



# Climate Action Plan Update

May 12, 2026 TPARK Meeting

# Introduction to the CAP



Community Climate Action Plan adopted by City Council on May 28, 2024.

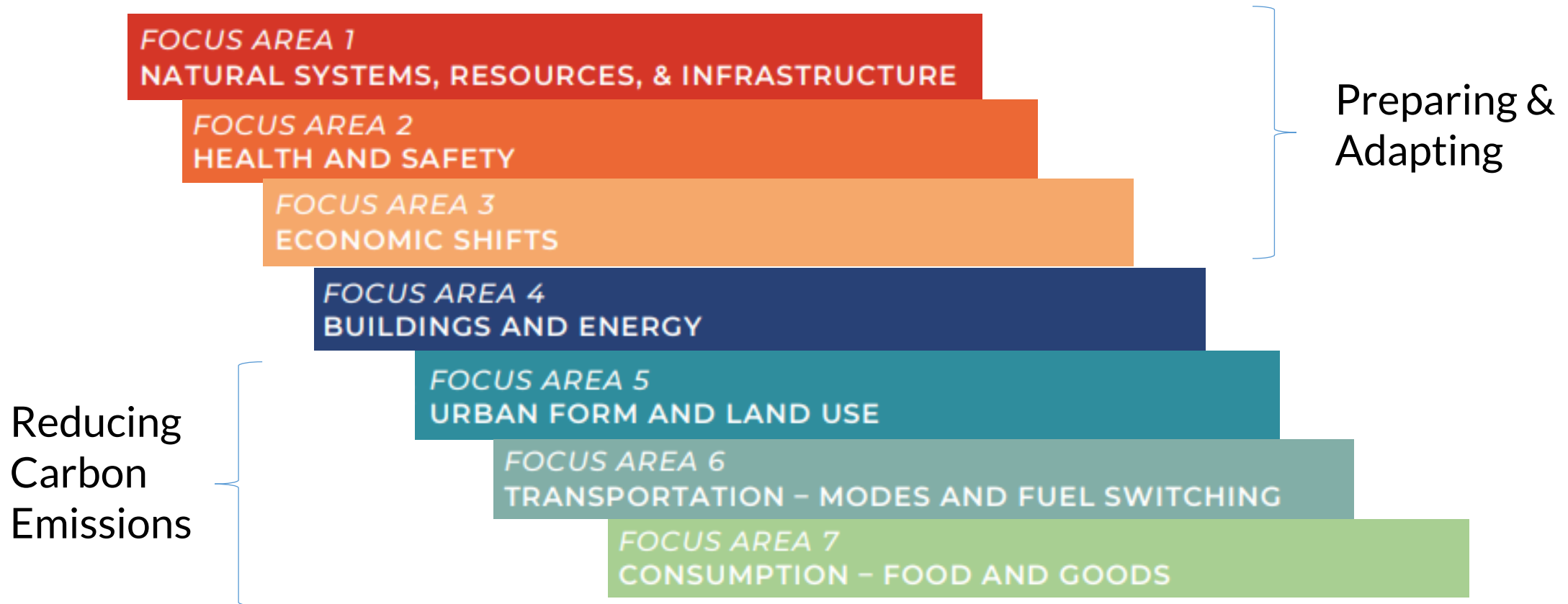
- Net zero emissions by 2050
- Prepare for & increase community resilience to the impacts of climate change



# What's in the plan?



7 Focus Areas, 28 Strategies, 119 Actions



# *Parks-related CAP actions*



## **Strategy 1.1: Improve the resilience of Tualatin's natural systems, resources, and infrastructure to extreme heat.**

- Increase access to water for cooling, incl. rivers, pools, swimming holes, splash pads.
- Protect and restore the Tualatin River watershed.
- Create park design standards to increase shade cover, shelter, increase availability of drinking water fountains and water features in City parks.

## **Strategy 1.3: Improve the resilience of Tualatin's natural systems, resources, and infrastructure to handle an increase in heavy precipitation events, flooding, and winter storms.**

- Increase flood capacity on publicly owned lands.
- Increase sustainability of outdoor spaces (e.g. Backyard Habitat Certification, pollinator-friendly landscaping, SITES certification).



# *Parks-related CAP actions*



## **Strategy 5.2: Urban/community forestry & carbon sequestration**

- Update Tualatin's approved street tree list with climate adapted and/or drought resistant tree options to better withstand climate change.
- Continue to partner with Friends of Trees to plant trees in Tualatin.
- Maintain and increase tree canopy cover on public and private property to equitably increase shade cover.



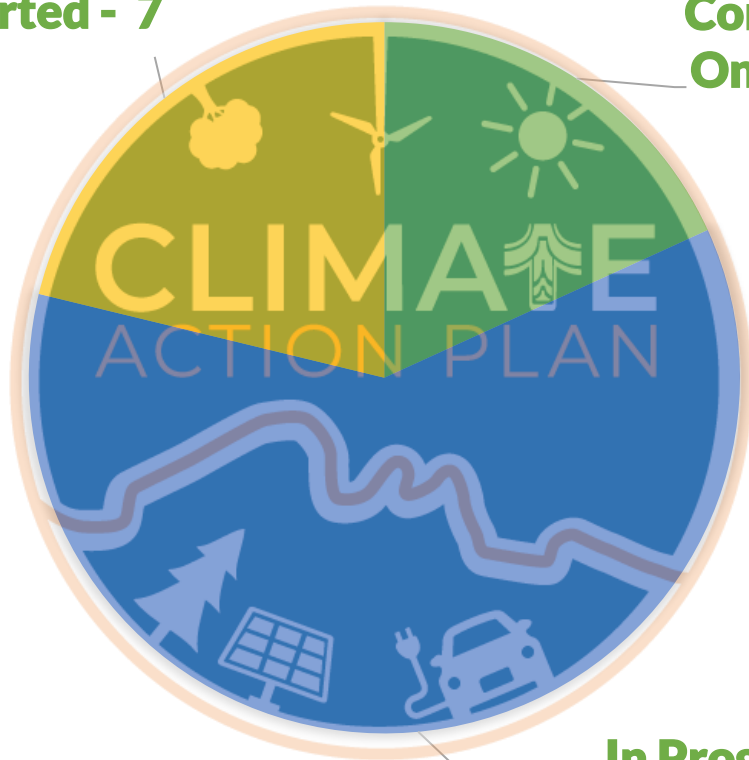
# 2024 - 2026 Progress



## 2024-2026 Work Plan Actions

Not Started - 7

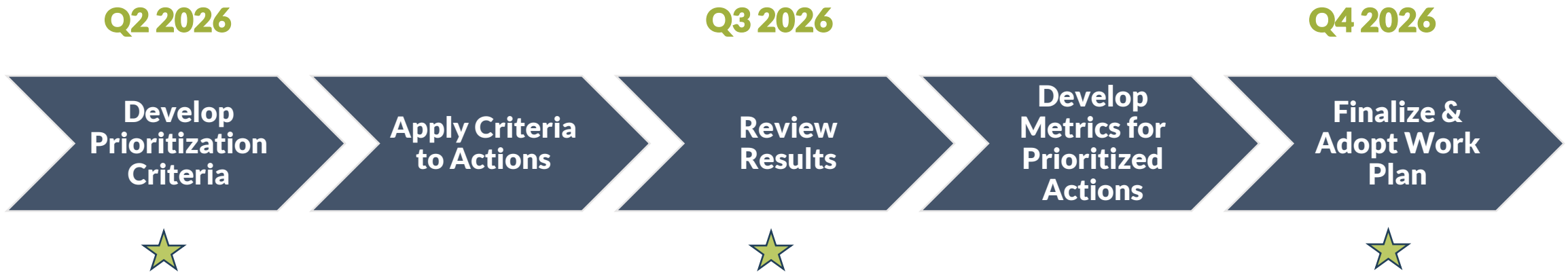
Completed/  
Ongoing - 6



In Progress - 20

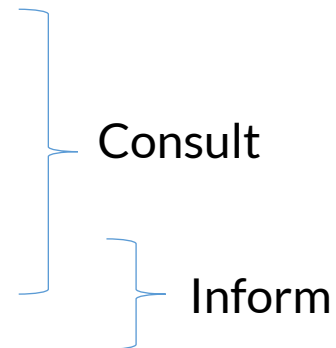
- ✓ Majority of the actions in initial 2-year work plan are completed or underway
- 5 actions not started due to CFI grant on hold

# 5-Year Work Plan development



Who will be involved?

- City staff
- City Council (work sessions/meetings denoted with ★ )
- External partners
- Advisory committees
- General public



# *How should we prioritize actions?*



- **Climate impact**

  - GHG emissions reductions and/or climate hazard risk reduction

- **Co-benefits**

  - Economic prosperity/opportunity, health & well-being, ecosystem health, reducing disparities

- **Alignment with City Council goals or adopted Master Plans**

- **Feasibility**

  - Community support, staff capacity, funding availability

- **Implementation cost**

- **Opportuneness/timeliness**



# Thank you!

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