

**Lorton Visioning
Task Force Meeting
July 19, 2021**

Lorton Visioning Task Force Guiding Principles

To begin a community dialogue on Lorton's vision for the future, an online community survey and a community meeting were utilized to collect ideas and opinions from Lorton area residents and visitors. These ideas were summarized into **themes** describing the desirable features of Lorton today and in the future. The Visioning Guiding Principles were drafted as a final product to be shared with and solicit further feedback from the community.



Health and Recreation

4. Ensure the health and leisure needs of people living, working, and visiting Lorton are met.
 - a. Celebrate and promote more active and outdoor recreation opportunities, as well as access to parkland
 - b. Expand access to public facilities such as libraries and community centers
 - c. Expand access to high quality healthy foods, farmers markets, etc.



Other Related Guiding Principles

- Develop a community where multiple generations can live, work, and play and that attracts new residents at all stages of life
- Diversify and create a healthy balance of housing types to accommodate a variety of ages, incomes, family sizes, and living arrangements
- Mitigate the potential negative impacts of development on existing neighborhoods and community facilities
- Encourage economic development opportunities, and necessary infrastructure and services, that improve the quality of life for residents

Questions and Discussion

- How do you see public health and equitable health outcomes fitting into the Lorton comprehensive plan?
- How does the health presentation fit into the guiding visioning principles and the framework plans?

