

Climate change and energy – Policy questions

- A. What types of policies are needed to help the City, households and businesses offset and reduce emissions from electricity and gas, improve access to low carbon transportation options, and encourage energy efficient development?
- B. How can we better prepare (“harden”) our utility and transportation infrastructure (water, sewer, electricity, transit, streets, etc.) to improve resiliency in the face of climate change and the increased likelihood of natural disasters such as flooding, fires, and earthquakes?
- C. How do we balance climate change adaptation and continue to support and encourage economic development growth?

Hazards – Policy questions

- A. What types of policies are needed to address increased threats from wildfires and the Cascadia earthquake event, especially for vulnerable populations (older, lower-income, non-English speaking, etc.)?
- B. Should policies or regulations limit or preclude locating certain types of facilities (e.g., schools, medical facilities, housing for vulnerable populations, etc.) within areas with high potential flood, wild fire, or seismic risks?
- C. Should the Comprehensive Plan encourage green infrastructure (rain gardens, bioswales, urban tree canopy, etc) as a flood and landslide hazard prevention strategy?

Climate change, energy and hazards – Community engagement questions

1. Do you agree the Comprehensive Plan should encourage green infrastructure around the city as a flood and landslide hazard prevention strategy?
 - Strongly agree
 - Somewhat agree
 - Somewhat disagree
 - Strongly disagree
 - Not sure/Don't know

2. Why or why not?

3. The Comprehensive Plan regulates development in zones susceptible to flooding, landslide or earthquake damage. To protect those lands, should we allow development intensity to increase in other locations?
 - Strongly agree
 - Somewhat agree
 - Somewhat disagree
 - Strongly disagree
 - Not sure/Don't know

4. Why or why not?

5. Among other benefits, trees help reduce stormwater runoff and the heat island effect. Should the City develop policies that call for protecting and increasing tree canopy on private property?
 - Strongly agree
 - Somewhat agree
 - Somewhat disagree
 - Strongly disagree
 - Not sure/Don't know

6. What type of support from the City would help you prepare for natural hazards?

7. What type of support from the City would help you take action to reduce your carbon emissions, fossil fuel energy use and environmental impact?

8. Do you and your family have a plan in the case of a natural disaster such as a flood or an earthquake?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
 - c. Not sure

9. What else should Milwaukie be thinking about to address the greater needs of vulnerable populations in natural hazard and climate change planning?

Parks, recreation and Willamette Greenway - Policy and engagement questions

Parks and recreation – Policy questions

- A. How should parks planning adapt to current demographic trends, including the aging population, and increasing ethnic and racial diversity?
- B. Should land use regulations for parks be modified to streamline and simplify the approval process? Considerations may include divorcing park facility master plans from the Comprehensive Plan; applying a new parks and open space zoning district (which has already been done for portions of the downtown area); and removing the requirement for Community Service Use review.
- C. Should the City plan for parks and recreation under existing funding sources (levy rates), or propose increased funding to expand opportunities?

Willamette Greenway – Policy questions

- A. How should Milwaukie address issues related to the current Willamette Greenway boundary? Should the City develop a new compatibility/conditional use review boundary? If the latter, should policies specifically focus on properties that are within 150 feet of the river?
- B. Should development of a Greenway Design Plan remain a policy item in the updated Comprehensive Plan? If it were kept as a policy, what would be the intent of the Greenway Design Plan? What would it address?
- C. How should Milwaukie regulate view corridors in the Willamette Greenway? Potential approaches include only addressing views from public viewpoints such as parks and road ends.

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Parks, recreation and Willamette Greenway – Community engagement questions

1. Where do you or your family recreate in the City of Milwaukie? Select all that apply.
 - At a city park
 - At a local North Clackamas School District school outside of school hours
 - At a local private or charter school outside of school hours
 - At a place of worship in Milwaukie
 - At an indoor community or recreation center (e.g. the Milwaukie Center, the Wichita Center)
 - Somewhere else: _____
 - I do not recreate in Milwaukie
2. What types of amenities do you feel are missing at Milwaukie's parks? Please rank the top three amenities you would like to see increased.
 - Play equipment for young children (6 years and younger)
 - Play equipment for children between 6 and 13
 - Recreation space for teenagers
 - Off-leash dog areas - Covered, open air areas
 - Walking trails - Sports courts and fields
 - Picnic areas - Other: _____
3. Would you be interested in having a community garden or edible landscape project in the city?
 - Strongly interested
 - Somewhat interested
 - Not very interested
 - Not at all interested
 - Don't know/not sure
4. Thinking ahead for the next 20 years, what should the City prioritize as it plans improvements to Milwaukie's park and recreation areas? (Select your top two priorities).
 - Finishing unbuilt parks
 - Providing more programs at Milwaukie's parks
 - Enhance/restore natural areas
 - Improve bicycle and pedestrian connections to park and recreation areas
 - Other: _____
5. NCPRD has faced significant parks funding challenges, and without finding new sources for funding, the District will have difficulty maintaining the current level of service or supporting new park growth. Given this, would you support paying money through a levy or tax to support park development? (pick one)
 - Strongly support
 - Somewhat support
 - Would not support
 - Unsure/don't know
6. What do you value about the Willamette Greenway? Please rank your top three values.
 - Views of the river
 - Access to water recreation (e.g. boating, swimming, fishing)
 - Access to recreation spaces on the shore (e.g. Milwaukie Bay Park)
 - Trails along the river
 - Protection of habitat and natural areas
 - Historical value
 - Other: _____
7. Are there specific viewpoints of Milwaukie's waterfront that should be protected? If yes, please indicate which views in particular.
 - Yes, specifically views from: _____
 - No, I do not believe there are specific views that should be protected
 - Unsure/don't know
8. Thinking ahead for the next 20 years, what should the City consider as it plans for the future of the Willamette Greenway? (limit 150 words)