

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Mayor and four City Councilors provide legislative and policy leadership for city government. The Mayor and Councilors are elected by citizens for four-year terms on a non-partisan basis and serve part-time. The Council hires the City Manager to run day-to-day operations. The City Council reviews, revises and adopts city laws and policies and sets the overall direction of the city.

PROGRAM RESULTS:

- Basic city services provided to citizens are cost-effective and are delivered without interruption.
- Tigard's interest in regional and statewide activities is coordinated with appropriate agencies and jurisdictions.
- Tigard citizens are involved in the community and participate effectively.
- Programs and activities are available in the community to meet the needs of a diverse population.
- External and internal city assets are well managed and utilized.
- Master plans, management and fiscal policies are adopted; resources are allocated to position Tigard for the future.
- The community is engaged and connected to the city's strategic vision.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

FY 2015-2016:

1. Provide Recreation Opportunities for the People of Tigard**Accomplishments:**

The city hired a recreation coordinator in December and a Park and Recreation Charge study is underway. Staff updated the Recreation Finder tool and Council placed a ballot title for a community center building on the November 2015 ballot. It was defeated by voters.

City continue to talk with recreation providers (THPRD & TTSD) about possible partnership opportunities.

2. Make Downtown Tigard a Place Where People Want to Be**Accomplishments:**

The Ash/Burnham site was cleared, building permits issued and construction has begun on this mixed use redevelopment project.

The downtown Saxony property mixed-use public space design study got underway, complementing the installation of Gateway improvements which were completed.

The downtown's first Strolling Street is under construction at Maki/Wine Crafter/Elvia Hair Salon businesses, the Tigard Downtown Assn. Produced a successful Street Faire.

The Sidewalk Gap technical group finished its preliminary inventory and presented results at the October 20 Council Workshop. Tigard Street trail was paved as a temporary measure to allow pedestrian use and easier access to downtown.

3. Adopt Tigard Triangle Strategic Plan and Enable Future Development Capacity

Accomplishments:

A Tigard Triangle Lean Code workshop was held September 14-17 to begin drafting code and zoning changes for the Tigard Triangle. The workshop provided an opportunity for the city leaders, Triangle landowners, business leaders, and developers to work with the PlaceMakers/DPZ/Crabtree consultant team to establish a framework for the new Lean Code to implement the Triangle Strategic Plan. Three public meetings were held. Drafts of the following documents received two rounds of public input and staff review: zoning map, street network plan, thoroughfare plan (which designates street classification and section requirements such as width, on-street parking, number of lanes, etc) and frontage types, which illustrates how different types of development will look on the sites.

The city was awarded a \$145,000 Metro Community Planning & Development Grant to investigate the feasibility of walkable mixed-use development and tools to facilitate such development.

A new section of sidewalk was completed to fill the gap between 68th Ave and the I-5 Bridge on Haines/Atlanta Streets, and a seating area at the “overlook” at 68th and Dartmouth using the Lighter, Quicker, Cheaper project funds.

Community Development held an ice cream social in the Tigard Triangle to promote the completion of the Dartmouth Overlook project and walkability in the Triangle.

4. Enable Groundbreaking in River Terrace by Summer 2015

Accomplishments:

Infrastructure Financing Project

Discussions continue with HBA regarding their legal challenge of our residential transportation SDCs. Discussions are on hold with business community regarding proposed non-residential transportation SDCs due to HBA legal challenge. Citywide park utility fee of \$1.11/month is on track for adoption. River Terrace transportation and stormwater utility fee adoption schedule TBD.

River Terrace Community Plan Implementation:

A downstream analysis of River Terrace drainageways is complete; the final report is being prepared. An interdepartmental design review committee meets regularly to review park, stormwater facility and River Terrace Blvd design proposals. A consultant was hired to evaluate and make recommendations for optimal ped/bike connections, streetscape and intersection treatments, and wayfinding signage, while the city sent a letter to Metro

requesting that the southern Urban Reserve Area be added to the UGB.

Permitting:

Six subdivision applications approved by the city for a total of over 1,000 homes; One subdivision application reviewed at a pre-application conference; Four demolition permits and three grading permits issued; Eight model home permits under review; One public facility improvement permit issued and another under review.

Public Facilities:

The Clean Water Services sewer pump station application was deemed complete and the public hearing before the Hearings Office happened on November 9.

A draft MSTIP IGA for funding Roy Rogers Rd reviewed by the city, awaiting county's comments.

River Terrace webpages revamped to reflect the project's shift from planning to development and to provide more background information ([FAQ](#)) and up-to-date development information

5. Expand Opportunities to Engage People in the Community

Accomplishments:

City Council hosted two events to talk about issues with residents: a Picnic in Summerlake Park (July) and a Tigard Tailgate at Tigard High (October). City staff completed a series of Community Ice Cream Visits to gain feedback on issues relevant to neighborhoods.

A Voters Forum was held at Twality Middle School on October 8 in support of three measures on the November ballot.

Open Budget Portal was deployed (<http://budget.tigard-or.gov/#!/year/default>) and went live with the new fiscal year. Staff added the CIP in August and had over 750 page views in one month. Finance staff worked with Socrata to add unaudited year-to-date actuals with the budget and explored the Open Checkbook application which would provide full detailed multi-year history on line.

Thirteen Tigard Walks events were held between January and December. In three instances walks supported community events planned to bring people outside.

The communications plan was completed in June with key messages to be used by all staff in external communications. The Communications Strategist and the Goal 3 Team for the Strategic Plan are using the plan's three strategies to strengthen communications internally and externally and build public involvement with the Strategic Plan, including dynamic community engagement outside of City Hall.

Successful National Night Out neighborhood events were held throughout the city, with visits by the City Manager, Chief Orr, Asst. Chief deSulley, Mayor Cook and the City Councilors.

City Council received an award from the Oregon Chapter of the American Planning Assn.

Mayor and Council

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for leadership in adoption of strategic plan.

A plan to reboot the Neighborhood Network Program has been submitted to the City Manager.

GOALS & OBJECTIVES:

FY 2016-2017:

Council Goal Setting is scheduled for January 5, 2016.

WORKLOAD MEASURES

	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Number of regional committees requiring elected official attendance	9	9	9	9
Number of City Council meetings	38	38	38	38
Average length (hours) of council meetings	3	3	3	3
Number of Resolutions adopted	78	78	78	78
Number of Ordinances adopted	20	20	20	20
Population served	48,695	49,135	50,444	51,000
Number of opportunities for residents to interact with elected officials (12 Fireside Chats, 16 1x10 events, 2 Town Halls)	NA	16	30	30

EFFECTIVENESS MEASURES

	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Survey is conducted every other year.	Yes	No	Yes	No
Average rating on citizens' highest service priorities	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Citizens rating overall city services as good or better	85%	0	93%	95%
Citizens who feel that Tigard will be a better place to live and work in the future	85%	0	85%	85%
Citizens rating overall city services as good or better	87%	0	87%	87%
Citizens who say the city's long-term strategic vision represents their long-term vision (as measured in biennial survey)	49%*	0	55%	60%

*average of phone & web responses

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS