

Comp Plan Kick-off Meeting
Growth Management Activity

1-26-2016

"We've had a rapid annual growth rate and are expected to reach a county-wide population of 100,000 people by 2040 (twice our current pop). What do we need to be doing to prepare for that kind of growth?" Participants were asked to write responses on post-it notes to place on the wall. After the meeting, the comments were assigned to subcommittees based on their best fit. Some comments are listed under multiple subcommittees due to their complex nature.

Infrastructure & Community Facilities

- Internet- bigger networks
- More library locations
- Improved area traffic by cherry blossom/ connector road
- Broadway 4 lanes instead of 2
- Make the 2 lane through town back to 4 lanes
- Large public pool
- Dog parks
- Increase library spaces
- Expand emergency services especially in rural areas
- Improve roads into Stamping Ground to promote economic and residential growth
- Reliable cell service county wide
- Sidewalks throughout the community
- Drainage, storm-water, water quality focused growth GREEN
- Public financing of transit
- Public transportation
- No more fast food restaurants
- Have a plan and vision that is competitive with surrounding communities and that focuses on quality and sustainability
- Require traffic studies with all major plats and the developer to be responsible.

Agriculture & Environment

- Expand emergency services especially in rural areas
- Re-establish riparian zones back to native plantings
- Infrastructure planned & implemented with a green focus

Growth & Economic Development

- Great schools
- Keep small businesses downtown
- Improve roads into Stamping Ground to promote economic and residential growth
- Public financing of transit
- Have a plan and vision that is competitive with surrounding communities and that focuses on quality and sustainability
- Good Foods or Whole foods needed

Human Services & Community Building

- More library locations
- Great schools
- Support & strengthen health & human services infrastructure
- Provide broader services for homeless in Georgetown
- Expand public health education services and physical education resources
- Make sure when we become a big city that we do not have the bad habits we see in those cities by making good values central to growth
- Good quality affordable housing
- Expanded educational opportunities
- Public transportation

Heritage & Community Building

- Sidewalks throughout the community

Land Use

- Improved area traffic by Cherry Blossom/ Connector Road
- Have a strong plan and designated areas with controlled structural & aesthetic properties to define the city a “master plan”
- Public transportation
- No more fast food restaurants
- Have a plan and vision that is competitive with surrounding communities and that focuses on quality and sustainability