



# News Release

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### ***Council Receives Presentation and Discusses the Draft Comprehensive Plan***

City Council received a presentation on changes to the draft Comprehensive Plan based on feedback from Council and Planning & Zoning, staff and residents. Specifically, McAdams presented modifications to Opportunity Areas 1 and 5 and received direction from City Council. The modified plan will be updated and posted to [SpeakUpHV.com](http://SpeakUpHV.com). Submit comments or questions to [Mayor Jaworski](#), [Council members](#) or [City Staff](#). Discussion of the plan will continue at future meetings.

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.

Mayor Dan Jaworski read a proclamation designating October as Fire Prevention Month. Chief Collier reminded everyone to change smoke detector and carbon monoxide batteries and establish a fire escape plan.

During the City Manager and Staff Reports, the [Village Report](#) provided an update on park projects, the TXFallenPD Tribute [online auction](#) and the request for sponsors for the Salute Our Veterans luncheon.

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](http://www.highlandvillage.org/hvtv) and on the City's YouTube channel at [www.youtube.com/highlandvillagetx](http://www.youtube.com/highlandvillagetx). The meetings are also available for on-demand viewing on the city [website](#).