

# WELCOME

## STOP TWO PROCESSING RESULTS

The consultants worked with staff and the Advisory Group to further develop and refine the ideas generated during the workshop. The Advisory Group provided clarification and context information, and acted as representatives for the community at large.

The consultant team synthesized key ideas from the workshop in the form of sketches, plans, and diagrams. Review the materials and give us your feedback!

## NEXT STEPS

Following this open house, a **final report** summarizing the overall process and findings will be prepared and made available online.

The report and the outputs of the whole process, will be used by staff to inform the update of the OCP. We'll be asking for more input throughout this year.

## VISION AND GOALS

As a next step, the results will be used to create a draft vision and goals for each of the policy areas included in the Official Community Plan. This will include goals on housing, parks and open space, arts and culture, heritage, etc.

The draft vision and goals will be presented to Council, Council's committees, the public, and other agencies for review. Once they have been endorsed the next step will be to prepare policies and land use scenarios.

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YOU ARE HERE!

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The purpose of this open house is to share the outcomes of the Neighbourhood Visioning Process. **Tell us what you think by adding a post-it note with your comments to any of the map, image or board!**

The OUR CITY Neighbourhood Visioning Process is an opportunity for the community, Council and City staff to start a conversation about the future of the city.

No decisions are being made today but participants' ideas will be used to help shape the Official Community Plan (OCP). This process will be developed over the next year and half with your input along the way.

The OCP is the policy document that sets out the vision, goals and policies for the future of New Westminster. The updated OCP will provide a renewed vision for New Westminster, and the regulatory framework to guide growth toward that vision.

## ASK AN ADVISORY GROUP MEMBER!

Advisory Group members are community members appointed by Council. They have been involved in every step of the process. They are here to answer questions and help gather feedback. They are wearing name tags.

## STOP ONE

### WHERE WE STARTED: LOVE OUR CITY WORKSHOP

The City hosted a public workshop on February 14 where more than 150 community members shared their ideas about the future of OUR CITY through the exploration of three themes:

- Loving Your Neighbourhood
- A Growing City
- Big Moves Towards a Great City

All of the maps created and comments and ideas received at the event are posted for your review. There are also boards summarizing some of the key messages. Grab a post-it note and add your comments. Do you agree? Was something missed? Do you have a big idea to share?

