

# CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP ITEM

# CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS March 16, 2023

AGENDA TOPIC: Discussion on Process for Yearly Review of the City's Planning Tools

DATE: March 16, 2023

DEPARTMENT: City Council

PRESENTED BY: Gregory C. Maxton, Mayor

### **INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND:**

This presentation describes a proposal where City Council would conduct a yearly review of the City's major planning tools.

# Purpose of the presentation:

- 1. Describe the overall concept to City Council
- 2. Obtain City Council feedback on methods to complete the overall process
- 3. Obtain City Council feedback on methods to complete reviews of each planning tool

The planning tools identified for this process are:

- 1. Comprehensive Plan
- 2. Unified Development Code
- 3. Future Land Use Map and Zoning Map
- 4. Capital Improvement Plans (Water, Wastewater, Roads and Stormwater)
- 5. Strategic Action Plan

A yearly review process would start in October each year, right after adoption of the budget and finish just prior to the yearly review process of the 5-year budgeting model. Goal for this presentation:

- 1 Is Council interested in developing a yearly review model?
- 2. To obtain enough feedback from City Council to further develop the yearly review methodology in order to bring back to City Council at a later date for refinement.
- 3. Ultimately develop a model that could be used starting in October 2023.

### **POLICY ANALYSIS/BENEFIT(S) TO CITIZENS:**

- 1. By reviewing each product, keeps City Council better informed on what is in each tool.
- 2. A yearly review process is an information build that better informs Council heading into the 5-year planning model and budget preparation.
- 3. As our City develops, some changes may be needed to the planning tools.

# **LONGTERM FINANCIAL & BUDGETARY IMPACT**: N/A

**LEGAL ANALYSIS:** N/A

# **RECOMMENDATION/PROPOSED MOTION:**

This presentation is a workshop item, and no Council action is required.