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Council Holds Joint Meeting with Planning & Zoning to Receive Comprehensive Plan Presentation; Appointments Made to Boards & Commissions

City Council and Planning & Zoning Commission held a joint meeting to receive and discuss the rough draft Comprehensive Plan. In September 2021, Council approved a contract with McAdams to update the City's Comprehensive Plan and other master planning documents. Since that time, McAdams has worked through the process in phases. The first phase of the project was the community input phase with an all-day open house, an open house in conjunction with the HVBA Community Coffee, and a month-long online engagement opportunity. Input from property owners, staff, and Council was also included. McAdams held two specific focus groups to gather input from users of the trail system and from the teens of Highland Village for needed park and recreation opportunities. A 300 sample statistically valid survey was also part of the project.

McAdams then began the second phase of the project, gathering all the information provided in the community engagement, meetings with property owners, the statistically valid survey, the focus groups, the economic market analysis and input from staff, Council, and Planning & Zoning to develop the planning documents.

The project is now in the final phase with the review of the rough draft plans, Council and Planning & Zoning input, and sharing the plans with the public before Council considers approval by ordinance at an upcoming meeting.

The rough draft plan is available [here](#). Submit comments or questions to [Mayor Jaworski](#), [Council members](#) or [City Staff](#). Council will continue discussion of the Comprehensive Plan at their meeting on October 11.

Council appointed members to the City's Board of Ethics, Highland Village Community Development Corporation, Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, Planning and Zoning Commission, and the Zoning Board of Adjustment. The appointments are made on an annual basis and the members will serve two-year terms.

Council approved a resolution authorizing the interlocal agreement with the Lewisville Independent School District for two School Resource Officers for the four schools in Highland Village. The current agreement, which has been in place since 2007, provides 50% funding for one School Resource Officer assigned to Briarhill Middle School. The new agreement expands the SRO funding to the City with 75% funding for the second SRO serving the three elementary schools.

During the City Manager and Staff Reports, the [Village Report](#) informed of Concerts in the Park on Saturday, Oct. 1 and Oct. 8 at Doubletree Ranch Park and the TXFallenPD Tribute Event on Oct. 15.

The City Council early work session and regular session is available on HVTV (Frontier 43) and via website live streaming at www.highlandvillage.org/hvtv and on the City's YouTube channel at www.youtube.com/highlandvillagetx. The meetings are also available for on-demand viewing on the city [website](#).