

# Community Forest Management Plan Strategic Work Plan

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		Number of objectives	Percentage completion
<b>THEME</b>	<b>Streamline the Governance Structure</b>		
Strategy	1 Consolidate tree responsibilities to one division or create a new division.	4	50%
Strategy	2 Include trees in the beginning of the design and planning process	1	100%
Strategy	3 Provide an arborist review of all Planning Division tree responsibilities	3	67%
<b>THEME</b>	<b>Ensure Community Forest Sustainability</b>		
Strategy	1 Tree planting activities will promote a sustainable urban forest.	3	33%
Strategy	2 Increase tree canopy cover across all census tracts and neighborhoods	4	14%
Strategy	3 Continually review the City recommended tree species list to ensure trees are adapted to climate change and support local habitat and wildlife.	6	50%
<b>THEME</b>	<b>Support Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion</b>		
Strategy	1 Ensure the diverse demographics of the City are represented by the community stakeholders who participate in guiding the development of the community forest program.	7	57%
Strategy	2 Prioritize increasing canopy cover in disadvantaged communities.*	4	50%
<b>THEME</b>	<b>Funding the Community Forest</b>		
Strategy	1 Develop a plan to annually provide funding to the community forest program so the City can sustainably manage the tree inventory, engage the community, and implement policies and ordinances.	6	17%
Strategy	2 Fund community forest management activities at a level to meet best management practices as defined by the City.	4	25%
<b>THEME</b>	<b>Efficient and Effective Tree Management</b>		
Strategy	1 Maintain current information on the community forest to ensure management decisions are based on the best available data.	5	80%
Strategy	2 Ensure all City tree management activities and design standards reflect the most current understanding of community forest sustainability.	4	25%
Strategy	3 Community members and private property owners will understand their role in growing and maintaining the community forest.	3	67%
<b>THEME</b>	<b>Standardize and Improve Planning and Development</b>		
Strategy	1 Protect and preserve mature trees	6	33%
Strategy	2 City planning and development will contribute to increasing tree canopy cover.	5	0%

**Total number of objectives 65**  
**Percentage of objectives complete 34%**