

REDMOND »»» 2050

Phase 2 Policy Considerations

October 11, 2022



Agenda

- Obtain Council input on Phase 2 policy considerations

Phase 2 Topics

2A

**Community Character &
Historic Preservation**

Human Services

**Annexation and Regional
Planning**

2B

Natural Environment

**Participation, Implementation,
and Evaluation**

Capital Facilities

Utilities

2C

Land Use

- Marymoor Village
- Downtown
- Residential
- Non-Residential

• *Includes study areas if
included in preferred
alternative*

Bold = brand new

Prior Input from Council on Phase 2 Topics

Community Character & Historic Preservation	Annexation & Regional Planning
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design guideline updates • Equity in our built environment • Environmental Sustainability Action Plan • Green character 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • n/a
Participation, Implementation and Evaluation	Human Services
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring outcomes • Redmond 2050 Themes: Equity & Inclusion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Services Strategic Plan priorities • Redmond 2050 Theme: Equity & Inclusion

Prior Input from Council on Phase 2 Topics

Natural Environment	Land Use
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Climate resiliency• Green building standards• Environmental Sustainability Action Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Neighborhood businesses• 10-minute communities• Housing choices and affordability• SE Redmond Industrial Growth Center• Corridors
Capital Facilities	Utilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Redmond 2050 Themes: Equity & Inclusion, Resiliency	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Technology advancements• Environmental Sustainability Action Plan

Next Steps

Tonight

Provide input on policy considerations

Q1 2023

Phase 2 policy options & alternatives



Appendix



Policy Considerations



Community Character and Historic Preservation

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
CCHP-A	Define “community character” and “neighborhood character” to be more inclusive. Consider especially updates to policy FW-40 and related policies. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider revising policies that prioritize character over goals for equity and inclusion, sustainability, and resiliency. • Where policies have been or could be used to exclude segments of our community consider either removing or revising to improve equity outcomes. 	Equity and Inclusion
CCHP-B	Update policies for design standards to better reflect the themes of equity and inclusion, sustainability, and resiliency.	Equity and Inclusion Sustainability, Resiliency
CCHP-C	Consider policies, site and building design guidelines, and partnerships to create Marymoor Village as a pilot universally design neighborhood and additional housing for community members with disabilities.	Equity & Inclusion
CCHP-D	Recognize, celebrate, connect with, and preserve Redmond's heritage, including links to Native cultures.	Equity & Inclusion

Community Character and Historic Preservation

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
CCHP-E	Consider policies for building and site design standards that support Redmond’s environmental sustainability objectives such as carbon emissions reduction and greening urban areas.	Sustainability Resiliency
CCHP-F	Evaluate policies directing the City to balance care for the natural environment while allowing urbanization to ensure that they reflect current community priorities for equity and inclusion, sustainability, and resiliency. Consider especially updates to policy CC-22 and related policies.	Equity and Inclusion Sustainability, Resiliency
CCHP-G	Evaluate historic preservation policies to consider priorities for preservation as more of Redmond’s building stock meets minimum criteria for consideration.	Sustainability

Human Services

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
HS-A	Support effective outreach with funding, tools, engagement campaigns, and partnerships, to connect community members to resources.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
HS-B	Secure sustainable funding, and prioritize support, for organizations that provide culturally responsive services and provide in-demand services as defined in the Human Services Needs Assessment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
HS-C	Increase Human Service capacity and resilience.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
HS-D	Expand the scope of the Human Services Division to focus on increased community connection and support, destigmatize services, and enhance the sense of inclusion, welcoming, and belonging.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
HS-E	Champion diversity.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability

Annexation and Regional Planning Content

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
ARP-A	Update annexation policies to reflect changes in state law and changes in the amount and nature of Redmond's remaining potential annexation area.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sustainability

Participation, Implementation, and Evaluation

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
PIE-A	Update policies to provide a foundation for an equitable, transparent, and accountable planning processes.	Equity and Inclusion Resiliency
PIE-B	Seek-out and prioritize representation of historically excluded groups in the planning process and ensure that the community input represents Redmond's diversity.	Equity and Inclusion
PIE-C	Support effective and equitable participation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure culturally and linguistically appropriate materials are available • Offer a variety of opportunities for community engagement (different places, technologies, times of day) 	Equity and Inclusion
PIE-D	Establish new and strengthen existing partnerships with community-based organizations. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximize inputs and resources. • Collaborate for community engagement 	Equity and Inclusion
PIE-E	Assess policy and program impacts to identify outcomes and course correct as needed.	Sustainability Resiliency
PIE-F	Update Comprehensive Plan evaluation tools to reflect Redmond 2050 themes.	Equity & Inclusion Resiliency Sustainability

Natural Environment

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
NE-A	Pursue additional strategies, particularly related to transportation, to achieve the City's long-term aspirational 2030 target for greenhouse gas emissions and air quality targets for City operations.	Sustainability
NE-B	Prioritize the most valuable opportunities for wetland, stream, and buffer enhancements at a watershed-scale and include undeveloped areas adjacent to Bear Creek and Evans Creek.	Sustainability Resiliency
NE-C	Mitigate erosion and landslide hazards, which are likely to increase with climate change and subsequent effects on local soil moisture, runoff, and streamflow conditions.	Sustainability Resiliency
NE-D	Re-evaluate policies related to views as views will be impacted by growth, especially as building heights in areas like Overlake increase.	Sustainability
NE-E	Consider ways to support and/or incentivize "off-grid" options to reduce GHG emissions, including micro-grids, making permitting easier, and mandates for large projects and municipal projects.	Sustainability
NE-F	Consider a policy that prioritizes daylighting of streams and removal of culverts under roads for salmon passage.	Sustainability
NE-G	Policy that addresses construction dewatering and the impacts associated with development on our drinking water sources	Sustainability Resiliency

Capital Facilities

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
Manage Growth		
CFPS-A	Maintain Appropriate Levels of Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-B	Address Unique Needs of Urban Centers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-C	CF-12 Use capital facilities to attract growth to centers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate Policy CF-12. This policy prioritizes growth in the urban centers. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
Maintain and Adapt Facilities		
CFPS-D	CF-2.5 Ensure that functional and strategic plans address emergency preparedness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-E	Maintain and Update Existing Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-F	Explore Synergies for Capital Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-G	CF-5.5 Engage the community during the capital planning and implementation process to seek input, inform direction and provide updates.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-H	Evaluate energy efficient design for City facilities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Sustainability
Other Considerations		
CFPS-I	PR-3 Provide opportunities to improve health by encouraging use of parks and recreation facilities and participation in recreational and educational programs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability
CFPS-J	Discover New, and Strengthen Existing, Partnerships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resiliency • Equity & Inclusion • Sustainability

Utilities

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
Manage Growth		
U-A	Plan for Growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-B	Review - UT-7 Require development to pay for or construct the growth-related portion of infrastructure needs, and UT-8 Create equity in financing of capital facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
Internet and Wireless Service		
U-C	Explore amending UT-88 to reflect the importance of wireless communications technologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-D	Evaluate UT-83 due to changing technology options and community demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-E	Innovate Methods for Equitable Wireless Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
Climate Change and Sustainability		
U-F	Evaluate UT-6. Consider revisions that would make Redmond a regional leader in sustainable utility practices.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-G	Design utilities for resilience to climate change, seismic events, and other emergency events.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
Other Considerations		
U-H	Explore amending UT-3 to reflect that technology is rapidly changing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-I	Review and revise utility rates for equity and sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-J	Aging Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Sustainability
U-K	Strengthen the Mapping and Documentation of Utilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resiliency Equity & Inclusion Sustainability
U-L	Strengthen Outreach and Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equity & Inclusion Sustainability

Land Use - Updates

#	Policy Consideration	Themes Supported
LU-A	<p>Consolidate and reduce the number of Land Use and Zoning Categories.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ...• Analyze opportunities to aggregate zones with residential uses, to allow a greater variety of housing types across the City and to increase opportunities for denser development. {new}• ...	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Equity and Inclusion• Resiliency• Sustainability
LU-E	<p>Expand Mixed Use Development opportunities across the city.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ...• Encourage flexible first floor commercial space {new}• ...	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Equity and Inclusion• Resiliency• Sustainability