Expanding Housing Choices

Process & Participation

Spring 2018
Planning Staff convened a Practitioners’ Panel of approximately 15 professionals involved in affordable and market rate housing development to identify and prioritize regulatory impediments to a broader array of housing.

Summer 2018
Over 1,300 questionnaire responses were collected, aimed at gauging public opinion and perception of housing choices. Proposed concepts were presented to elected officials.

****Fall 2018*****
Proposed concepts were developed into a Discussion Draft released for public review, including in-person and online open houses and survey. Staff will also meet with stakeholders, including interested neighborhood groups, professional associations, and appointed boards.

Winter 2018 —Spring 2019
The Discussion Draft will be refined into a Proposed Draft. Presentations will be made to appointed and elected boards, and required public hearings with the Planning Commission, and then the Governing Bodies (City Council and Board of Commissioners) for final action on the amendments.