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MONTGOMERY 2050

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Agenda Item 7

Worksession #9 Conclusion

Thrive Montgomery 2050 Public Hearing Draft



Agenda

1. Major themes from the Implementation related public comments
2. “Conclusion” Chapter

Major Themes from the Public Comments on Implementation

Themes from the Public Comments

- Concerns about funding the Plan recommendations
- Role of public and private entities
- Need for indicators to track plan implementation
- Requests for more explicit identification of tools

Conclusion Chapter

Key changes from Public Hearing Draft

Implementation
Chapter

- Renamed **Conclusion** Chapter
- Shorter and more compelling language

Section on
Planning
Requirements

- Moved to Appendix
- *Discuss on March 4th*

Section on
Action
Examples

- Moved to separate Actions list document
- *Discuss on March 4th*

Cooperation among public and private sectors in implementation

Public Agency
Partners

Private
Development

Moving from plans to action

- Actions Document (Next week!)
- Progress assessment indicators
- Capital Improvement Program
- Relocated “What Can Thrive Montgomery – Or Any Plan – Achieve” Box to page 3

Types of Indicators

- Economic Performance and Competitiveness
- Wage and job growth
- New Business Formation
- Economic output per capita
- Physical activity and public health
- Racial Equity and Social Inclusion
- Racial and economic integration of neighborhoods and schools
- Measures of social capital, civic engagement, and community trust
- Equitable life outcomes across race, income, age, gender etc.
- Environmental Sustainability and Resilience
- Greenhouse Gas Emissions
- Vehicle Miles Traveled
- Water and Air Quality

Modifications to other plans, policies, and rules



Master and sector plans

Functional Plans

Zoning Code

Subdivision Regulations

APFO

Other guidelines and reference manuals

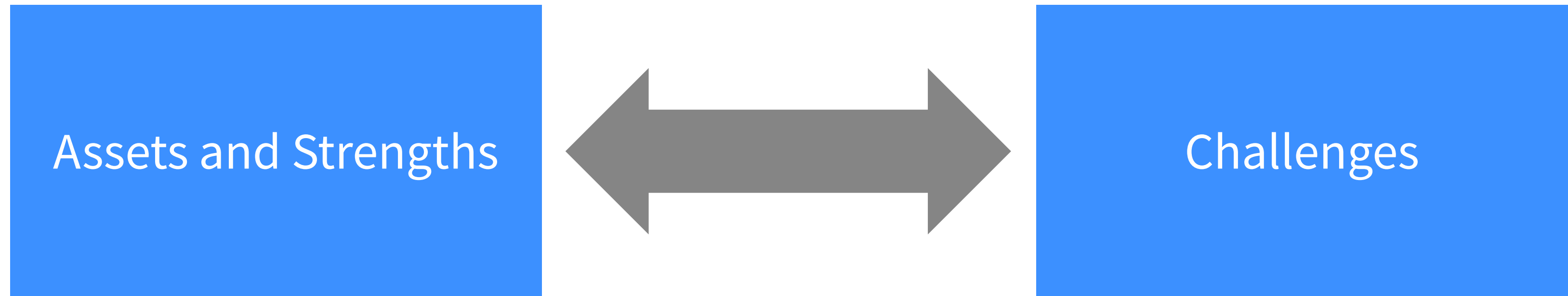
PROS, EPS, and Parks CIP, and other key documents

Relationship between Thrive and the Climate Action Plan

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Thrive Montgomery 2050 was drafted in parallel with an initiative by Montgomery County's executive branch to develop a Climate Action Plan (CAP), which outlines ways to reduce the county's net greenhouse gas emissions to zero by 2035. The CAP also recommends approaches to deal with the hazards of climate change predicted for Montgomery County: extreme heat, extreme precipitation, high winds and drought. The Planning Department staff worked with executive branch representative to ensure that the goals, policies, and actions recommended by Thrive Montgomery 2050 and the CAP are complementary rather than duplicative.

Montgomery County has a lot of things going for it



Questions and Next Steps

