AC44 : Plan Structure & Project Update

Planning Commission

July 9, 2024

Progress Update

April 2024 - Completed review of all Goals and Objectives with the Planning Commission and Board

April to Present

- Collaborating with chapter teams to develop Plan Strategies to implement the Objectives

- Refining document structure and organization

- Updated topic chapter titles to reflect cross-cutting nature of Plan chapters and multiple departments responsible

- Categorized Strategies into implementation type: regulations, policies, plans, programs, studies, partnerships/grants, and capital projects

Key Refinements

Processed feedback made refinements to Goals, Objectives, Actions.

~~Framework~~ = **Guiding Principles**

Planning Tool Kit (Activity Centers, Community Design Guidelines, etc) **has been carried forward and are in Part 2**

~~Multiple Goals per element~~ = **1 Goal Statement for each**

~~Big Moves~~ = **Catalyst Projects**

Document Structure

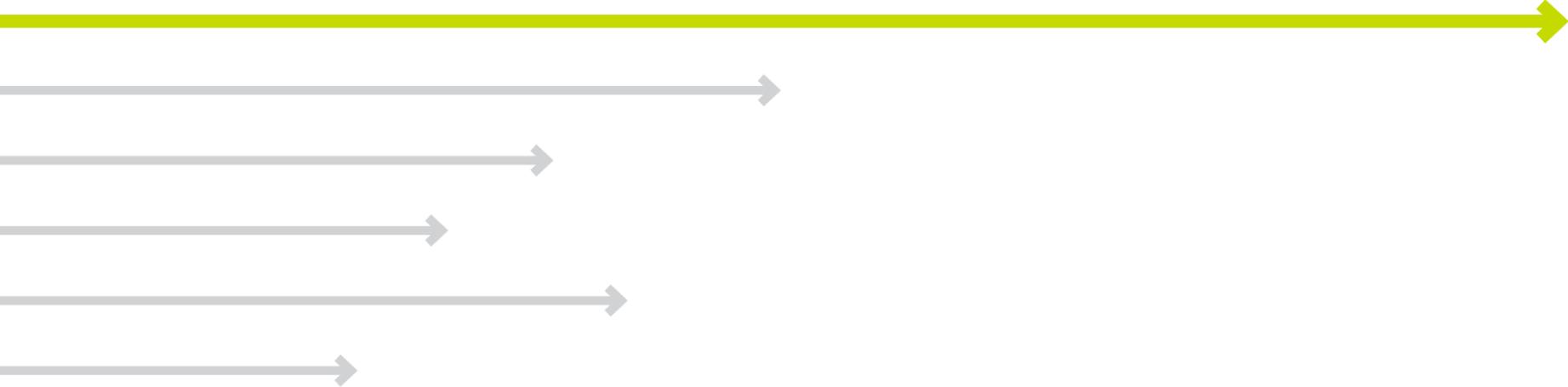## 1: Plan Context

2: Place Type Framework

3: Plan Implementation

4: Appendix

Part 1

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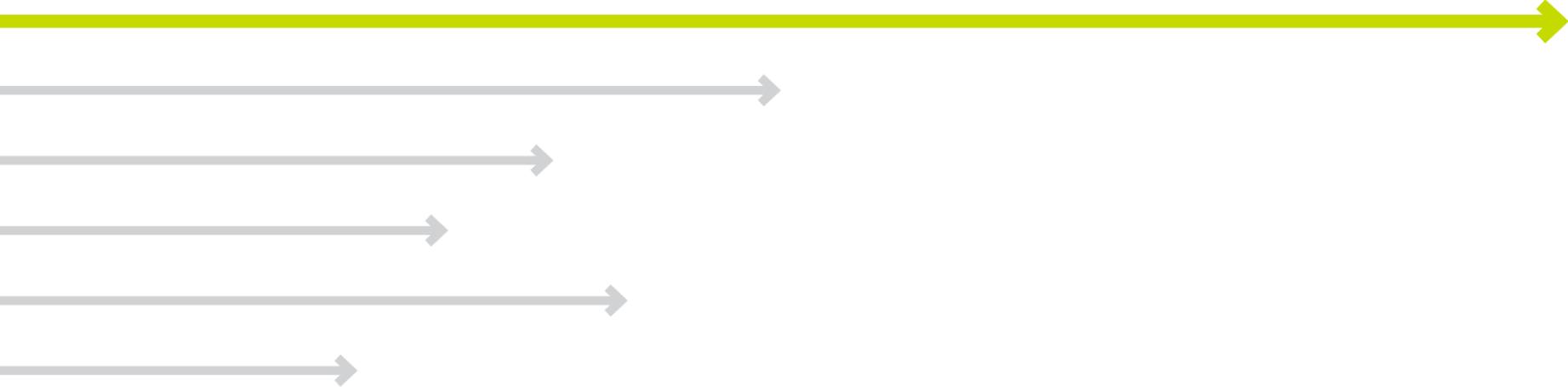
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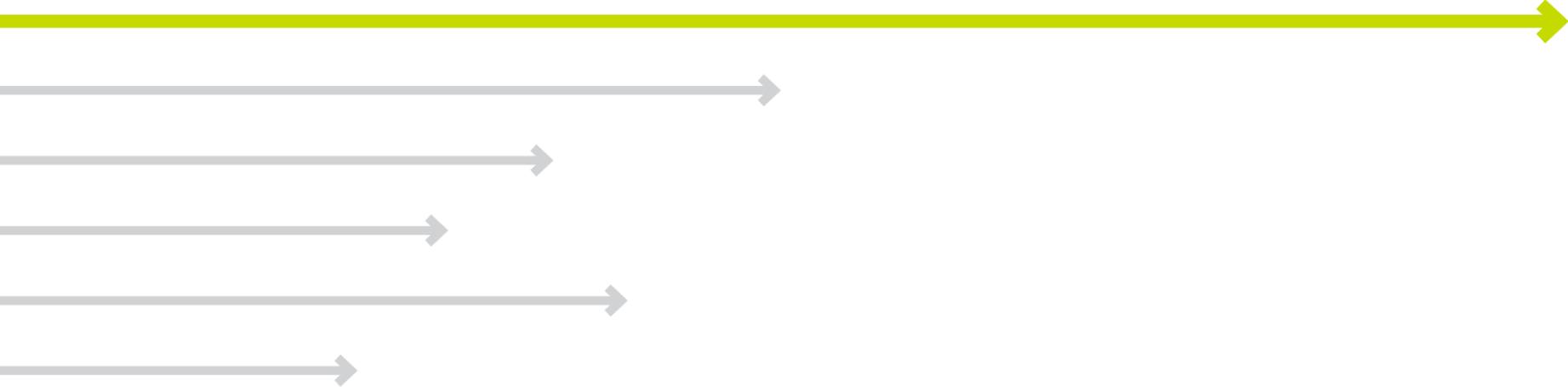## 2: Place Type Framework

2.1   Rural and Development Areas Land Use + Place Types (Activity Centers)

2.2   Future Land Use Designations

2.3   Provision of Public Services

2.4   Community Design Guidelines

Part 3

Document Structure

3: Plan Implementation

3.1   General Implementation Overview
3.2   Elements (Goal, Objectives, and Actions)
3.3   Metrics, Tracking, and Reporting (Objectives)

Document Structure

- Plan is implemented by both the public and private sectors

- For each Element, a series of Objects and Actions

- Will use implementation matrix: action types, responsible parties, and timelines for

Land Use and Transportation / Building Block 1			
Label	Actions	Action Type	Priority Program(s)
LUT A20	Develop roadway and rights-of-way design standards that accommodate the needs of street trees and above and below ground utilities and infrastructure.	Regulation	• Create a green infrastructure program to protect environmentally sensitive areas and integrate nature into the city.
LUT A21	Create a network of on- and off-street physically separated bicycle and walking routes or trails linking all parts of Austin and the region.	CIP	• Invest in a compact and connected Austin. • Create a Healthy Austin Program.
LUT A22	Expand the Safe Routes to School program.	Coordination, CIP, Program	• Invest in a compact and connected Austin. • Create a Healthy Austin Program.
LUT A23	Develop standards to connect all new neighborhoods to adjacent neighborhoods and commercial areas by streets, sidewalks, and bicycle lanes and/or paths.	Regulation	• Invest in a compact and connected Austin. • Create a Healthy Austin Program.

Example Only

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3: Plan Implementation

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4: Appendix

4.1   Community Story and Public Engagement

4.2   Glossary

4.3   Other adopted County/Regional Plans and Initiatives

Plan Structure Summary

GUIDING PRINCIPLES = Policies for what we want our community to be like
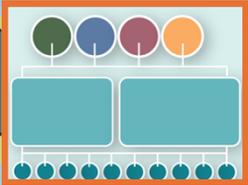
PLACE TYPE FRAMEWORK = How and where we want to grow and provide public services and protect our resources in our DA and RA
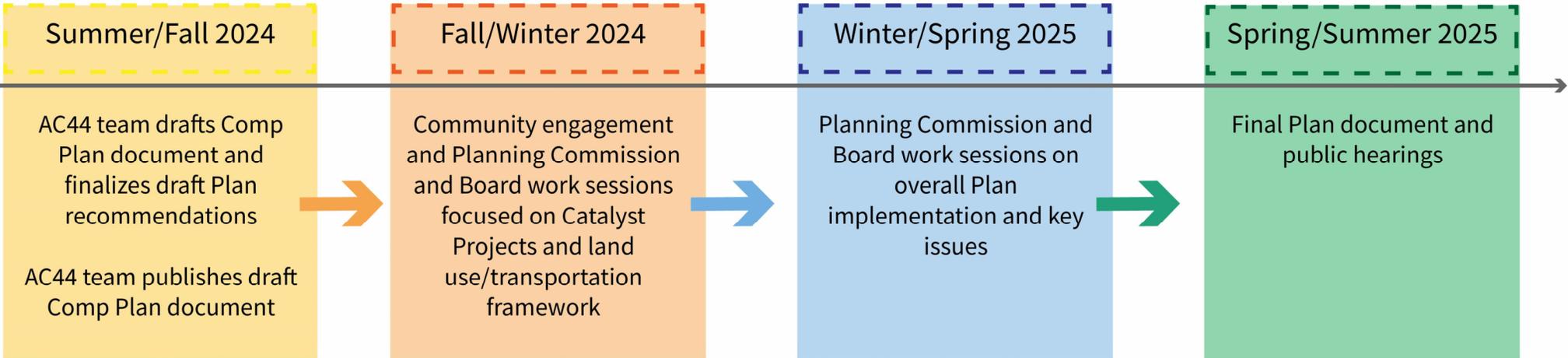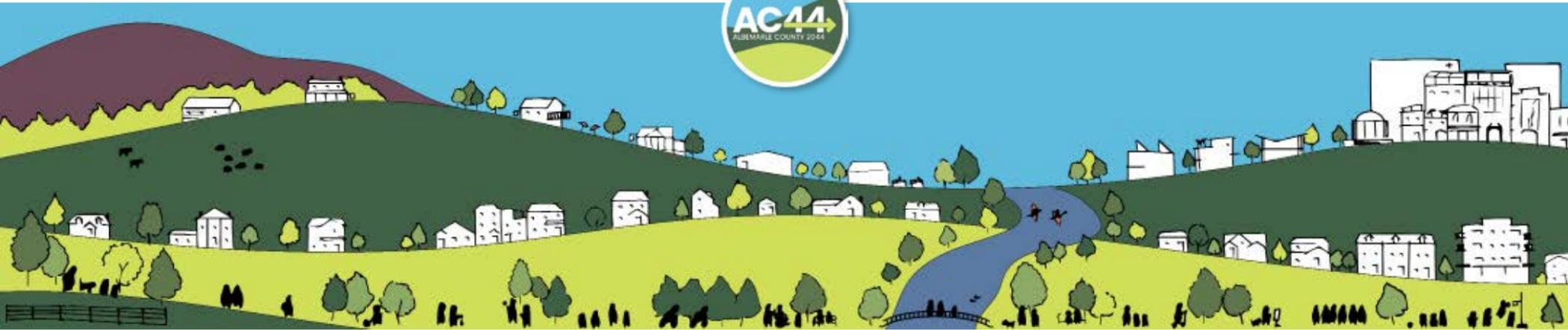
PLAN ELEMENTS = How we will work toward the vision for our community and implement our growth strategy

AC44 Next Steps

Summer/Fall 2024	Fall/Winter 2024	Winter/Spring 2025	Spring/Summer 2025
AC44 team drafts Comp Plan document and finalizes draft Plan recommendations AC44 team publishes draft Comp Plan document	Community engagement and Planning Commission and Board work sessions focused on Catalyst Projects and land use/transportation framework	Planning Commission and Board work sessions on overall Plan implementation and key issues	Final Plan document and public hearings

Questions?

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