

What is a Master Plan?

A Master Plan is all of the numbered items working together. Planners need a Master Plan document and city planning principles to create a city that is functional and sustainable well into the future.



1
Guide for City Leaders to decide “what goes where”



3
Reflects the needs and balances the wants of residents, businesses, property owners, and other stakeholders.



What is city planning?

City planning is used in tandem with a Master Plan. Planning helps guide city growth, influence policy decisions, ensure a successful future, and is critical for sustainable growth.



2
Is used by City Staff to make policy decisions about transportation, parks, utilities, economic development, land use, etc.



4
Policy document that provides a “roadmap for the best path from a known present into an unknown future”

