Community Change Agents

Next Meetings

- February No meeting
- March Thursday March 14 7:00 8:30pm
 - Overview of policy review
- April TBD