

Downtown Parking and Multimodal Plan



Transportation Department

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Professional Services Agreement with Walker Consultants



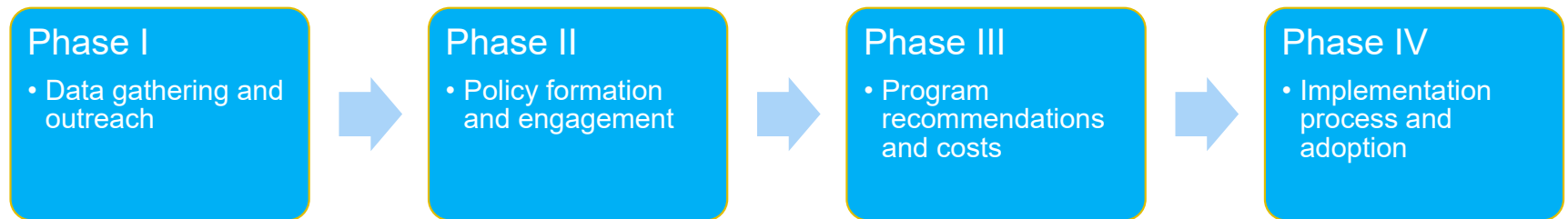
- 18 months of robust public input
- Specific goals identified
- Management & Operational Strategies
- Information is still relevant



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Process to Date



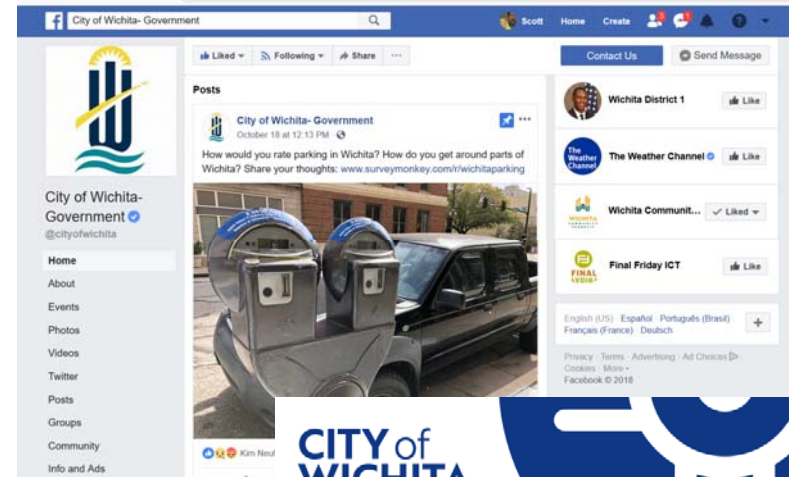
Pandemic interrupted work



Stakeholder Engagement



- Steering Committee
- Focus groups
- Online survey
- Open house events
- Technical Advisory Committee



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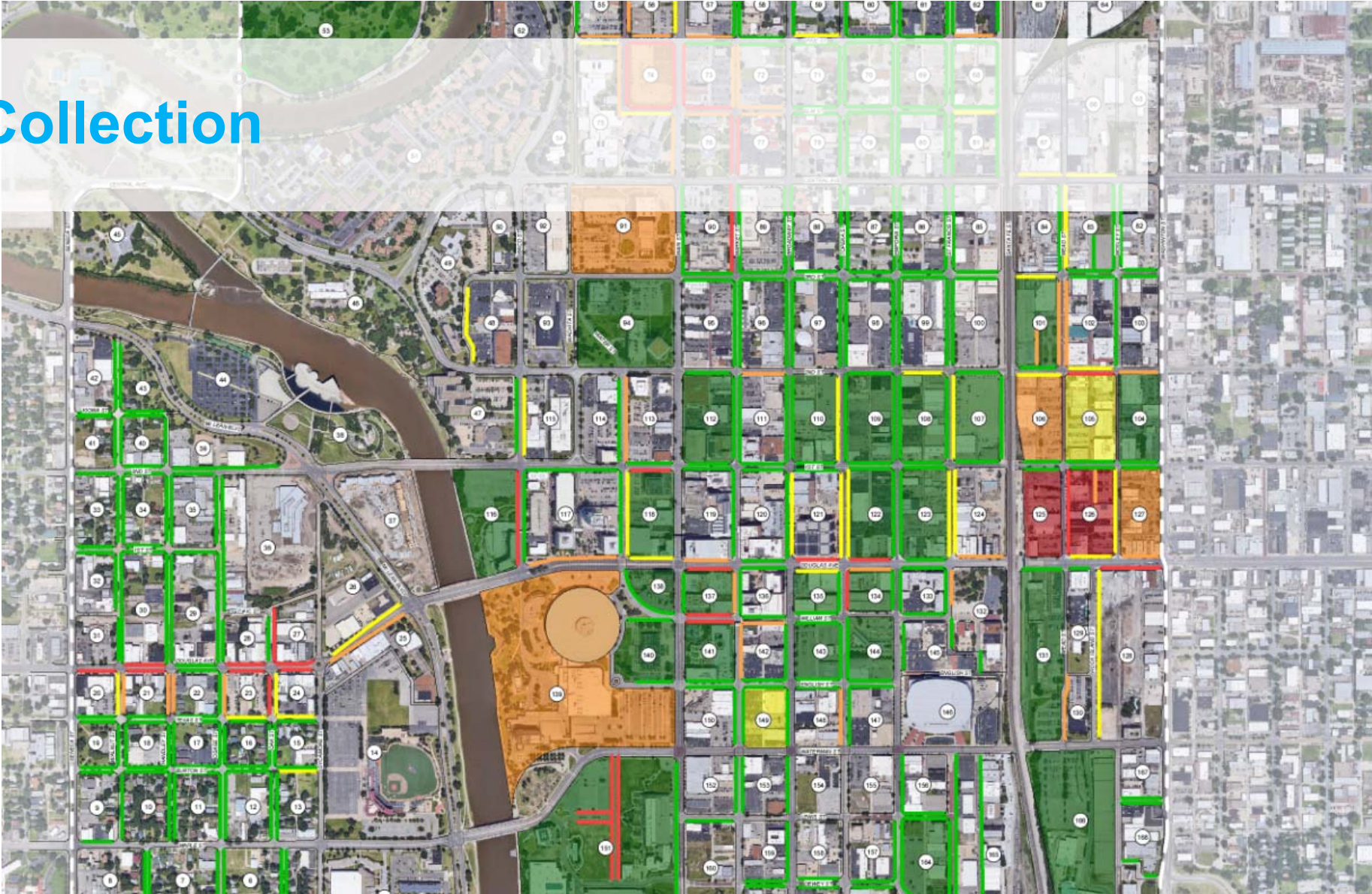
JOIN US FOR A PUBLIC MEETING

November 8, 2018
Wichita Art Museum,
Great Hall
Museum Blvd
-7:00 PM

Share your thoughts about parking and transportation in Wichita, and learn more about the City of Wichita Parking & Multimodal Plan. Children are welcome! Light refreshments will be provided.

Translation services available upon request at least 24 hours in advance. Contact Scott Wadlie at SWadlie@wichita.gov or 316-302-4856 with questions.

Data Collection



Draft Goals and Objectives



OUR VISION

The City of Wichita is a leading-edge organization serving a dynamic and inclusive community.

OUR MISSION

As an exceptionally well-run city, we will

- Keep Wichita safe,
- Build dependable infrastructure,
- Grow our economy and
- Provide conditions for living well.

OUR VALUES

To accomplish our mission, we anchor our work in our core values of trust and service.

This annual report highlights the City of Wichita's 2017 accomplishments in each of these areas and provides a look ahead at the City's 2018 goals.



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Vision

The Downtown Vision

The vision for Downtown Wichita distills the community's aspirations for the study area into a guide to the values that should shape the future core of the city.

Master Plan Vision Principles

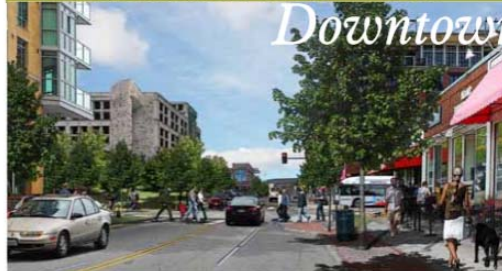
Five vision principles address the critical factors necessary to initiate a more strategic and accelerated revitalization process for Downtown. They provide the structure for a vision that will lead to a new, revitalized identity. Under the vision, Downtown will be woven back to together; new community assets will be created; and future development will be implemented strategically. Wichita's core will become a connected, walkable, exciting environment. Just as important, following these principles will help reshape community perceptions of what Downtown is today and can become in the future.

The five principles are:

- 1. Offer something for everyone.**
- 2. Leverage Downtown's Inherent strengths to generate economic value.**
- 3. Expand choices for people—and the region.**
- 4. Support development that fosters walkable connections.**
- 5. Promote Downtown's role in advancing regional sustainability.**

Within each principle, different elements speak to culture, economic growth, community, sustainability, and design. These elements appear on the following pages.

Vision: Downtown Wichita in 2030



Downtown

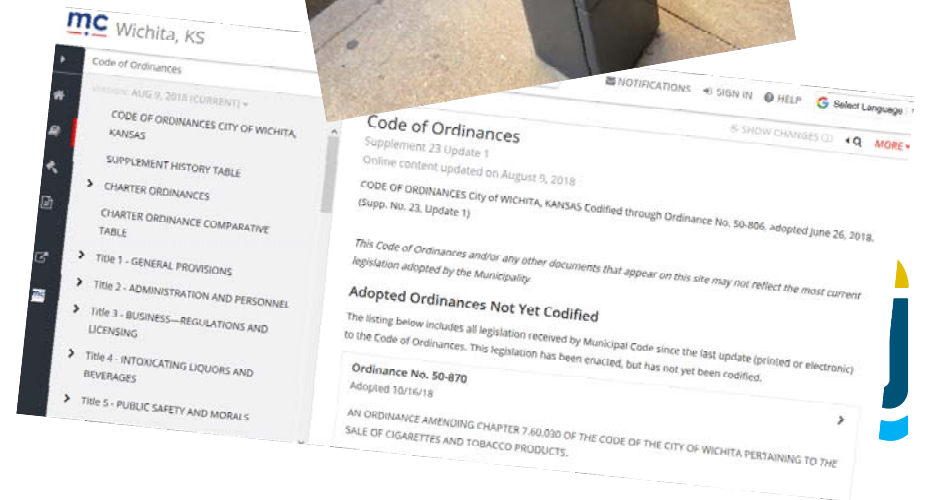
is a place that enables people to live, work, shop, play, and learn...all within a short walk of each other. Downtown celebrates Wichita's rich history and vibrant future, and it invites people from every walk of life to share their sense of community. 150 years after Wichita took root here, downtown is the reinvigorated heart of a region committed to a vital future.



Draft Recommendations



- Policies
- Programs
- Infrastructure



Next Steps



Renewed Stakeholder Engagement

- Steering committee (recently appointed)
- Technical Advisory Committee (staff)
- MAPC Advance Plans
- Wichita Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Board
- Wichita Transit Advisory Board
- Downtown Wichita
- District Advisory Boards I and VI

The Final Plan will be presented to City Council in 2022



Financial Considerations



The agreement with Walker Consultants for \$69,440 will be paid for by the Parking and Multimodal Fund

- Walker Consultants is the subject matter expert on parking
- Competitive RFP for initial planning project



Legal Considerations



Law Department reviewed and approved the contract as to form



Recommendation



- Approve Professional Services Agreement with Walker Consultants in the amount of \$69,440





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