## **GENERAL PLAN UPDATE**

Joint Study Session March 29, 2017



ELK GROVE

## **Interrelated Issues and Topics**



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## AGENDA

- Progress since last Study Session
- Land use categories  $\rightarrow$  Opportunity Sites
- Property owner requests
- Infill policies
- General Plan outline

#### Next Time...

- Annexation strategy for Study Areas
- Mobility policies
- Confirm Vision & Supporting Principles



## Since Last time...

- Followed Council /Planning Commission direction on 9 critical policy topics, developed draft policy language
- Draft Land Use Maps & land use categories with indicator metrics
- Completed initial VMT and traffic modeling



## Jobs to Housing Ratio

Employment gains and development activity that would be necessary to achieve aggressive targets:

	I.2:I by 2025	I.4:I by 2040
New Jobs	~22,720	~47,890
SF of New Construction	~9,850,000	~20,700,000
Acres of Land	~900	~1,890

Policy Direction Request #1B: Provide direction on the preferred jobs/housing target for the General Plan (e.g., 1.2:1, 1.4:1).

For Elk Grove to achieve a 1.2:1 Jobs/Housing Ratio by 2025, nearly 40% of all regional employment growth would need to occur in Elk Grove.

## Land Use Categories

(Attachment 2)

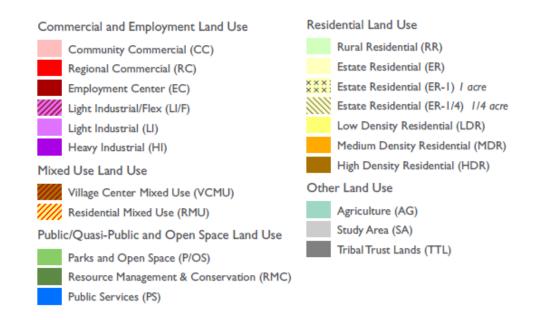
#### **Prior Direction:**

- Provide more detail
- Describe implementation of new categories (i.e., zoning)
- Make "small business friendly"
- Opportunities for underutilized spaces

#### New categories:

- Mixed Use Village Center
- Mixed Use Residential
- Light Industrial/Flex
- Parks and Open Space
- Public Services

Policy Direction Request #2: Provide direction on any necessary changes to the Land Use Categories.

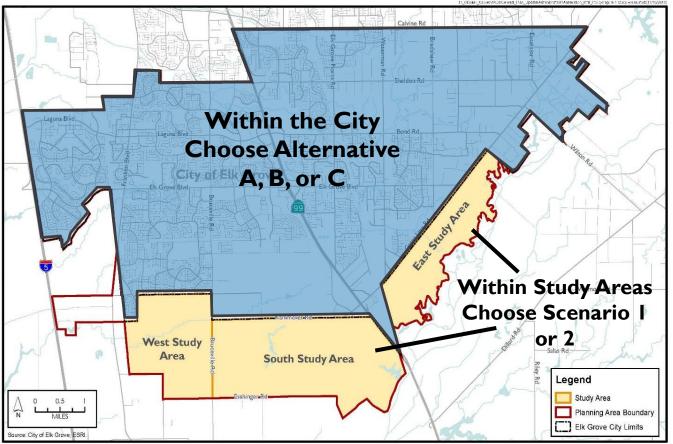


#### **Concept Plans Process**

(Attachment 3)

Character of change map	<ul> <li>Preserve</li> <li>Enhance</li> <li>Transform</li> <li>Transform by prior plans</li> </ul>				
I st Online Workshop & In-person Workshops	Sites narrowed down	<ul> <li>7 in the City (Opportunity Sites)</li> <li>4 outside the City (Study Areas)</li> </ul>			
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Online Workshop	Alternative land use plans & Study Area scenarios	<ul> <li>A: Existing + clean-ups</li> <li>B: Alt A + Opp. Sites</li> <li>C: Alt B w/Options</li> </ul>		

### Land Use Plan In-city and Study Area Alternatives (Attachments 4A, 4B, 4C & 5)



Policy Direction Request #3A: Choose an Alternative (within the City) and a Scenario (within the Study Areas);

Direct any additional changes deemed necessary.

### Land Use Plan In-City Alternatives Study Area Scenarios

	Alternative	Α	В	С
on	Within the Existing City Limits	Existing + Clean Ups	Alt A+ Opportunity Sites	Alt B with Options
Land Use Assumption	Study Areas	No assumptio ns <sup>1</sup>	described in t Strategy. So later in this re	velopment as he Annexation ee discussion port regarding scenarios Scenario 2 1.4:1 J-H

#### Performance Indicators









3. Data Source: Urban Footprint Model, 2016

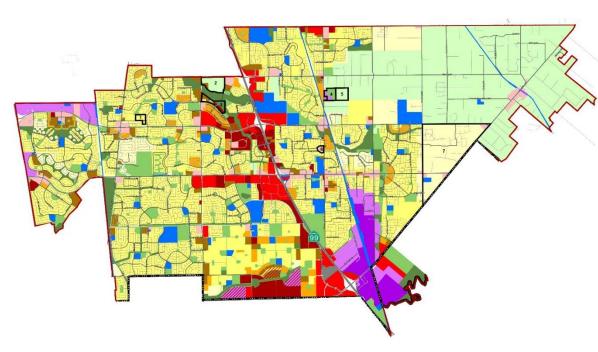
4. Lower values are preferable

5. Scaled - 10,000.1 of household and employee chart units

### Within City Alternative A

(Existing GP +Cleanups-Attachment 4A)

- Incorporates updated Land Use Categories
- Transitions many C/O/MF uses to new Community Commercial category
- Corrects designations on certain properties to reflect actual development



#### Alternative B



Low Density Residential

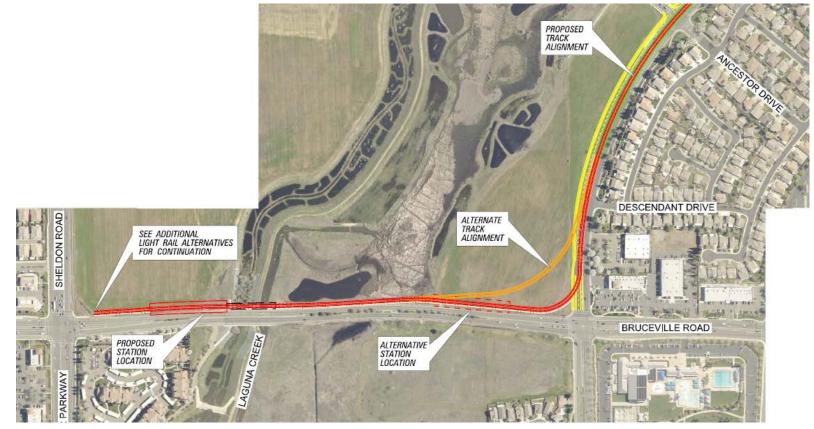
#### Alternative C



Estate Residential

#### Within City Alternatives B & C – Sites 2 + 3

Light Rail Station Considerations



#### Alternative B + C



Mixed Use Village Center High Density Residential Medium Density Residential

#### **Property Owner Request**



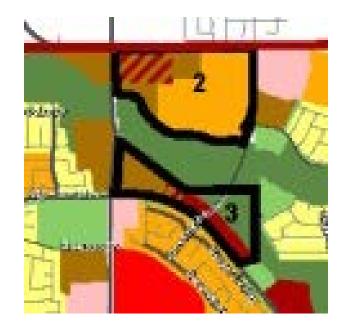
Mixed Use Village Center (smaller) High Density Residential (same) Low & Medium Density Residential

#### Alternative B



High Density Residential Residential Mixed Use Employment Center

#### Alternative C



High Density Residential Village Center Mixed Use Employment Center

#### Alternative B & C



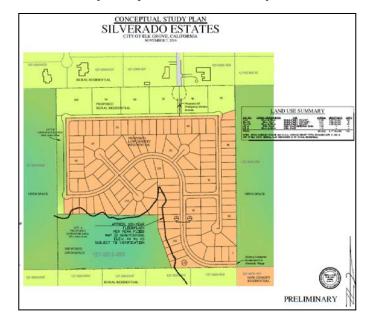
Light Industrial/Flex Light Industrial

#### Alternative B & C



**Rural Residential** 

#### **Property Owner Request**



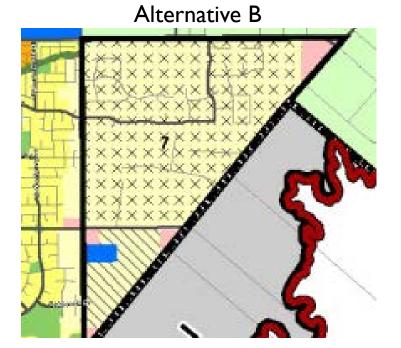
#### Low Density Residential

#### Alternative B & C



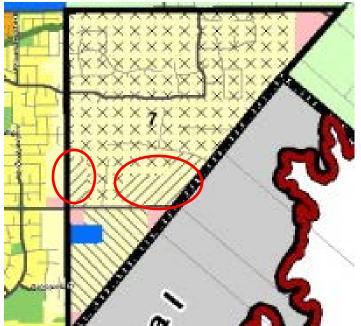
**Community Commercial** 

#### Within City Alternatives B & C – Site 7



I-acre lots north of Elk Grove Boulevard 1/4 acre lots south of Elk Grove Boulevard Retain existing commercial sites

#### Alternative C



I-acre lots north of Elk Grove Boulevard I/3 acre lots at EGB/Grant Line and EGB/Bradshaw 1/4 acre lots south of Elk Grove Boulevard Retain existing commercial sites

## Property Owner Requests

(Attachments 9A)

 Request from AKT Properties for a site on Grant Line Road near Calvine Road Policy Direction Request #5A: Provide direction on the request from AKT Investments



## **Property Owner Requests**

(Attachments 9B)

Request from Ladera Triangle Point, LLC for a portion of the Waterman 75/Triangle Point property at Mosher Road and Grant Line Road

**Policy Direction** Request #5B: **Provide direction on** the request from Ladera Triangle Point, LLC



## **Property Owner Requests** (Attachments 9C)

 Request from PCBP Properties to redesignate ~8-acre area along Waterman Rd across from Hill Top Cemetery from Resource Management and Conservation to Low Density Residential

#### Policy Direction Request #5C: Provide direction on the request from PCBP Properties



# **Property Owner Requests** (Attachments 9D)

 Request from Greensfelder Commercial Real Estate for undeveloped area @ northwest corner of Laguna Blvd & Bruceville Road to be re-designated from Retail to Medium Density Residential

#### Policy Direction Request #5D: Provide direction on the request from Greensfelder



## **Infill Policies**

(Attachment 10)

Key aspects of draft infill policies:

Policy Direction Request #6: Confirm direction on the infill policies is appropriate

- Supporting new development within the existing City through investment in public infrastructure.
- Encouraging infill development proposals to develop at the maximum density and intensity allowed, where feasible and appropriate.
- Establishing incentives for development within the existing City limits.

Other sections of the General Plan will also address infill issues, including the Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) policies, annexation strategy, economic development policies, and infrastructure policies.

## **General Plan Outline**

(Attachment 14)

# Proposing a change in structure of the General Plan:

- Organized around the Supporting Principles
- Presents information in an approachable way for the average resident
- Goals and policies structured around themes

#### State law says:

- 7 mandatory elements and allows for additional elements
- "Element" is not defined
- May be adopted in any format deemed appropriate or convenient by the City

Policy Direction Request #10: Provide direction to proceed with development of General Plan based on this draft outline



## Items for Policy Direction Summary

Request #1B: Provide direction on the preferred jobs/housing target (e.g., 1.2:1, 1.4:1).		Request #2: Provide direction of any necessary changes to the Lar Use Categories.		Request #3A: Choose an Alter (in City) and a S (in Study Areas) additional change		<u>Scenario</u> s); any	Request #3B: Provide direction on the property owner requests on Opportunity Sites		
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## **Project Timeline**

- Continuation of topics at Study Session on April 13
  - Annexation strategy for Study Areas
  - Mobility policies
  - Confirm Vision & Supporting Principles
- Staff will begin constructing the General Plan document
- Staff will initiate CEQA process