



Comprehensive Plan Update  
ISD 709 School Board  
Wednesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>, 4:00PM

## Agenda

1. Purpose of meeting
2. What is a Comprehensive Plan?
3. Review of principles
4. How to be involved



## Purpose of a Comprehensive Plan

The Comprehensive Plan is the City's road map for development, the delivery of public services, the layout of public infrastructure and the preservation of our natural beauty and open spaces.



## 12 Adopted Principles & 2 New Proposed Principles



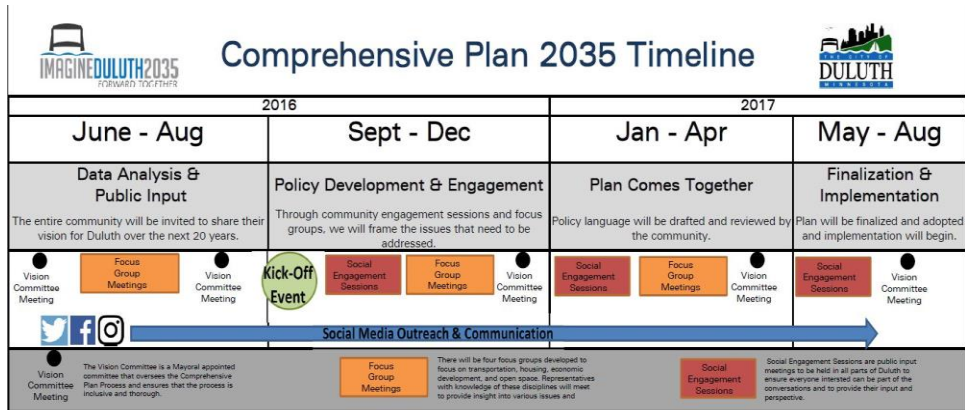
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## Health



## Fairness

# Process Timeline



## Upcoming Events

- 8/10 ISD 709 Board
- 8/11 Duluth Landlords
- 8/12 Duluth Huskie's Game
- 8/13 K-A Bike Fest @ Spirit Mountain
- 8/13 5 on 5 Soccer @ Park Point
- 8/16 Chester Creek Concerts
- 8/16 MIC Tech Adv Committee
- 8/17 MIC Board
- 8/17 Weds. Night @ Races
- 8/18 SMRA Board
- 8/18 Tall Ships (tentative)

# How do I get involved?

- Take the survey
- Follow Imagine Duluth 2035 on Facebook
- Provide input on housing issue questions at [www.imagineduluth.com](http://www.imagineduluth.com)
- Participate in September Kick-off event
- Participate in Focus Groups
- Tell your colleagues, family, and neighbors about the process

## Imagine Duluth Survey

The screenshot shows the Imagine Duluth 2035 website. At the top, there is a search bar and a navigation menu with links for ABOUT, GET INVOLVED, RESOURCES, and CONTACT. The main content area features a large image of Mayor Emily Larson with the text "FORWARD TOGETHER, MAYOR EMILY LARSON". To the right of the image, there are two buttons: "Email Sign-Up" and "Take our Survey". The "Take our Survey" button is circled in red. Below these buttons is a section titled "Upcoming Events" with a list of events:

- ▶ June 17th - Grandma's Marathon Health Expo
- ▶ June 18th - Duluth Juneteenth
- ▶ June 21st - Chester Creek Concert
- ▶ June 22nd - Duluth Huskies
- ▶ June 25th - Far West Fest
- ▶ June 25th - CHUM Rhubarb Festival

A link "see more events" is located at the bottom of the events list.

## Example: Housing Questions

- What three qualities make your neighborhood a great place to live?
- What three aspects of your neighborhood would you like to see changed?
- What does a healthy neighborhood look like?
- Are there types of housing missing from Duluth?
- Are you satisfied with the quality and quantity of housing that is affordable to you?
- Is there enough quality housing that is affordable to people of modest means?
- What kinds of housing should be planned for individuals and families moving here?
- How should people who need assistance with daily living tasks be provided with housing?
- How should parking needs of residential uses be accommodated in neighborhoods?
- Do neighborhoods need assistance in managing small conflicts like noise, trash, parking, and snow removal?
- Should there be more incentives to improve existing housing rather than new construction or vice versa?
- Are you concerned about the resiliency of your neighborhood to withstand a natural disaster?
- How and where should/could we densify the community, particularly if we want more convenient locations for mixed uses (corner grocery)?
- Should we consider a "no build" (or urban growth) boundary to limit infrastructure extensions and preserve open space at the periphery of the city?