

Potential Additional Strategies to Include in 2021-2022 Priorities:

1. Livable Community for All

- Assess the need to increase staffing or providing funds for consulting services to the Housing and Community Development Department to meet the needs of residents.
- Develop new ways to share information with and provide services to immigrant and refugee communities through improved community outreach and engagement processes, including through translation and Community Ambassadors structures.
- Festival of Lights
- Purchase of window guards
- Bookmobile
- Autonomous Trolley Service for the City
- Explore the hiring of Chief Equity Officer
- Food Coordination Hub Pilot – Create a pilot program designed to develop a system/tool that would connect residents in need to services provided by local non-profits, the City, and County.
- Explore the criteria to be certified as a [Welcoming Community](#) to evaluate what programs or policies the City may want to adopt.
- Additional Housing Priorities:
 - Business Incubators -- Perhaps we could have a version of this at the Junction or the Rec Center.
 - Reserve Fund Uses -- so far we're only using it in two ways (Home Stretch and the Habitat project on Garland). Are there other ways we could use the funds?
 - Abandoned Homes -- finding a way to increase fees or taxes to induce having the homes made available for actual housing of people is worth exploring.

2. Fiscally Sustainable Government

3. Environmentally Sustainable Community

- Community gardens -Program designed to fund an entity responsible for coordinating the City's community gardens to ensure maintenance, identify location for future gardens, and develop city-wide education programs.
- Native plants

4. Engaged, Responsive, Service-Oriented Government

- Review current tools such as My TkPk and how to use these types of systems to engage with City government. Review breakdown of data from My TkPk and program attendance.

5. Community Development for an Improved & Equitable Quality of Life

- Allocate funds for a Ward 5 Chamber of Commerce to increase marketing and promotion of activities for those businesses.
- Explore making Juneteenth a holiday or at least a major day of celebration.