

CHARLOTTE FUTURE 2040 COMMUNITY AREA PLANNING

Implementing the Charlotte Future 2040 Comprehensive Plan

CHARLOTTE EQUITABLE DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

JUNE 15, 2023

Today's Discussion



1. Why are we here today?
2. What are we trying to accomplish?
3. How can you help shape the process?



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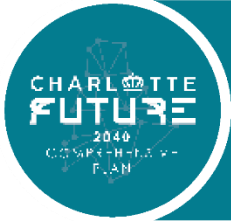


ACCESS TO HOUSING,
 JOBS, GOODS & SERVICES
 =
 EQUITABLE CITY FOR ALL



Blueprint for Growth

VISION
Policy & Plans



COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

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"Ensure Charlotte is a more equitable city for all."

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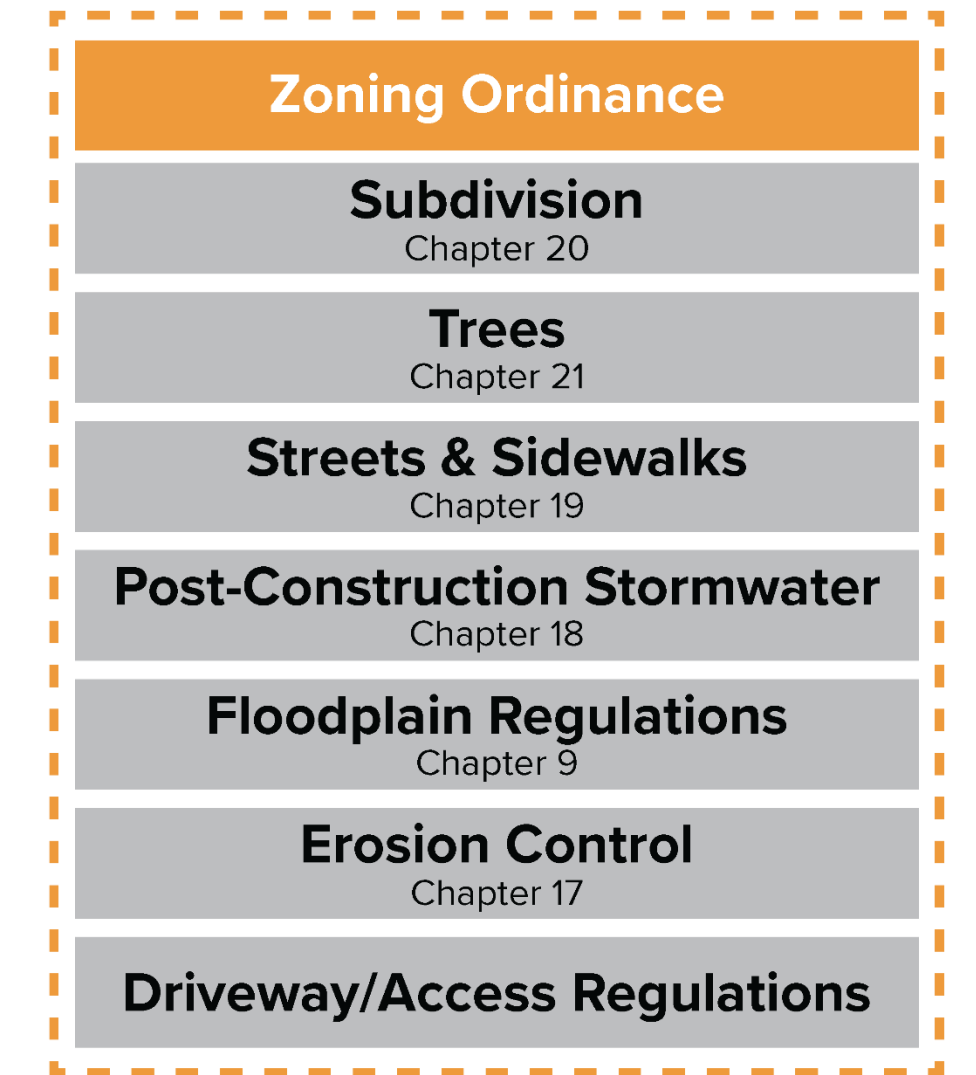


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LEGALLY BINDING Regulations & Ordinances



Unified Development Ordinance

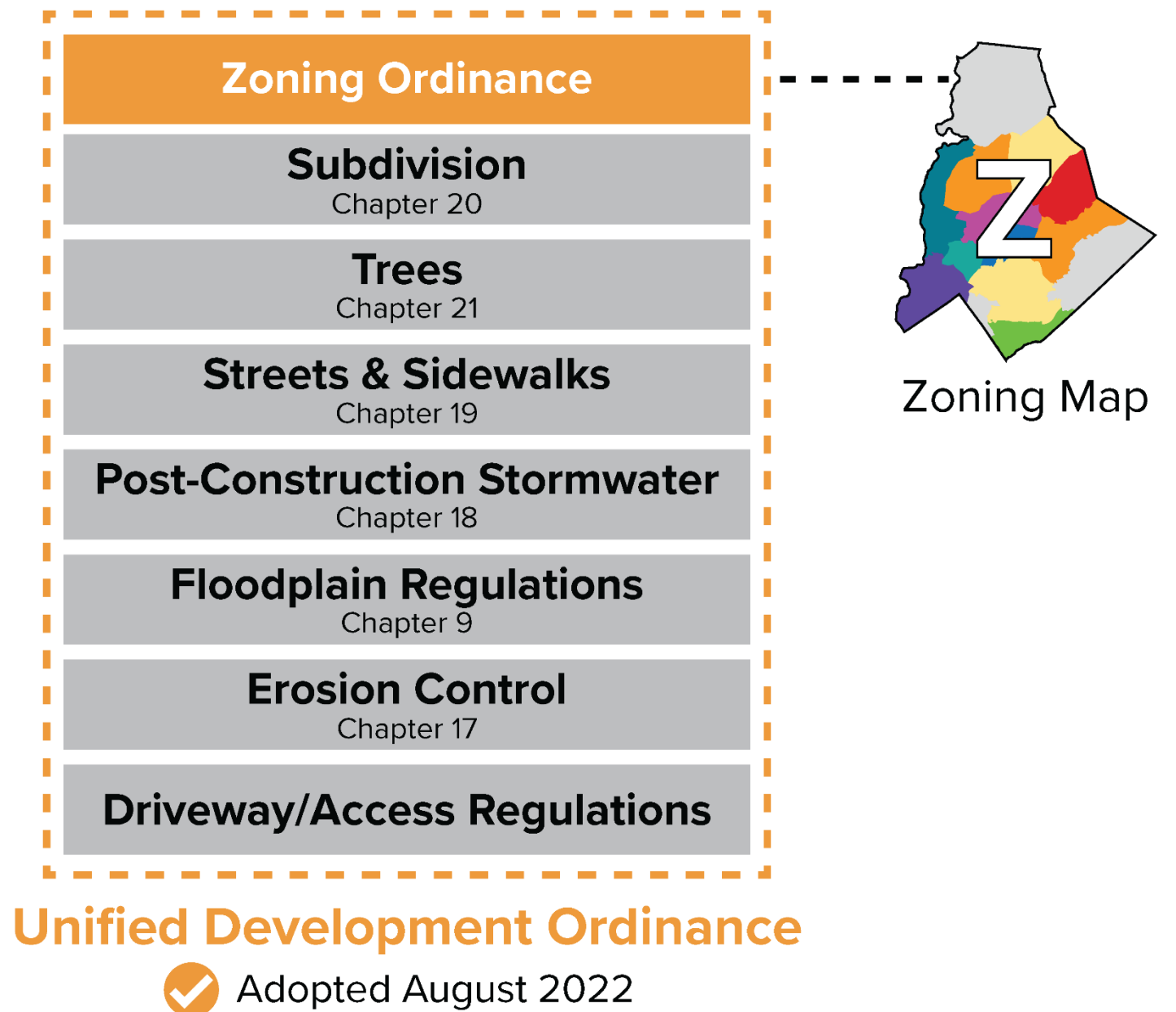
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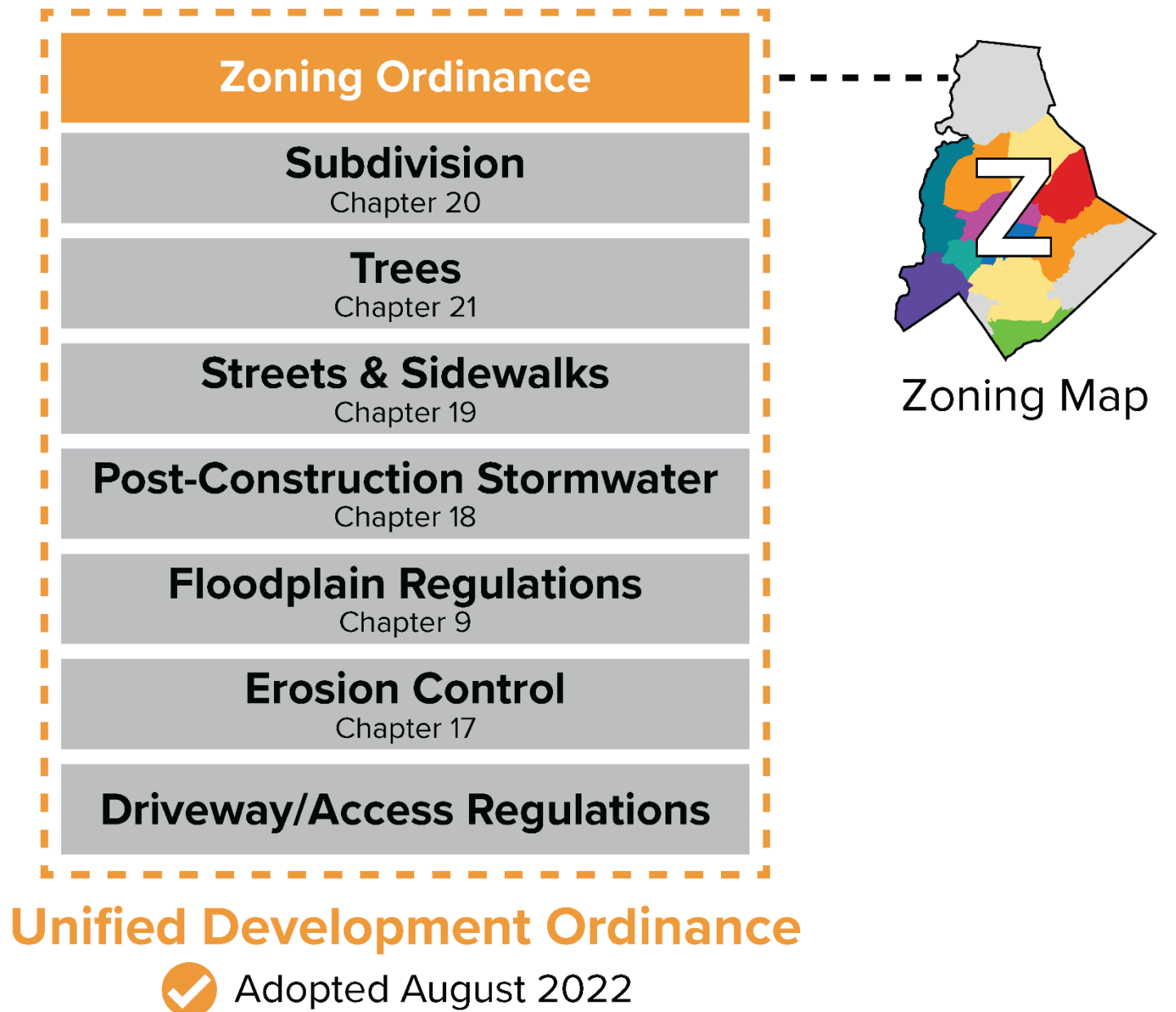


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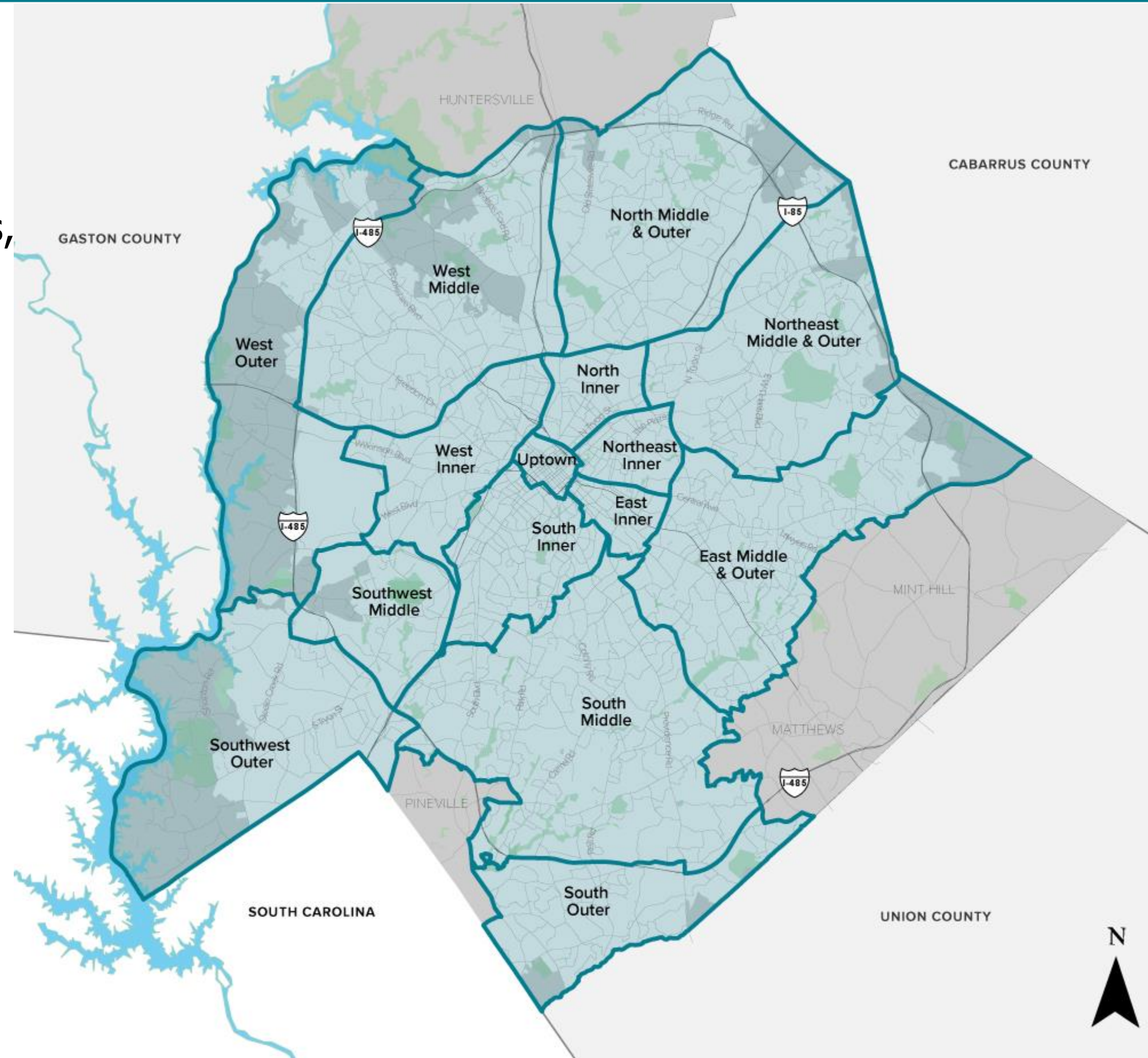




What are we trying to accomplish?

Community Area Planning

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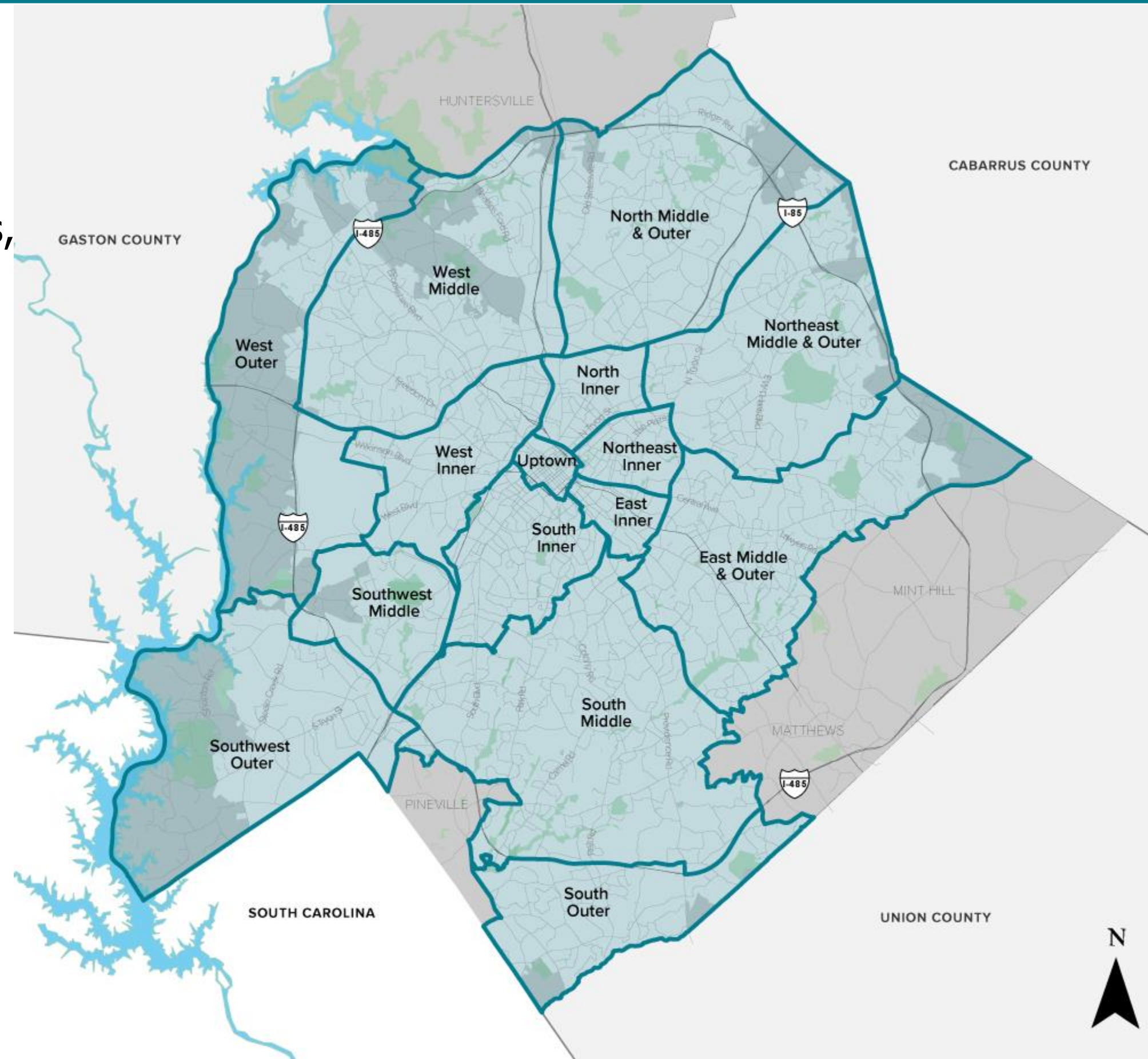
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Approach:

- Citywide = Equitable
- Larger geographies = Efficient

Benefits:

- Facilitate conversations and collaboration among neighborhoods to build upon similarities
- Reimagine major barriers that typically serve as neighborhood boundaries
- Efficiently identify citywide policy updates



Process + Schedule

Plan Development

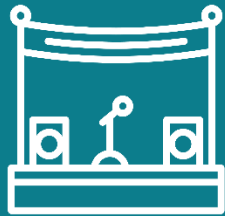



We are here

Process + Plan Components

WINTER 2023

Phase 1
Set The Stage



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SPRING - FALL 2023

Phase 2
Create Great Places



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SPRING - FALL 2024

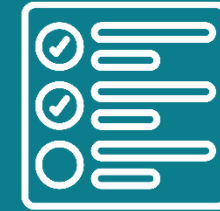
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FALL 2024

Phase 4
Plan For Action



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WINTER 2025

Phase 5
Review & Adoption

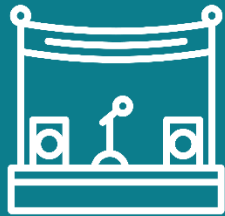


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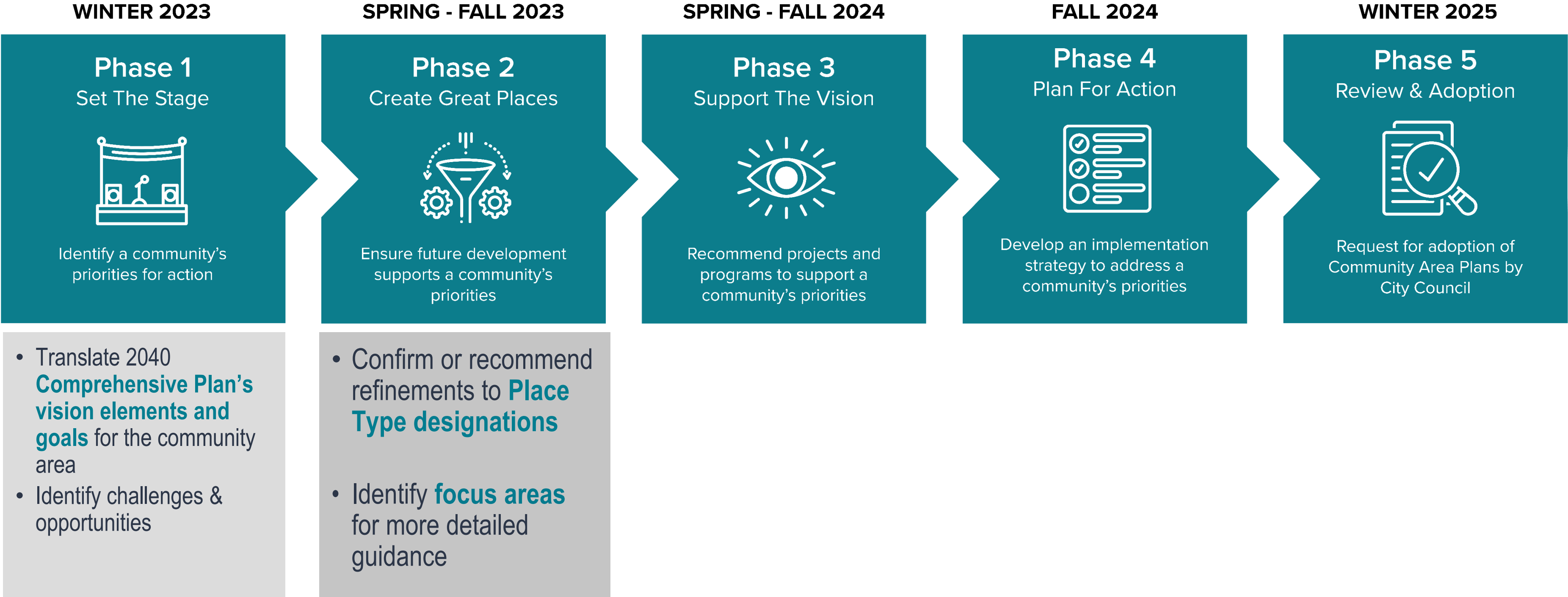
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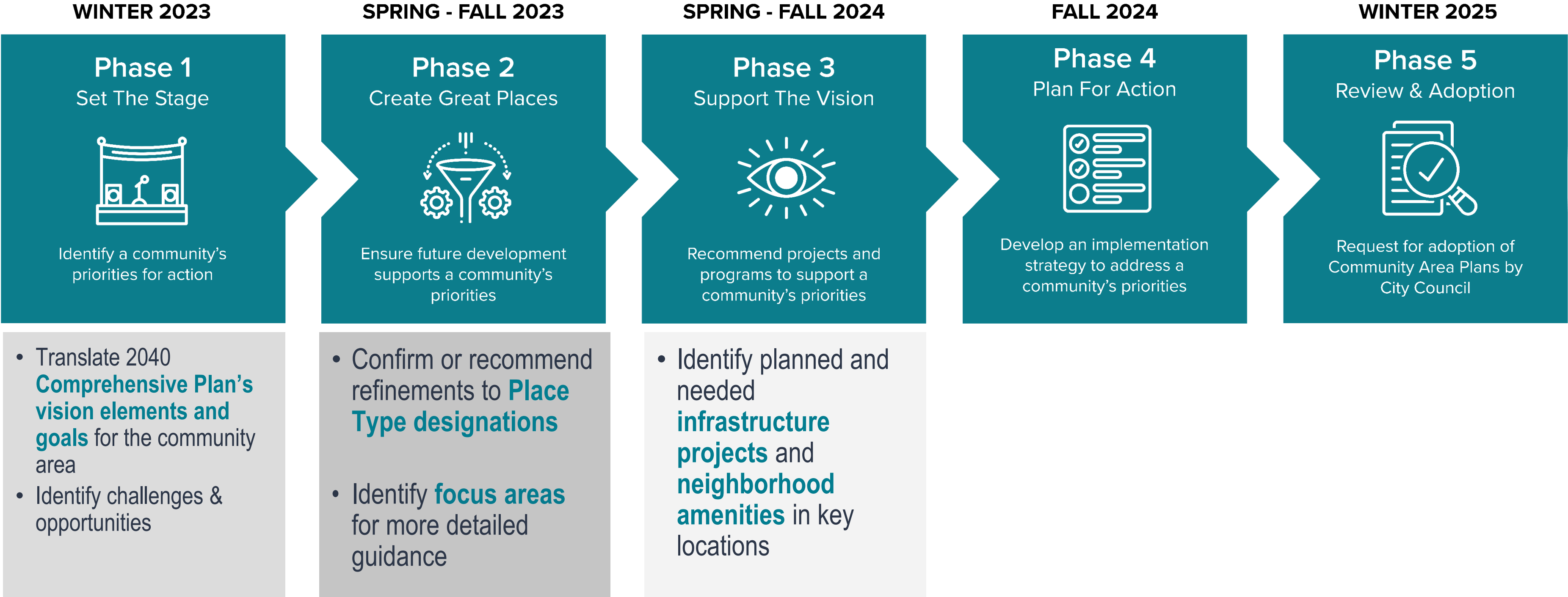
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- Identify **priorities for access and impacts**

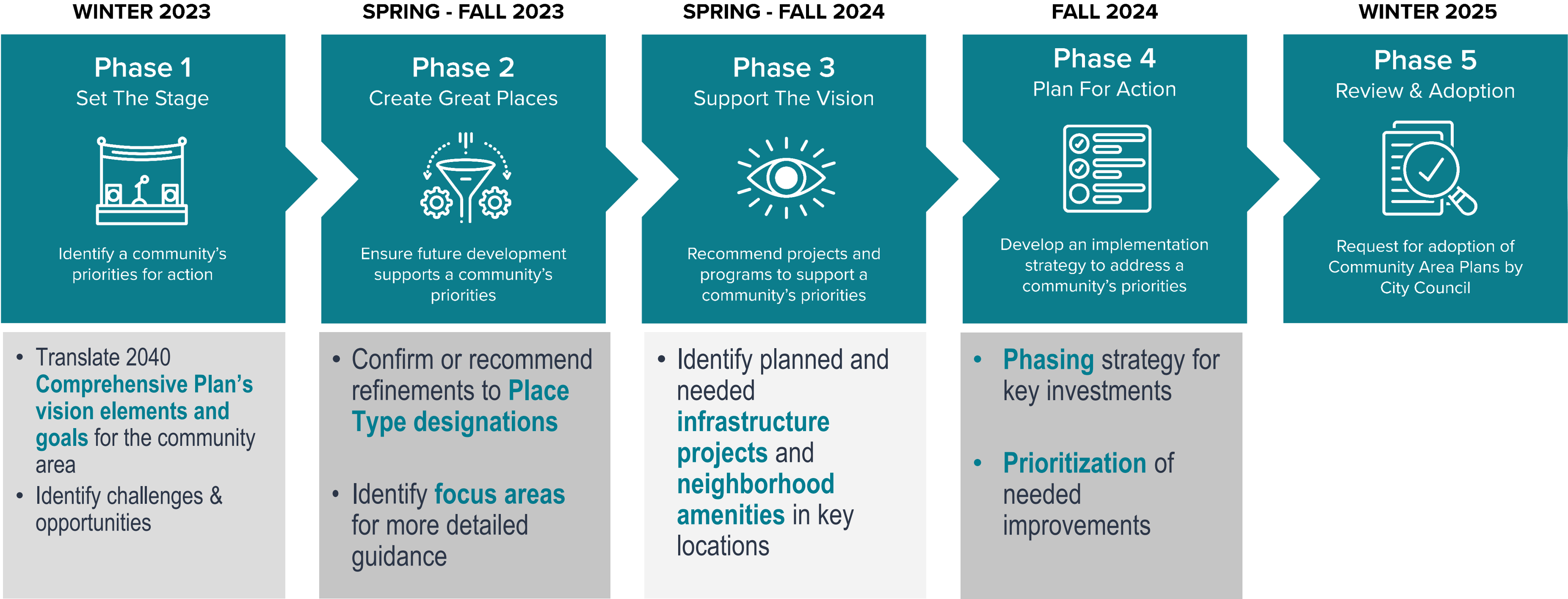
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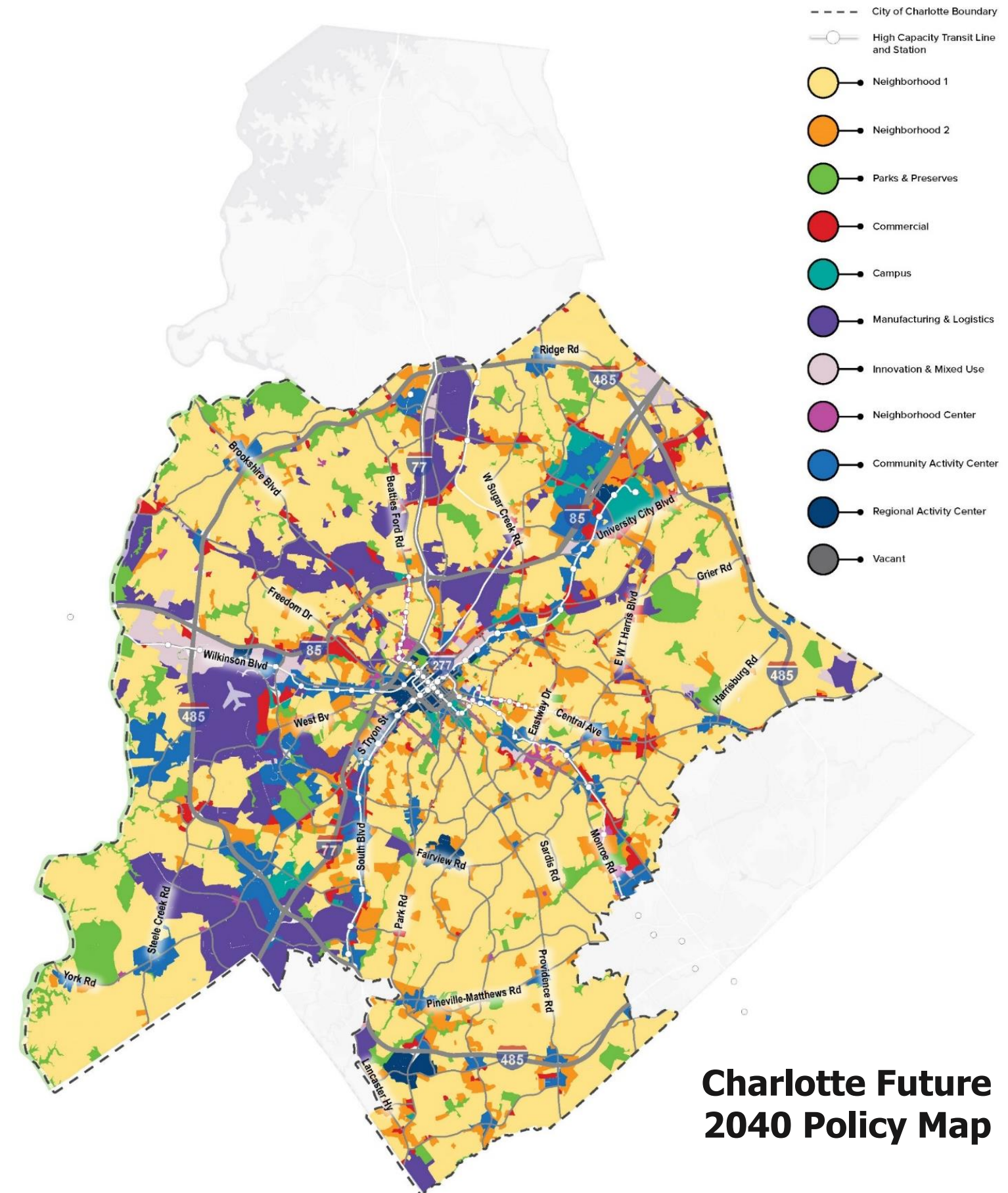


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Expected Outcomes

- **14 Community Area Plans:** inform decision-making related to development proposals & capital investments
- **Refined 2040 Policy Map**
- **Recommended revisions to overarching policies within the Charlotte Future 2040 Comprehensive Plan**



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Guide more appropriate **development**

But not...

Stop development

Ways to Engage



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ATTEND A WORKSHOP



READ YOUR COMMUNITY REPORT



CHECK OUT THE CAP WORKBOOK



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EXPLORE THE CAP TOOLKIT

How can you help shape the process?

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Workshop: Determine Areas with Infrastructure Gaps

Objective: CEDC Members to produce concise list of infrastructure projects replicable throughout the City.

How: Identify areas that will experience significant growth in the future and have infrastructure gaps today.

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Workshop: Determine Areas with Infrastructure Gaps

Your Impact:

- Further advances goals of the comprehensive plan
- Supports the conversations regarding infrastructure projects that is set to begin in 2024
- Reinforces community needs where growth is envisioned to occur

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Workshop: Determine Areas with Infrastructure Gaps

Deliverable: Infrastructure recommendations that can be replicated throughout the City in areas with similar growth and infrastructure needs/gaps.

Inputs:

- Projected Household + Jobs Growth
- Equitable Growth Framework gaps
- Entitlements Data
- Infrastructure Data

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Workshop: Determine Areas with Infrastructure Gaps

Format:

- Work session format between 1 and 3 hours
- CEDC gathers around large format maps
- Maps represent conditions in specific area but that are common throughout the City
- Areas focus on Activity Center and 10 Min NB
- Staff provides guidance on the map conditions
- CEDC discusses what the needs are and begins to list infrastructure projects that are needed to complete the vision for that area

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Workshop: Determine Areas with Infrastructure Gaps

Goal of this work:

- CEDC focuses on infrastructure conversation
- Provides a concise list of projects based on infrastructure needs
- Replicable throughout the City
- Helps to reinforce CAP work in 2024 regarding projects and programs

Questions?

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