Handout Not Included in Packet

(will be posted on 9/3 Planning Commission calendar item)



Planning Commission September 3, 2019

Agenda Item 4) Summary of PSRC Vision 2050 Process

- Vision 2050 is update of Vision 2040 regional growth strategy
- Draft Vision 2050 Plan available for public review on PSRC website
 - Deadline for comments: Sept 16, 2019

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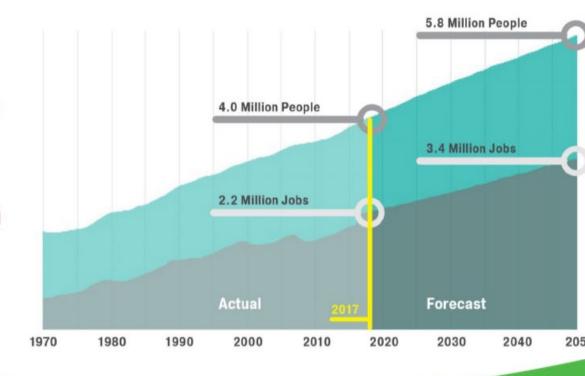
- A strong economy and a healthy environment
- Preserve waters, farms, recreation and resource lands
- Urban Growth Area and centers strategy
- Local actions to achieve regional VISION

2050 Forecast



The long-range forecast is for continued growth

- The region is projected to grow by about 1.8 million people between 2017 and 2050
- The region is projected to add about 1.2 million jobs between 2017 and 2050



Who will be living here?



In 2050, the region's residents will be:

Older



18% of the region's population will be over the age of 65 by 2050, up from 14% today.

More diverse



Between 2000 and 2016, 81% of the region's population growth was people of color.

In smaller households



In 2050 there will be 2.36 people per household on average, down from 2.50 today.

VISION 2050 works to...



- Increase housing choices and affordability
- Provide opportunities for all
- Sustain a strong economy
- Significantly reduce greenhouse gas emissions
- Keep the region moving
- Restore the health of Puget Sound
- Protect a network of open space
- @ Growth in centers and near transit
- Act collaboratively and support local efforts

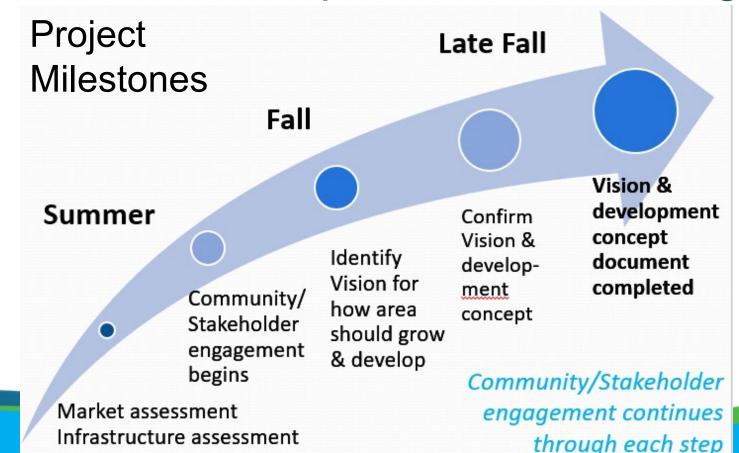


Draft VISION 2050 Plan Process



- 60-day comment period ends September 16
- September 5, 2019 Growth Management Policy Board meeting
 - Public Hearing
- Growth Management Policy Board consideration in fall 2019

Agenda Item 5) City Center Plan Update Ph. 1 Briefing



City Center Plan Update Ph. 1 Briefing (cont.)

Key Recent Activities:

- City Council approval of consultant contract amendment:
 - Focus Additional business & community stakeholder outreach
- Consultant interviews with business stakeholders

Next Steps:

- Continued interviews & focus groups with stakeholders
- Early October: Community Meeting (date to be confirmed)