

# Cordova Bay

#### Cordova Bay Local Area Plan Update

Advisory Committee Meeting # 2



## Today's Agenda

- Meeting objectives
- Review of draft Public Engagement Strategy
  - Details for Phase 2 engagement
  - Ideas for Phase 3 engagement
- An overview of Saanich's OCP



## **Meeting Objectives**

- Input on draft Public Engagement Strategy
- Ideas for Community Visioning events
- Ideas to reach hard-to-reach groups
- Feedback on Phase 3 engagement



#### Stakeholder identification - missing

- Visible minorities
- Those with disabilities
- Really young
- Really old
- PAC
- Renters
- Recreational user groups (cyclists, kayakers, team sports, equestrian)
- Church groups
- Agricultural land owners
- Absent property owners



## **Draft Public Engagement Strategy**

- A work in progress
- A public document, and "our promise to the public"
- Will be posted to website
- An internal tool
- Our game plan...yet flexible to capitalize on good ideas!
- Advisory Committee to help finalize and add in detail



#### WHAT WE ARE "ENGAGING ON" BY PHASE

#### Website PHASE 1 How we get you interested and inspired? Notification list BUILDING How can we help you understand the issues? Advisory committee **AWARENESS** Speaker series PHASE 2 What are your issues? Workshops COMMUNITY What opportunities do you see? Survey Talking to stakeholders What are your priorities? VISIONING Walkabouts Key issue workshops Let's examine key issues! PHASE 3 Design charrette Does existing policy still work, and PLAN Focus groups does it align with OCP? DEVELOPMENT Meetings What are some policy options? PHASE 4 Open houses Did we hear you? Survey DRAFT PLAN REVIEW Yay/nay! Public Hearing PHASE 5 **FINALIZATION**

**COUNCIL DECISION** 

# Phase 2 Engagement – Community Visioning

#### Current ideas for public engagement:

- Speaker Series
- Pop-Up Events
- Community Visioning Workshop
- Virtual Community Visioning Workshop
- Survey of community issues and priorities
- Walkabouts
- Stakeholder interviews
- Follow-up meetings





## Phase 2 Engagement – Community Visioning

#### Questions:

- How to build awareness for Phase 2 events?
- How do we get folks out for the Speaker event?
- What stakeholder groups (Section 6) should we talk to?
- Any other innovative ideas for sharing ideas and gathering input?
- Where should we do pop-ups?
- What are good locations for posters in the public realm?
- Topics and locations for Walkabouts?



## Walking in Their Shoes

Put yourself in the shoes of one of the following groups in Cordova Bay:

- Renters
- Visible minorities
- Older residents
- Young adults

#### Questions:

- 1. What are some of the barriers to your participation?
- 2. What are some strategies that we can use to get your input?



#### Pithy stuff on the Official Community Plan

## Phase 3 Engagement – Plan Development

#### Village Design Charrette

- Review general format
- Design Jam video
- How to get people involved

#### Workshops on Priority Issues

- Topics will funnel down from visioning
- Anticipated topics
- Timely conversation with CRD re. Lochside Trail
- Ideas on format, location, promotion



## **Next Advisory Committee Meeting**

- End of April
- Review outcome of Community Visioning events
- Preliminary survey results
- Assess topics for priority issues workshops
- Update on Village Design Workshop



#### Wrap Up

Review meeting objectives

Upcoming important dates:

- March 21, Speaker Series # 1
- Community Visioning Workshops week of April 9 tentatively

Thank you!

