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# PROS Plan Update

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## Parks Advisory Board

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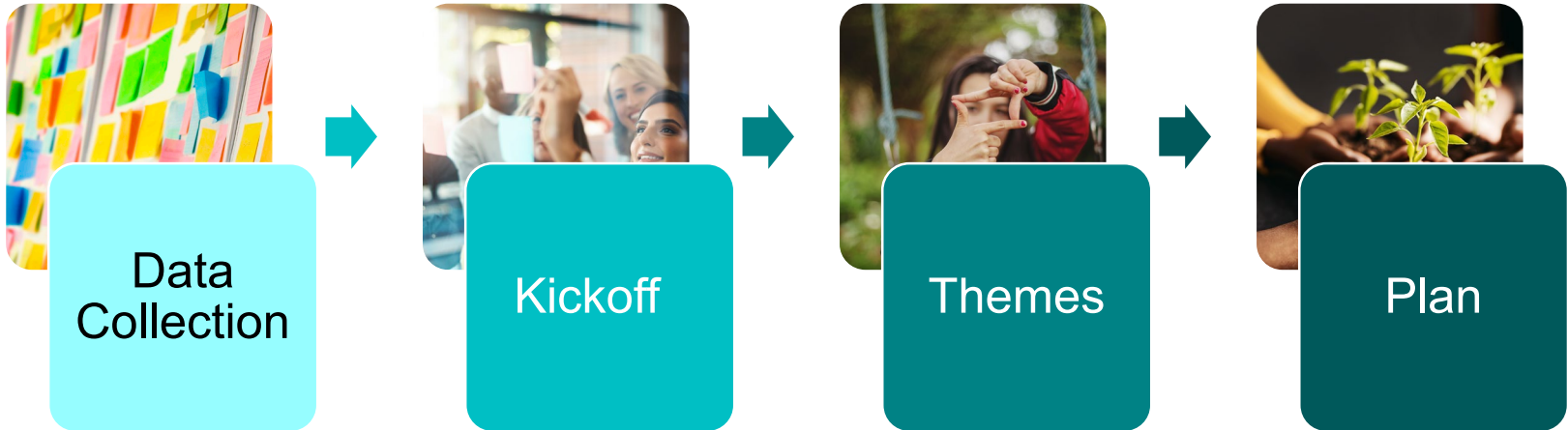
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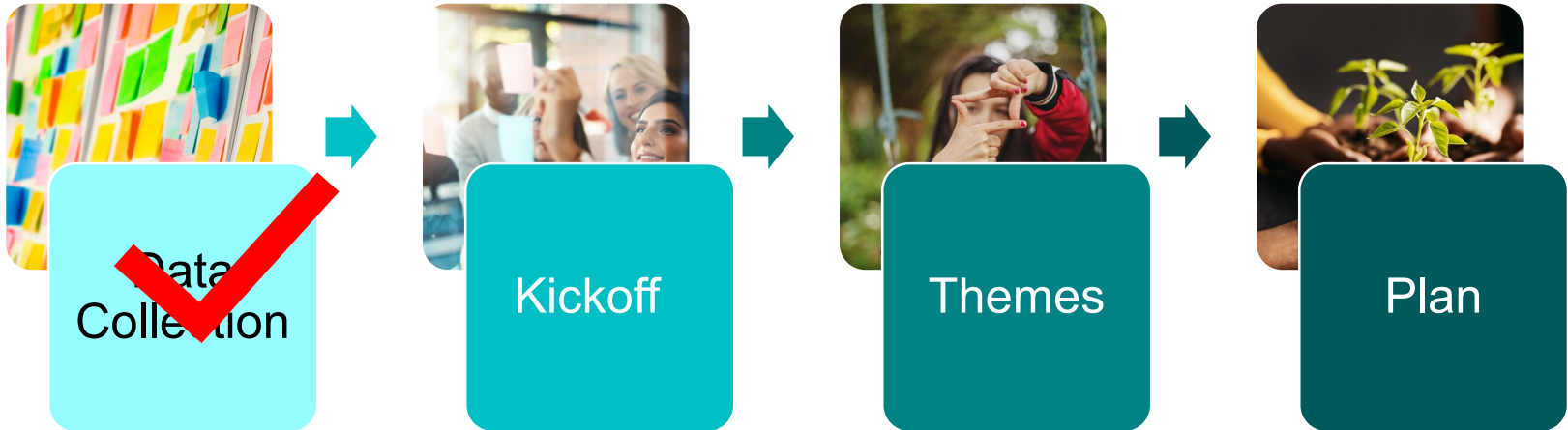
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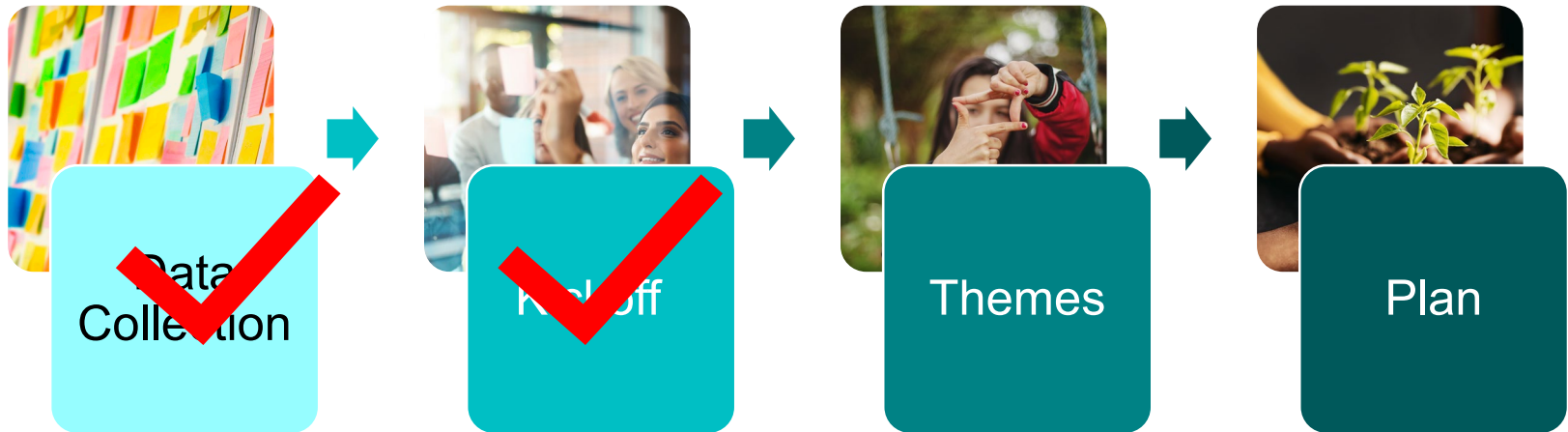
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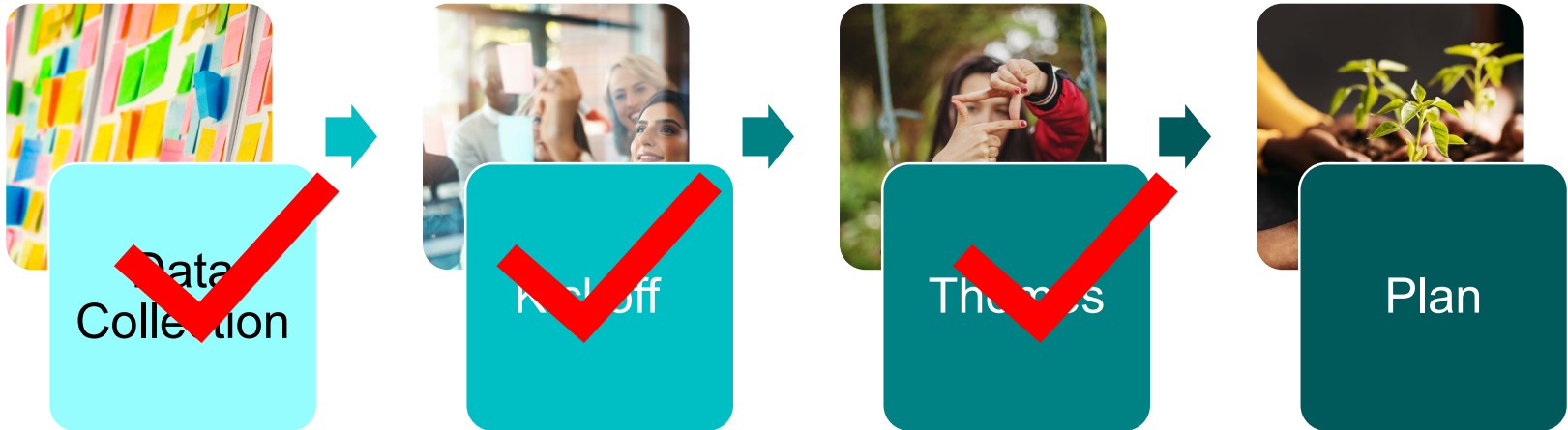
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# Plan Completion Tasks

Task	Timeline
Capital Improvement Plan Adoption	Fall 2021
Naturals Areas Acquisition Plan Adoption	Fall 2021
Finalize PROS Plan drafting	October 2021
PAB Recommendation	October 2021
Planning Commission	October 2021
County Council	November 2021/January 2022
Comprehensive Plan Update	November 2021 to March 2022 (TBD)
RCO Approval	February 2022



# PROS Plan Goals

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**Objective** – provide concise goals, use objectives to flush out intent

## **Goal 1: Partnerships**

*Old: Forge and maintain strong public, private and non-profit partnerships to support the parks and recreation system.*

**New: Forge and maintain strong partnerships**

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## **Goal 2: Communications & Promotion**

*Old: Promote and market the County's parks system.*

**New: No change**



# PROS Plan Goals

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## **Goal 3: Developed Parks**

*Old: Provide a diversified system of parks, trails, and open spaces that delivers a variety of recreational experiences to provide a high quality of life for residents.*

**New: Provide diverse recreational experiences**

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## **Goal 4: Trails**

*Old: Promote active lifestyles by providing more trail connections and coordinating with other jurisdictions and providers to create a seamless system.*

**New: Create a seamless trail system**





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## **Goal 5: Natural Areas**

*Old: Conserve significant natural areas to meet habitat protection needs and to provide opportunities for residents to recreate and connect with nature, as appropriate.*

**New: Conserve significant Natural Areas**

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## **Goal 6: Heritage**

*Old: Reflect the County's identity and preserve local heritage by incorporating art, history, and culture into the park system.*

**New: Preserve Clark County's heritage**



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## **Goal 7: Equity & Access**

*Old: Support and advance diversity, equity, inclusion in, and access to the County's system of parks, trails, and natural areas.*

**New: Advance diversity, equity, inclusion and access to parks**

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## **Goal 8: Operations**

*Old: Maintain and operate a modern, efficient park system that provides a high level of user comfort, safety, and aesthetic quality, and protects capital investments.*

**New: Maintain to improve experience & protect assets**



# Action Plan Key Recommendations

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## Goal 1: Partnerships

- Increase partnerships with local and regional recreation groups to help build and maintain trails and other assets.

## Goal 2: Communication

- Improve County Website for recreational information
- Pilot QR codes or similar system to improve community access to information about parks

## Goal 3: Developed Parks

- Master plan & develop Camp Bonneville
- Master plan & develop Brush Prairie Park
- Develop a Nature playground



# Action Plan Key Recommendations

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## Goal 4: Trails

- Continue to expand Regional Trails
- Develop a purpose-built trail facility (pump track, skills course, etc.)

## Goal 5: Natural areas

- Implement CAAP Plan

- **Goal 6: Heritage**

- Complete an interpretive plan for Camp Bonneville



# Action Plan Key Recommendations

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## **Goal 7: Equity & Access**

- Develop an Inclusive playground
- Complete an ADA Transition Plan

## **Goal 8: Operations & Stewardship**

- Integrate an O&M component into master plans



# Action Plan Funding Strategies

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- GCPD Levy Lid Lift
  - Require ballot measure
- Realign GCPD Boundary with UGA Boundary
  - Require ballot measure
- Capital Renovation & Development Bond
  - Potential to poll concept for regional parks and trails
- PIF Program Update
  - Review boundaries, impact fee credits and rate structure



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# Thank You

