



# OUR GENERAL PLAN IS UNDERWAY & WE WANT YOU TO GET INVOLVED!

## WHAT IS A GENERAL PLAN?

The General Plan is American Canyon’s long-term blueprint for development of the City. The Plan represents our community’s view of its future and expresses the long-term growth and development goals. It addresses issues that impact the entire City, such as how land is used; where buildings are built; the locations of roads, schools, and parks; safety; noise; and much more. The Plan includes the implementation of both one-time projects and on-going programs. The General Plan contains the goals and policies upon which the City Council and Planning Commission will base their land use decisions.

## WHY IS THE CITY UPDATING ITS PLAN?

The City’s current General Plan is more than 20-years-old. Since incorporation in 1992, the City’s population has grown from approximately 8,300 to nearly 21,000. In addition, the City has undergone significant changes which include the development of La Vigne, Vintage Ranch, numerous residential neighborhoods on the west side, American Canyon Middle School and High School, hotels, shopping centers on Broadway, and a logistics hub for the wine industry. The City’s current General Plan has served us well, but our updated Plan will provide direction to balance a high quality-of-life with improved economic and fiscal conditions for the next 20 years.

## GET INVOLVED AND SHARE YOUR VISION! HERE’S HOW...



We are assembling an Education Element Advisory Committee (EEAC) to provide recommendations for educational programs and facilities that align with the community vision and promote a culture of life-long learning.

The EEAC will consist of 18 to 20 community members who will be appointed by the City Council at their December 3, 2019 meeting. The EEAC is expected to meet for six (+\-) sessions between January through December 2020 at City Hall. The meetings will likely take place in the evening and last two to three hours. Participation by members appointed to the EEAC is temporary; the roles and responsibilities of its members will terminate with City Council adoption of the General Plan.

The City invites residents interested in participating as a EEAC member to apply by 5pm on Thursday, October 31, 2019. Applications are available at the City Clerk’s Office at City Hall or online at [www.cityofamericancanyon.org/generalplan](http://www.cityofamericancanyon.org/generalplan). For more information or assistance, contact the City Clerk by calling (707) 647-5337.

## STAY UPDATED ON OUR GENERAL PLAN PROGRESS

We encourage you to stay updated on our General Plan Progress! We’ll be posting additional opportunities to participate on our website, City Manager email updates, and on our Facebook page. Connect with us to stay in the loop!



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