

## General Plan Update Schedule November 15, 2005

The timeline for adoption of the updated City of San Diego General Plan has been extended until the summer of 2006. This extension has occurred in part to allow time for Mayor-elect Sanders to take office, and for the vacant council district seats to be filled. The extra time was also needed to revise the July 2005 Draft General Plan document in response to substantial comments made by the City's Planning Commission, community planning group members, and other interested parties.

The General Plan update is built upon a foundation of public input. It began with the work of the Strategic Framework Citizen Committee which drafted a vision and core values for a new General Plan, followed by hundreds of citizens participating in workshops and community planning group meetings to refine the vision and develop the City of Villages strategy. This work resulted in the City Council adoption of the Strategic Framework Element/City of Villages strategy in October 2002, which is now being used to guide the rest of the comprehensive General Plan update. Since Strategic Framework Element adoption, public participation opportunities have continued through public forums, Planning Commission and City Council workshops, presentations at planning and other interest group meetings, working group meetings with the Community Planners Committee, public outreach e-mails, and various stakeholder meetings.

The Draft General Plan Update is available on the City of San Diego's website at [www.sandiego.gov/planning](http://www.sandiego.gov/planning). Copies of the document are also available for review at all City of San Diego branch libraries, community service centers and at the Planning Department offices at 202 C Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Diego, 92101. In addition, a limited number of hard copies and compact discs will be available for a nominal fee at the Planning Department offices.

- Comments on the draft General Plan should be sent to: Nancy Bragado, Acting General Plan Program Manager [nsbragado@sandiego.gov](mailto:nsbragado@sandiego.gov) 202 C Street, MS 5A, San Diego, CA 92101.
- If you are a part of a group that would like to schedule a presentation on the Draft General Plan Update, please contact Mónica Muñoz at [munozm@sandiego.gov](mailto:munozm@sandiego.gov) or 619-533-6417.

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| Discussion Draft General Plan   | Public review took place from <b>April 20, 2005 – June 3, 2005</b>   |
| July 2005 Draft General Plan (available at <a href="http://www.sandiego.gov/planning">www.sandiego.gov/planning</a> ) | Released for public review on <b>July 8, 2005</b> . Edits to this draft are currently underway. We will continue to take comments on this draft until further notice.  |
| July 14, 2005 Planning Commission Workshop  | Provided a summary of the content of the General Plan. See Report No. PC-05-183. <a href="http://www.sandiego.gov/planning-commission/pcreports/pc05183.pdf">http://www.sandiego.gov/planning-commission/pcreports/pc05183.pdf</a><br>Planning Commissioners had extensive comments. |

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| July 27, 2005 Land Use and Housing Committee Workshop  | Provided a summary of the content of the General Plan. See Manager's Report No. 05-161. <a href="http://clerkdoc.sannet.gov/RightSite/getcontent/local.pdf?DMW_OBJECTID=09001451800b9bff">http://clerkdoc.sannet.gov/RightSite/getcontent/local.pdf?DMW_OBJECTID=09001451800b9bff</a>   |
| September 22, 2005 Planning Commission Workshop  | Previous workshop comments were documented, along with the Planning Department's suggested course of action. See Report No. PC-05-261. <a href="http://www.sandiego.gov/planning-commission/pcreports/pc261gp.pdf">http://www.sandiego.gov/planning-commission/pcreports/pc261gp.pdf</a>  |
| October 13, 2005 Planning Commission Workshop  | Presented a revised outline for the General Plan. See Report No. PC-05-304. <a href="http://www.sandiego.gov/planning-commission/pcreports/pc05304gp.pdf">http://www.sandiego.gov/planning-commission/pcreports/pc05304gp.pdf</a>   |
| Community Planners Committee (CPC) review  | CPC is undertaking an element-by-element review of the draft General Plan. This committee is comprised of representatives of the city's planning groups. Meetings are open to the public; agendas are available on the Planning Department's web site at: <a href="http://www.sandiego.gov/planning/cpgcpc.shtml#agendas">http://www.sandiego.gov/planning/cpgcpc.shtml#agendas</a> |
| Planning Commission and Land Use and Housing Committee workshops                             | Workshops on major policy edits are anticipated in <b>February 2006</b> . Reports will be posted on our website, and e-mail notices of the workshops will be sent out.  |
| Workshops with the Planning Commission and the City Council's Land Use and Housing Committee | Workshops on the revised draft General Plan are anticipated in <b>April 2006</b> . Reports will be posted on our website, and e-mail notices of the workshops will be sent out.   |
| General Plan adoption  | Public hearings to adopt the General Plan have not yet been scheduled.  |