

Pre-Workshop Worksheet

Background: The City of San Luis Obispo is a dynamic community embracing its future while respecting its past with core values of ***civility, sustainability, diversity, inclusivity, regionalism, partnership, and resiliency***. Every two years, in alignment with the financial plan, the City Council determines the most important and highest-priority goals for the City to accomplish over the next two years beyond the City's core services. Please provide feedback about the current four Major City Goals for further discussion on February 8th at the City Council goal-setting workshop.

Instructions: To be completed by Councilmembers after the Community Forum on January 23, 2025 and before the Council Goal-Setting Workshop on February 8, 2025. Please reflect and provide answers to these questions ***by February 4, 2025 at 5:00pm***.

- 1) What **edits** to the **Major City Goals** would you make to focus on the most important items in these goal areas? As a reminder, there are detailed items under "strategic approach" for each Major City Goal: <https://www.slocity.org/government/mayor-and-city-council/city-goals>

Climate Action, Open Space & Sustainable Transportation

Proactively address the climate crisis and increase resiliency through the implementation of the Climate Action Plan. Use resources to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and reach carbon neutrality by 2035, with a focus on the preservation and enhancement of convenient and equitable alternative and sustainable transportation, the preservation of open space, and equitable access to parks and open space.

Proposed **edits** to *Climate Action, Open Space & Sustainable Transportation* goal:

Proposed **work items** to be considered or edited for the *Climate Action, Open Space & Sustainable Transportation* goal:

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI)

Further our commitment to making San Luis Obispo a welcoming and inclusive city for all by continuing to incorporate diversity, equity, and inclusion into all programs and policies and advancing the recommendations of the DEI Task Force.

Proposed **edits** to *Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI)* goal:

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Proposed **work items** to be considered or edited for the *Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI)* goal:

Economic Resiliency, Cultural Vitality and Fiscal Sustainability

In collaboration with local partners, implement initiatives that reinforce a thriving and sustainable local economy, support a diverse, inclusive, and vibrant community, preserve arts and culture, and ensure fiscally responsible and sustainable city operations.

Proposed **edits** to *Economic Resiliency, Cultural Vitality and Fiscal Sustainability* goal:

Proposed **work items** to be considered or edited for the *Economic Resiliency, Cultural Vitality and Fiscal Sustainability* goal:

Housing and Homelessness

Support the expansion of housing options for all, and continue to facilitate the production of housing, including the necessary supporting infrastructure, with an emphasis on affordable and workforce housing as well as accessibly connected development. Collaborate with local non-profit partners, non-governmental agencies, the county, the state, and federal governments to advocate for increased funding and implementation of comprehensive and effective strategies to prevent and reduce homelessness.

Proposed **edits** to *Housing and Homelessness* goal:

Proposed **work items** to be considered or edited for the *Housing and Homelessness* goal:

- 2) Are there any **Major City Goals** that need to be **added**? (Please note any added/new goals may have trade-offs in the existing workplan or reducing core services.)

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- 3) Are there any **work items** that need to be **added** (besides what is listed above)?
(Please note any added/new work items may have trade-offs in the existing workplan or reducing core services.)

- 4) Within the current Major City Goals or current work items, what do you think could be **stopped or deferred**, if needed?

- 5) Would you be interested in **changing the label of Major City Goals**? The intention behind relabeling the Major City Goals would be to create overarching bodies of work, rather than value statements, with specific work items, measurable goals, and timelines.