

Strategic Planning Initiatives

One Year Goals (2022-2023)

1. Provide \$200,000 for workforce industrial training.
2. Improve neighborhood small business corridors.
3. Implement meaningful, placemaking public art for each of the 14 Council Districts.
4. Support streamlining and increase funding, fair practices, and funding floor for the Public Service Grant Council, expanding criteria for diversity initiatives and community grants accountability.
5. Resume recycling collections.
6. Facilitate a community conversation to develop a roadmap and funding plan to be completed by July 2022 for removal, relocation, remaining, or renaming of all confederate monuments on city property.

3 Year Goals (2022-2025)

1. Increase grants for roadway/neighborhood beautification, blight reduction, and tree corridors.
2. Work with the Administration to review and establish policies and procedures within Public Works Department and the Solid Waste Division that address:
 - a. workforce lessons,
 - b. distance to landfill,
 - c. recycling program, and
 - d. population growth.
3. Appropriate \$1,000,000 to safety and crime reduction/neighborhood pilot project in New Town, Eastside, Durkeeville, Arlington, and Justina.
4. Create spaces within our parks that improve quality of life throughout the city, including state of the art equipment.
5. Appropriate dedicated funding to development of downtown riverfront parks.
6. Focus efforts on after school and summer programming.

Five Year Goals (2022-2027)

1. Continue the septic tank phase out initiative.
2. Reduce the infant mortality rate.
3. Continue the effort to provide primary healthcare to the working poor.
4. Work with the appropriate entities to keep trains from blocking entryways to businesses and essential roadways for lengths of time.
5. Work with local and national organizations to reduce the homeless populations by 50% over the next five years.