



MEMO – City of Flagstaff – Comprehensive Planning

March 8, 2013

To: Flagstaff City Council and Coconino County Board of Supervisors

From: Kimberly Sharp, AICP –Comprehensive Planning Manager

Via: Jim Cronk, Planning Director

Re: Flagstaff Regional Plan: Vision 2030 – *Preparing for public hearings*

Dear Mayor, Council and Supervisors

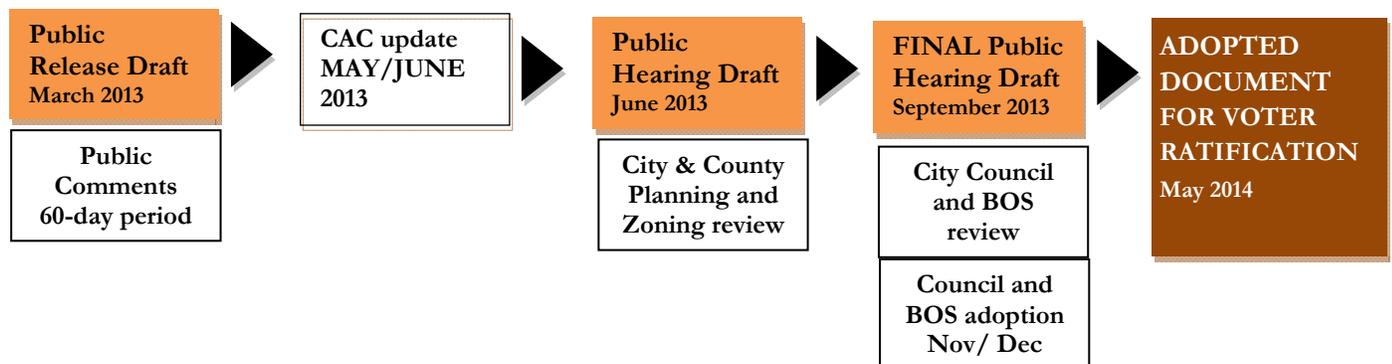
The ***Flagstaff Regional Plan: Vision 2030*** is finally coming to a completion for public release and comment; Planning & Zoning Commission review and recommendation; and subsequently, City Council and County Board of Supervisors adoption.

The ***Flagstaff Regional Plan: Vision 2030*** document addresses:

- Who the plan is for
- Why we plan
- How the Public has been engaged and part of the planning process
- How this plan effects individuals
 - The Regional Plan is used as a POLICY guide, not a rule-book
 - Maps and text work together
 - As a **community vision** that is balanced with political will and financial reality
- How the City and County both implement the plan
- The Amendment process
- How strategies, which are how policies happen and are dynamic, can be updated with the annual report
- The annual report process
- Schedule forward

These will all be addressed in detail at the **Monday, March 11th Joint City/County meeting.**

The Regional Plan will be following this path forward:



There will be a hard copy Flagstaff Regional Plan public release document for each of you by **March 28th**, as well as available on-line: www.flagstaffmatters.com. The following public hearing schedule will be reviewed in detail on March 11th.

March 11	Joint City Council / Board of Supervisor Presentations
March 28	Public Release EVENT: Thursday – City Hall Lobby
April 12	Joint Public Official Introduction Meeting City P&Z, County P&Z, City Council and County BOS: Friday, Aquaplex
June	CAC updates document with public comments and legal review
July / August	City P&Z hearing #1 and #2; recommendation to Council
September	County P&Z hearing and recommendation to BOS
<u>Proposed City Council and BOS review- 2013</u>	
** Regional Plan University classes – for City and County P&Z, Councilmembers and Supervisors:	
June 6 - Thursday	
June 13 - Thursday	
June 20 - Thursday	
June 27 - Thursday	
July 11 - Thursday	
July 18 - Thursday	
September - November	Weekly / bi-weekly Council discussions
September 9	Joint City Council / BOS meeting – review public and P&Z changes
November 18	Joint City Council / BOS meeting – Public Hearing #1
November/ December	Board of Supervisors Hearing #2 and adoption
December 3	City Council Public Hearing #2
December 17	Adoption & call for election
May 20, 2014	General Election – mail-in ballot for General Plan

Once again, thank you for your time and I look forward to your comments.

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