



# Community Involvement Program

Planning and Sustainability  
Commission

Hearing & Recommendation

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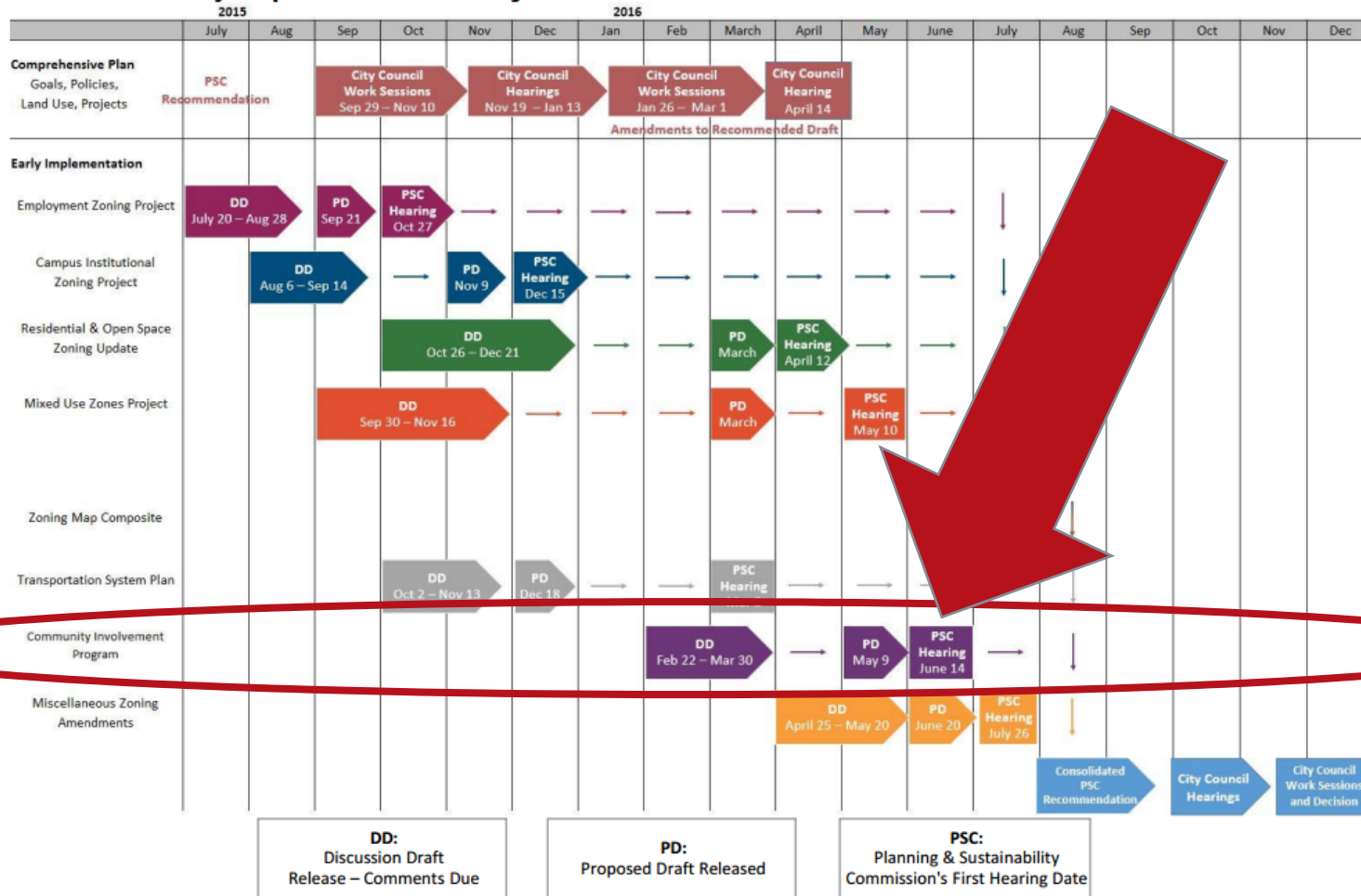
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# What is it?

Dates are tentative  
 UPDATED: May 9, 2016

## Schedule of Early Implementation Projects



# Elements

- Community Engagement Manual
- Community Involvement Committee
- Legislative requirements
- Programmatic commitments



# Comprehensive Plan policies related to community involvement

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**CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT**

**GOAL:**

**9 Improve the method for citizen involvement in the on-going land use decision-making process and provide opportunities for citizen participation in the implementation, review and amendment of the adopted Comprehensive Plan.**

**POLICIES & OBJECTIVES:**

**9.1 Citizen Involvement Coordination**  
Encourage citizen involvement in land use planning projects by actively coordinating the planning process with relevant community organizations, through the reasonable availability of planning reports to city residents and businesses, and notice of official public hearings to neighborhood associations, business groups, affected individuals and the general public.

**9.2 Comprehensive Plan Review**  
Implement a process for complete review of the Comprehensive Plan on a five year basis which provides opportunities for active involvement by the city's residents, businesses and organizations.

**9.3 Comprehensive Plan Amendment**  
Allow for the review and amendment of the adopted Comprehensive Plan which insures citizen involvement opportunities for the city's residents, businesses and organizations.

**9.4 Intergovernmental Cooperation**  
Promote citizen involvement in land use decisions initiated by other governmental agencies.

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**Today**



# Implementation of 2035 Comprehensive Plan

- New program
  - Supports staff to work toward all Chapter 2 policies
  - Implements specific policies
    - Policy 2.16 directs City to maintain a **Community Involvement Program**
    - Policies 1.17 and 2.19 requires an independent **Community Involvement Committee**
    - Policy 2.17 requires a **community engagement manual**



# Recommendation

- Recommend the Community Involvement Program to City Council, including the proposed changes to Title 33

