



REPORT TO COUNCIL

To: **Mayor and Councillors**

Subject: **Langley City: Nexus of Community Progress
Report Ending 2019**

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RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the report of *Langley City: Nexus of Community Progress Report Ending 2019*, dated December 10, 2019 be received for information.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this report is to provide a progress report ending 2019 on the recommendations from the *Langley City Vision: Recommendations and Implementation Report*.

POLICY:

Not applicable.

COMMENTS/ANALYSIS:

At its Regular Council meeting of July 23, 2018, City Council endorsed the report entitled *Langley City: Nexus of Community* and its companion document entitled *Langley City Vision: Recommendations and Implementation Report*. The recommendations provide implementation measures that address the four themes - 'community', 'connected', 'experiences' and 'integrated' - of the vision, a vision that includes aspirational goals and implementation measures to ensure that the City continues to move from dream to reality.

There were 23 recommendations identified to address the four themes. One recommendation is to provide an annual progress report card to facilitate ongoing publicity and evidence of the City's commitment to the Vision (see Attachment 1).

Since the adoption of the Vision in July 2018, City Council and staff have been steadfast with our commitment to the Vision with significant progress made on many of the recommendations as outlined in Attachment 2. City Council and staff will continue to provide annual progress report cards to demonstrate to our community the progress that has been made.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

Not applicable.

ALTERNATIVES:

Not applicable.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Chief Administrative Officer

Attachments:

1. *Langley City Vision: Recommendations and Implementation Report*
2. *Progress Update Ending 2019, Langley City Vision: Recommendations and Implementation Report*

Attachment 1

RECOMMENDATIONS	SHORT TERM (1 YEAR)	MEDIUM TERM (2-3 YEARS)	LONG TERM (3-5 YEARS)	ONGOING	AS OPP. ARISE
COMMUNICATION PLAN					
Communication Plan Council Approval					
Community Outreach Launch					
BUILDING A STRONG FOUNDATION					
Official Community Plan Update					
Zoning Bylaw Update					
Capital Plan					
Expand Development Services					
Advisory Design Panel					
COMMUNITY					
Downtown and Transit Corridor Masterplan					
Neighbourhood Plan(s)					
Prosperity Fund					
Review of Development Cost Charges					
Pre-Zoning					
Site Assembly					
Monitoring, Evaluation and Reporting					

RECOMMENDATIONS	SHORT TERM (1 YEAR)	MEDIUM TERM (2-3 YEARS)	LONG TERM (3-5 YEARS)	ONGOING	AS OPP. ARISE
CONNECTED					
Transit Hub	[Blue]				
Review of Transportation Planning	[Blue]				
Economic Development Commission	[Blue]				
Education Partnerships					[Green]
Business Partnerships					[Green]
EXPERIENCES					
Iconic Entertainment/Cultural Development					[Green]
Downtown Façade Program				[Light Blue]	
Neighbourhood Matching Fund		[Blue]		[Blue]	
INTEGRATION					
Healthcare Partnerships					[Blue]
Housing Partnerships					[Green]
LEGEND					
Existing program revised to reflect new Vision	[Light Blue]				
Ongoing program annually updated	[Red]				
Site specific partnership/initiative	[Green]				
New or expanded program	[Blue]				

	RECOMMENDATIONS	PROGRESS
	COMMUNICATION PLAN	
✓	Communication Plan Council Approval	Completed
✓	Community Outreach Launch	On-going
	BUILDING A STRONG FOUNDATION	
✓	Official Community Plan Update	Underway, anticipated completion Q2 - 2020
✓	Zoning Bylaw Update	Underway, anticipated completion Q2 - 2020
✓	Capital Plan	On-going
✓	Expand Development Services	New Planning Assistant hired, Q3 - 2019
✓	Advisory Design Panel	New Terms of Reference approved by Council, Q4 - 2019
	COMMUNITY	
	Downtown and Transit Corridor Masterplan	Q2 - 2020
✓	Neighbourhood Plan(s)	Nicomekl River Neighbourhood Plan underway, anticipated completion Q1 - 2020
✓	Prosperity Fund	Approved by Council, Q4 - 2018
	Review of Development Cost Charges	Q4 - 2020
	Pre-Zoning	Q4 - 2020
✓	Site Assembly	On-going and as opportunity arise
✓	Report Card	Q4 - Annually
	CONNECTED	
	Transit Hub	Q1 - 2021
	Review of Transportation Planning	Q3 - 2020
✓	Economic Development Commission	Creation of Task Group, Q4 - 2018
	Education Partnerships	As opportunity arise
	Business Partnerships	As opportunity arise
	EXPERIENCES	
✓	Iconic Entertainment/Cultural Development	Creation of Task Group, Performing Arts and Cultural Centre, Q4 - 2018
	Downtown Façade Program	On-going
	Neighbourhood Matching Fund	On-going
	INTEGRATED	
	Health Care Partnerships	As opportunity arise
	Housing Partnerships	As opportunity arise