

# ENVISION SANDY 2050

Community Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting #2
May 11, 2022



# Agenda

- Envision Sandy2050 Project Updates
- Background Reports: Key Takeaways
- Strengths Weaknesses Threats Opportunities (SWOT)
  - Break out Discussion Groups
  - SWOT Group Discussion Report Back
- Next Steps

# Project Updates

# Outreach and Engagement

114 online survey responses

10 Community Conversations scheduled

3 Upcoming Community Events in Jun - Jul



# Outreach and Engagement

Engagement with Sandy High School Youth

2 Outreach efforts to the Latino community

3 Other?



# Background Reports

1. Housing and Economy

2. Natural Hazards and Resiliency

3. Parks, Trails, and Natural Resources

4. Community and Culture

5. Transportation and Infrastructure

6. Governance and Growth Management

# Vision and Comprehensive Plan Process

Background Report

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2040 Vision

Where do we want to go?

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Comprehensive Plan

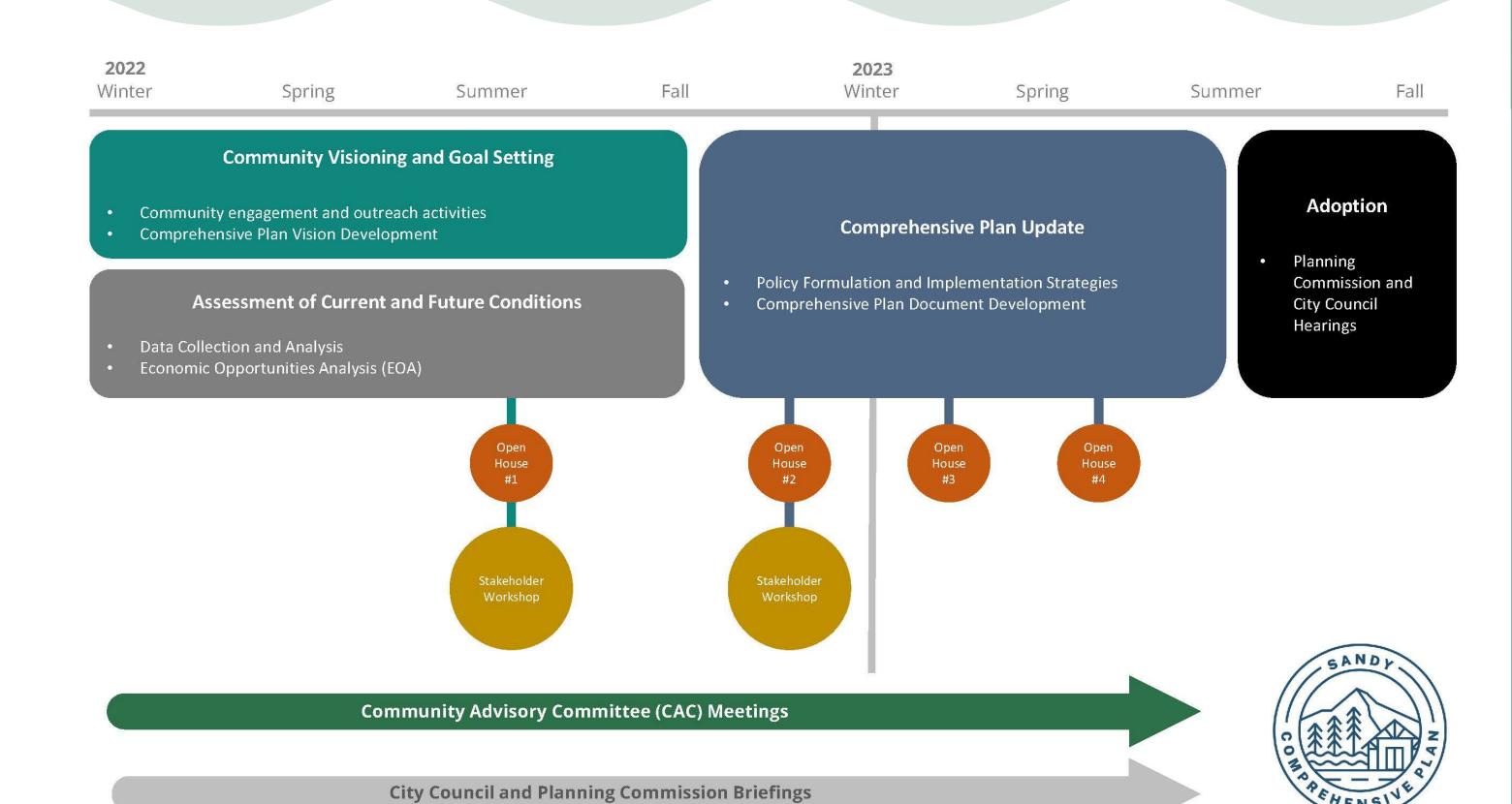
Vision

**Background Reports** 

Goals

Policies

# Project Schedule



# Background Reports: Key Takeaways

- Sandy is growing!
- Sandy's median household is \$73,443 per year
- About 32% of Sandy's households are cost burdened
- Top employment sectors include retail trade, accommodation and food services, government, and health care/education
- Employment in Sandy increased by 23% between 2008-2019

### Housing and Economy

- Goal 9: Economic Development
- Goal 10: Housing

- Extreme wildfire danger is expected to increase
   to 19 days per year by the middle of this century
- Drought events have already become more frequent and extreme in Sandy

# Natural Hazards and Resiliency

- Goal 6: Air, Water, and Land Resources Quality
- Goal 7: Areas Subject to Natural Hazards

- There are approximately 10 miles of path/trails
   both within and between parks in Sandy
- The City works with many organizations and partners to assist with maintenance and funding for parks and trails
- Sandy's existing park system and amenities are aging
- As population growth continues, geographic distribution of new parks and trails should be equitable

# Parks, Trails, Natural Resources

- Goal 5: Natural Resources,
   Scenic and Historic Areas, and
   Open Space
- Goal 8: Recreational Needs

- The City conducts numerous public involvement activities for land use processes
- Sandy offers a variety of volunteer activities
- Sandy is home to key civic, arts, and cultural spaces
- Expanding the technical capacity of the department is critical to sustaining youth engagement

### Community and Culture

Goal 1: Citizen Involvement

- During the spring, fall, and winter, approximately
   50% of the City's supply is purchased from the
   Portland Water Bureau.
- There are many sidewalk gaps along US26,
   Meinig Avenue, and Sandy Heights Street
- Dense and active land uses can support highly productive transit

# Transportation and Infrastructure

- Goal 11: Public Facilities and Services
- Goal 12: Transportation

- Sandy's current Comprehensive Plan was last adopted in 1997
- In 2017, Sandy expanded the City's UGB by 668 gross acres
- Population and employment forecasts have implications for the type and amount of land Sandy will need in order to accommodate more housing and jobs.

# Governance and Growth Management

- Goal 2: Land Use Planning
- Goal 14: Urbanization

Reflections?

Questions?

# Strengths-Weaknesses-Threats-Opportunities (SWOT)



# **Break-Out Groups**

- Break into 4 groups
- Each group will discuss one:
  - Strengths
  - Weaknesses
  - Opportunities
  - Threats
- Choose a note taker and use the flipcharts and markers to record comments
- 30 mins for the discussion
- 15 minutes to report back as a whole

# **SWOT Group Discussion Report-Back**

# Next Steps

- Community Conversations: Want to host? Want to join one? Sign up on the log
- Upcoming Community Events: Want to help at a booth? Sign up with Shelley!
- Next CAC meeting: July 20, 2022

