

Sustainability



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Sustainability:

Meeting the needs of current and future generations and advancing environmental conservation, economic prosperity, and a high quality of life for all.



As we plan for the future of Redmond and update the Redmond Comprehensive Plan, one of the main themes is Sustainability.

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Intent

- Enhancing green space, tree canopy, habitat and water quality, biological condition of streams, and natural drainage systems.
- Increasing waste diversion and promoting more sustainable consumption practices.
- Reducing greenhouse gas emissions, creating a climate resilient community, and leading by example.
- Building economic prosperity.
- Equitably distributing the benefits of sustainability and addressing historical impacts to create conditions for all people to achieve their full potential.
- Harnessing the power of information and communications technology in service to sustainability objectives.



Toolkit for Reviewing Comprehensive Plan Elements and Policies

Staff will review each chapter and policy in the Comprehensive Plan and all new proposed policies to ensure that we are supporting the implementation of this theme. The review will focus on:

- Does this policy support a reduce pollutants and promote responsible resource consumption?
- Does this policy enhance Redmond's biodiversity or natural habitats?
- Will this policy provide ecosystem services or mitigate impacts to the environment?
- Does this policy support an equitable and healthy community?
- Does this policy engage historically marginalized communities?
- Does the policy support the City of Redmond's economic vitality goals?



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