

HEALTHY AND LIVEABLE COMMUNITY (CONT'D)

Support community growth and development consistent with our Official Community Plan (OCP)

Incorporate Environmental Advisory Committee review process as part of OCP update (removed)

Undertake public consultation of draft policies and guidelines (removed)

Review opportunities for increased density along rail corridor (dependent upon commuter rail service being revitalized) (removed)

Proactively address potential increased movement on E&N rail corridor (including parking strategy) (added)

Review food strategies as part of OCP update (removed)

Conduct housing forum as part of OCP review; include consideration of policies on secondary suites (removed)

Consider establishment of Social Planning Committee

Clarification of multi-jurisdictional responsibility along Gorge Waterway (removed)

Develop strategy for private use of public lands (added)

Consider establishment of Housing Task Force after adoption of OCP to research and recommend sustainable and inclusive housing strategies (added)

Adopt and implement updated OCP including all DP Guidelines (added)

Ensure multi-modal traffic strategies consider and reflect business and residential growth and development

Research and consider best practices for multi-modal traffic initiatives and strategies

Integrate bike lanes with consideration of CRD Master Cycling Plan

Engage with stakeholders and user groups to ensure input is considered

Ensure input from Environmental Advisory Committee is considered for multi-modal strategies (removed)

Utilize groups as needed for referral and recommendation on accessibility issues (ie Recreation Integration Victoria) (added)

Consult with Chamber of Commerce on installation of additional bike racks in commercial areas (added)

Build a vibrant and sustainable arts, culture and heritage community

Ensure community events support strategic objectives (removed)

Revisit local grant funding and policies for continuous improvement opportunities (removed)

Review and update public art policy (changed)

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Parks & Recreation enhancements and strategic parkland acquisition and expansion

Continue to implement a multi-year upgrade and replacement of Township playground areas (Hither Green & Little League) (changed)

Facilitate and conduct public consultation for McLoughlin Point Amenity Reserve Funds

Continue with opportunity to replenish Parkland Acquisition Fund (changed)

Consider improvements to skate park at Anderson, consider art project and involvement with Esquimalt High School (removed)

Increased engagement with Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee (added)

Ensure heritage values are considered in land use decisions

Ensure heritage values are considered during OCP review and update (removed)

Training for Advisory Planning Commission members on Heritage Values

Ensure Advisory Planning Commission composition reflects accessibility, environment and heritage (removed)

Complete 2 additional statements of significance in accordance with the Heritage Policy (added)

Support food security and initiatives to improve community spaces

Recommended strategies for food security developed by EAC to be considered during OCP review (removed)

Explore opportunities for community gardens (added)

Promote awareness of urban farming opportunities (added)

Proactively address emerging trends in public safety (added)

Ensure compliance with Victoria and Esquimalt Police Framework Agreement (added)

Establish regulations for legalization of marihuana (added)

Research opportunities for public alert system (added)

KEY RELATIONSHIPS

Advocate at the regional level for voice and equity in regional services

Review Capital Regional District arts service involvement and funding

Explore and identify efficiencies between local and regional initiatives

Continue to engage BC Transit to advocate for higher level of services (removed)

Work with First Nations and the Esquimalt community to support economic, social and cultural opportunities

Continue to organize regular Community to Community forums

Consult and engage with First Nations on economic development and planning initiatives

Engage with local service entities to ensure input is considered to support strategic priorities (removed)

Advocate with intergovernmental entities to promote issues affecting Esquimalt

Utilize larger organizations to advocate with other levels of government (Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities/Union of BC Municipalities/Federation of Canadian Municipalities)

Work closely with CFB Esquimalt to align our community visions (removed)

Work with Federal agencies to ensure coordination of development projects and mitigation of impacts (added)

Clarify and establish Esquimalt position on Victoria & Esquimalt Police Board (added)

Continue working with government and school district stakeholders to promote positive relationships and advance issues impacting the community

Collaborate with CFB Esquimalt, School Districts and other municipalities on efficiencies and partnerships in Parks and Recreation Services

Continue to enhance use of social media as engagement tool (changed)

Promote emergency preparedness through shared initiatives and training

Utilize Community Safety Working Group on issues impacting the community

Consultation with stakeholders on McLoughlin Point amenities including First Nations, CFB Esquimalt, residents associations, School Districts, PAC

RESILIENT AND DIVERSE ECONOMY

Continue to work with development partner on Esquimalt Town Square project

Implementation of remediation plan (removed)

Obtain Certificate of Compliance (added)

Continue to work with Aragon and GVPL on new library space (removed)

Monitor construction of new library space (added)

Finalize site preparation for land transfer (removed)

Finalize storm and sanitary servicing (added)

Ensure regular information flow with stakeholders on major projects such as Esquimalt Town Square and McLoughlin Point Wastewater Facility (removed)

Ensure regular community updates on ETS progress (timelines/status in newsletters) (added)

Implement Economic Development Strategy

Review and update economic development strategies and action plan including measurables

Engage consultant to develop Communications and Marketing Strategy and materials

Utilize relationship with Urban Development Institute as additional input and resource for economic development, including workshop session (changed)

Review relationship with South Island Prosperity Project (removed)

Participate in Urban Development Institute (UDI) functions (removed)

Leverage advertising opportunities, such as BC Economic Development Association 'Invest in BC' magazine (removed)

Facilitate Board-Council session with UDI (removed)

Prepare business case outlining options for enhanced economic development (added)

Utilize relationship with Esquimalt Chamber of Commerce to increase engagement with local businesses

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Support revitalization and beautification initiatives along Esquimalt Road

Promote Revitalization Tax Incentive Program

Continue development of Esquimalt Road Urban Design Guidelines (removed)

Enhanced maintenance along Esquimalt Road corridor

Refer cigarette butt program to EAC for recommendations and options (added)

RESILIENT AND DIVERSE ECONOMY

Ensure processes for business and development are clear and consistent

Review Township policies and bylaws to ensure efficient processes; amend and update as necessary

Consider improvement to user services on website to make more accessible

Organize Council-staff workshop to review processes including Green Development Guidelines (removed)

Encourage and facilitate community involvement that supports non-governmental initiatives

Promote and encourage a diverse range of community events (removed)

Support community groups through Township communications resources (removed)

Consider Policy for advertising/promotion on Township property & vehicles (removed)

Consider initiatives to improve or encourage private owners to participate in Bloomin' Beautiful program (removed)

Recruit volunteers for ETAG (added)

Coordinate with Esquimalt Chamber of Commerce to connect with local businesses on major initiatives (added)

WELL MANAGED AND MAINTAINED INFRASTRUCTURE

Participate in integrated waste strategies

Monitor compliance with all zoning and development agreements for McLoughlin Point WWTP

Ensure Township representation continues on committees (technical & community) (changed)

Work with Project Board to ensure assessment of existing infrastructure is developed and established (removed)

Work with CRD to ensure protection and enhancement of existing infrastructure (added)

Participate in CRD led initiatives for other waste streams (removed)

Explore local initiatives for other waste streams (added)

Identify infrastructure repair and proactively plan for replacement needs

Implementation of Inflow and Infiltration management plan and evaluation of underground infrastructure (changed)

Continued implementation of sidewalk master plan (changed)

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Continued implementation of street lighting improvements and upgrades (changed)

Public consultation for McLoughlin Point Amenity Reserve Funds (PSB) (changed)

Identify long term financial requirements for infrastructure

Complete and update infrastructure and asset inventory

Development of asset management strategy and plans (changed)