

Community Conversation and Kick Off – Boulder 2030

Chautauqua (Picnic Shelter, Community House, Climber's Room)

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August 31, 2015 ■ 4 – 8 p.m. Presentations at 5:15 & 6:30

Purpose of Event:

1. Host a public kick off for the Boulder Valley Comprehensive Plan update
2. Inform people about the plan and celebrate its legacy
3. Bring people together to start the conversation about the plan update as well as outdoor family fun
4. Share “foundational” information that will aid with updating the plan’s maps and policies
5. Provide multiple interactive ways for people to give input – through words, pictures, etc.
6. Let people know what to expect for the update – e.g., plan survey, timeline, ways to get involved

Logistics

- Dessert provided
- HOP to Chautauqua buses for transportation and off-site parking (info advertised in e-mails and on website).

Agenda and Events

Drop-in Activities and Information (4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. at Picnic Shelter and Climber's Room)

- A. Community mural / Draw Your Future Boulder (picnic shelter)**
-Invitation to draw a vision for Boulder's future as part of a collaborative mural or an individual drawing
- B. 2030 Headlines – Describing the desired outcomes from the BVCP goals set in this process (picnic shelter & community house)**
-Invitation to write headlines that herald outcomes of the BVCP on stickies to be displayed by category
- C. Kids art projects, sponsored by Growing Up Boulder (picnic shelter)**
- D. BVCP Materials Stations with Posters or Handouts (picnic shelter and Climber's room)**

POSTERS

- 1) Timeline and How to Get involved Over the Year (poster)
 - How to Get Involved – 4x4” cards (handouts)

- 2) What Do We Know about the Boulder Valley?
 - Trends Report summary – where we are now (*poster*)
 - Trends Report – display copies (*4-5 binders*)
 - Fact sheets
 - Fact sheets of 10 subcommunities -- *display copies (10-20 of each, with 40 of Central Area)*
- 3) What Changes Might Happen in the Boulder Valley?
 - Regional and other trends
 - Future Land Use – Current BVCP Land Use Map
 - Projections for Housing and Jobs
 - *With a questions box: corrections, clarifications*
- 4) Coming Soon: Interactive Internet maps
 - *Computer Stations with 3D ESRI mapping*
- 5) Land Use request process station
 - Land Use request and policy request process forms

HANDOUTS, COMMENT FORMS, AND OTHER MATERIALS

- 1 Welcome and What to Expect – *Event checklist (where to find activities and information)*
- 2 A Brief History of the Boulder Valley and the Plan – *1 page hand out or poster*
- 3 What Might be the Focused Topics for the Plan? – *Paper Forms & White board input*
- 4 How to Get Involved – *4x4" cards*

E. Small group discussions (see below)

Presentation – 30 minutes (5:15 and 6:30 p.m.) – In Community House (recorded)

- 1 Welcome – facilitator, City Council and BOCC welcome attendees (5 minutes)
- 2 Poll crowd to see who's here (raise hands – e.g. first time involvement with a comprehensive plan, time living in Boulder)
- 3 Video Debut (6 minutes)
- 4 PowerPoint Slides:
 - Plan update and what to expect and how to get involved
 - Trends
 - Focused Topics
 - How to Get Involved
- 5 Q&A – Focused on Process

Small Group Discussions on Focus of BVCP Update after each Presentation – Picnic Shelter & Climber's Room 5:45 and 7:00 p.m. (30 minutes)

- Group questions, participant recorder, time-keeper
- Discussion questions – in process