



2026 City Council Priorities



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Council Vision



A CARING &
INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY
THAT PROMOTES EQUITY, DIVERSITY,
BELONGING & ACCESS IN CREATING A
MEANINGFUL QUALITY OF LIFE FOR
EVERYONE.



A
**CONNECTED,
INFORMED,
ENGAGED**
& CIVICALLY
COMMUNITY THAT EMBRACES
OUR CITY'S DIVERSITY.



AN
ENVIRONMENTALLY
ACTIVE, SUSTAINABLE, RESPONSIBLE &
FORWARD-THINKING COMMUNITY THAT VALUES
& PROTECTS OUR NATURAL RESOURCES,
INHABITANTS, & HABITATS.



CITY of
TUALATIN
2030
Vision



A THRIVING & DIVERSIFIED
ECONOMY
THAT INCLUDES LIVING WAGE JOBS,
INCREASED TOURISM, & SUSTAINED
FINANCIAL STABILITY FOR THE
WHOLE CITY.



SAFE, DESIRABLE, WELCOMING & SUSTAINABLE
NEIGHBORHOODS
WITH HOUSING THAT IS AVAILABLE FOR ALL.



AN EFFICIENT, ACCESSIBLE, INNOVATIVE,
SUSTAINABLE, CONNECTED
TRANSPORTATION
SYSTEM THAT EFFECTIVELY & SAFELY
MEETS THE NEEDS OF OUR ENTIRE
COMMUNITY.



SAFE, VIBRANT, & ACCESSIBLE
GATHERING PLACES
THROUGHOUT THE CITY THAT BUILD
& CELEBRATE OUR WHOLE
COMMUNITY.

Neighborhood Engagement Outcomes



- *Neighborhood investments are made around the City and those investments are celebrated. There is a process for understanding neighborhood needs.*
REPHRASED
- Strong relationships are built between the community, Council, and staff
- The community is educated, allowing for full and effective engagement
- Neighborhoods feel informed, engaged and connected with other City groups
- Tualatin is more livable with safe pedestrian pathways while maintaining our tree canopy
- *There are strong relationships between the Community Involvement Organizations (CIOs) and the City* **NEW**
- *There is a strong relationship with the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Program that strengthens the City's resiliency* **NEW**



Neighborhood Engagement



- 1.1 Adopt and implement a new sidewalk and street tree policy using best practices from other cities.
- 1.2 Evaluate and implement programmatic changes to the sidewalk maintenance program.
- 1.3 Provide education to the community on street trees and the sidewalk maintenance program.
- 1.4 *Encourage connection and interaction between City Committees and other groups (including the Community Involvement Organizations).* **REPHRASED**
- 1.5 *Host a Board & Committee Summit.* **NEW**
- 1.6 *Council will stay informed and provide leadership with relevant partners on policy and funding changes at various levels (federal, state, regional) that impact the community, and the community's access to resources.* **NEW**

Housing Outcomes



- Diverse, livable, and sustainable housing options exist in Tualatin
- Data driven decision making is made to support housing needs
- There is a clear understanding of the regional/local housing landscape and Tualatin positively influences the landscape
- Tualatin offers a friendly environment for people in the housing process



Housing



2.1 Respond to legislative updates that impact the City's housing production.

2.2 Continue to review and integrate appropriate options to address preservation/addition of green space.

2.3 *Council will stay informed and provide leadership on regional implementation of the Supportive Housing Services (SHS) Program, including via Metro's Oversight Committee.* **REPHRASED**

2.4 *Support eviction prevention resources and programs.* **NEW**

2.5 *Conduct a Housing Capacity Analysis* **NEW**

Economic Development Outcomes



- There is regular, clear communication on processes and progress in urban renewal areas
- Development planning is innovative, imaginative, and responsive, creating a connected community
- Council makes concrete steps forward to integrate placemaking into current projects
- The community is engaged in supporting our vibrant economy



Economic Development



3.1 Revisit the food cart policy and specifications.

3.2 Revisit zoning options in the Leveton area using a similar framework to the code changes in the Basalt Creek area.

3.3 *Provide updates to the Council and community on Core Opportunity and Reinvestment Area (CORA) Plan implementation.*
REPHRASED & SPLIT FROM 3.4

3.4 *Provide updates to the Council and community on the Southwest Urban Renewal District (Basalt Creek) Plan implementation.*
REPHRASED & SPLIT FROM 3.3

3.5 *Continue Downtown Revitalization project work, including prioritization of project lists.* **REPHRASED**

3.6 Explore destination signage for points of interest in Tualatin, including the Veteran's Plaza, trails, the Ice Age.

3.7 *Investigate business incubator opportunities.* **NEW**

3.8 *Pursue opportunities to stimulate development in Basalt Creek.* **NEW**

3.9 *Scope a tourism strategic plan to emphasizes Tualatin River access.* **NEW**

Transportation Outcomes



- Tualatin has clear transportation goals and priorities that support strategic advocacy
- Safe transportation systems are in place that support all modes/users
- There are protected funding streams for transportation
- The Transportation System Plan is adopted and planning has begun for implementation
- Advocacy for regional transportation priorities is taking place
- Tualatin is at the table for regional transportation discussions, ensuring better coordination



Transportation



4.1 Prioritize transportation projects and funding; coordinate with partners.

4.2 Identify clear transportation priorities for Tualatin that support Council and staff strategic regional advocacy for those priorities.

4.3 *Provide regular transportation updates to Council and the community, including from regional partners.* **REPHRASED**

4.4 *Implement changes to the residential permit parking program.* **NEW**

4.5 *Advocate for public transit services in Tualatin, including working with regional partners to understand options and opportunities for improved service.* **NEW**

Environment Outcomes



- The Climate Action Plan is being effectively implemented
- Tualatin has a resilient response to environmental changes
- The Climate Action Plan is funded
- There is a prioritized 5-year implementation plan
- Tualatin applies an environmental lens to all City projects
- Tualatin has a proactive, less reactive approach



Environment



5.1 Expand the 2-year Climate Action implementation plan to a 5-year, prioritized work plan.

5.2 Support environmental resiliency via planning and programmatic endeavors.

5.3 *As part of Climate Action Plan implementation, raise awareness and visibility of the Backyard Habitat Program.* **REPHRASED**

5.4 *As part of Climate Action Plan implementation, raise awareness and visibility of Bee City programming.* **REPHRASED**

5.5 Using an environmental lens, review the tree ordinance.

5.6 *Explore expansion of sustainable maintenance practices on City facilities, parks, and managed lands.* **NEW**

5.7 *As part of Climate Action Plan implementation, consider initiatives that provide incentives to change behavior related to sustainable maintenance practices.* **NEW**

Parks Outcomes



- The community is regularly informed on bond project progress and park and recreation activities
- There is increased access to summer youth recreational programming
- Bond projects are completed
- Successful events are celebrated and improved
- Tualatin has ample resources to meet community demand for parks, trails, and recreational programs



Parks



- 6.1 Provide frequent high value communication on projects, recreation programs, and parks.
- 6.2 *Review growth opportunities and cost structure for recreation programs to ensure sustainable and expanded program offerings.* **REPHRASED**
- 6.3 Continue to develop and make needed changes to Integrated Pest Management practices.
- 6.4 Explore revenue opportunities to ensure stable, ongoing funding for parks maintenance.
- 6.5 *Move forward with the partnership with TTSD on athletic fields.* **NEW**
- 6.6 *Engage the community in development of Riverfront Park.* **NEW**

Culture and Identity Outcomes



- Tualatin is a trauma informed organization
- Strategic planning endeavors and skills are employed across the organization
- Progress is shared on the IDEA Committee work
- Council has defined Tualatin's culture and identity and knows the look and feel we want to be known for



Culture and Identity



7.1 Integrate skills to respond to internal/external stressors related to trauma informed culture and care.

7.2 Develop a strategic City Communications Plan.

7.3 Begin a Comprehensive Planning process.

7.4 Launch a new City website.

7.5 Work to develop and strengthen strategic planning skillsets across the organization.

7.6 *Explore and promote opportunities for the community to connect and access resources and services.* **NEW**