Clark County Buildable Lands Program Update: Issue Summary & PAC Scope of Work

As Presented to Clark County Council 1/29/20

Planning Commission Work Session 2-20-20

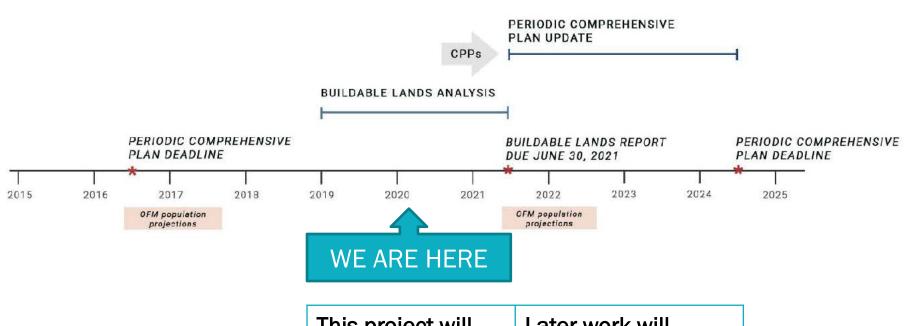


Agenda

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Project Overview

Project Context



This project will Later work will address... address... **Buildable Lands** Population Forecasts & Assumptions & Methodology Demand Capacity Comprehensive Plan Estimates for **Updates & Potential Current UGAs UGA** updates

Project Goal

Ensure that County's Buildable Lands methodology is:

- consistent with state law (including recent legislative changes);
- reasonably accurate in estimating land capacity for each Urban Growth Area (UGA);
 and
- supported by the available data-driven evidence and a broad base of stakeholders.

Process Overview

- Project Team & PAC identify, evaluate, and make recommendations for needed updates to methodology & assumptions used to identify buildable lands and estimate capacity
- 2. Council briefing and direction on recommendations
- 3. Project Team updates Buildable Lands Model & Report
- 4. Adoption process for updated Buildable Lands Report

Project Overview

- Considering updates needed for:
 - Consistency with updated legislation & guidance (primary focus)
 - Better alignment with observed trends (data refinements/improvements)

Status:

- Project Team reviewed methodology & new state rules and guidance to identify issues
- PAC provided input on issues to consider at meeting in December
- Refined draft issue list / summary to respond to PAC input

Issue Summary

Issue Summary, Part 1

Identifying Land Suitable for Development

- 1. Criteria & thresholds used to set Land Classifications (vacant, underutilized, etc.)
- 2. Accounting for Redevelopment
- 3. Modeling Mixed-Use Areas
- 4. Infrastructure Gaps and Reliance on the Urban Holding Overlay
- 5. Market Factor assumptions
- 6. Capacity on Rural Lands

Issue Summary, Part 2

Estimating Land Capacity

- 7. Infrastructure Set-Asides (as part of the deductions to get from gross vacant / underutilized acres to net buildable acres)
- 8. Population Capacity (density assumptions for residential land)
- **9. Employment Density** (how to overcome lack of state data)

Issue Summary, Part 3

Data Collection and Reporting

10.Data Sources: Building Permits vs.

Assessor's data for identifying when land is developed, measuring observed density, etc.

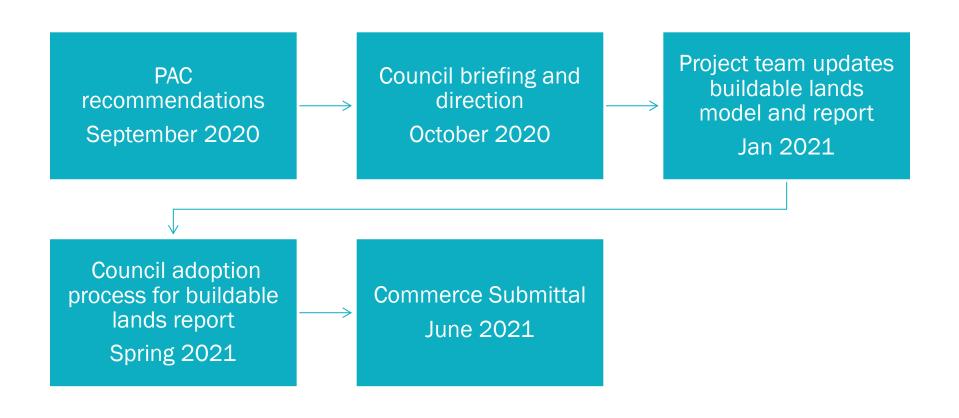
Proposed BLPAC Scope of Work / Meeting Topics

Proposed BLPAC Meeting Dates and Topics

Mtg #	Date*	Topics
1	12/6	Project Introduction & Preliminary Issue List (complete)
2	2/21	Identifying Land Suitable for Development: Introduce Land
		Classifications, Redevelopment, GMA land uses/Mixed Use
3	3/20	Identifying Land Suitable for Development: Follow up on
		topics from Meeting 2; Introduce Market Factor,
		Infrastructure Gaps
4	5/1	Identifying Land Suitable for Development: wrap up &
		preliminary recommendations
5	6/5	Estimating Land Capacity: Introduce Population Capacity,
		Employment Capacity, Infrastructure Set-Asides, Modeling
		Mixed Use Areas, Rural Land Capacity
6	7/10	Estimating Land Capacity: Follow up on topics from Meeting
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7	8/14	Estimating Land Capacity: Wrap up & preliminary
		recommendations
8	9/18	VBLM results report out, review draft PAC recommendations
		summary to Council, confirm or refine recommendations

^{*}Dates are tentative and subject to change.

Next Steps



Questions & Discussion