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Community Representation Framework Update Report

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Background

Council approved the program in June 2016

1. Approve the formation of the Community Representation Framework Task Force, and
2. Adopt the Community Representation Framework Task Force Terms of Reference.



Task force input

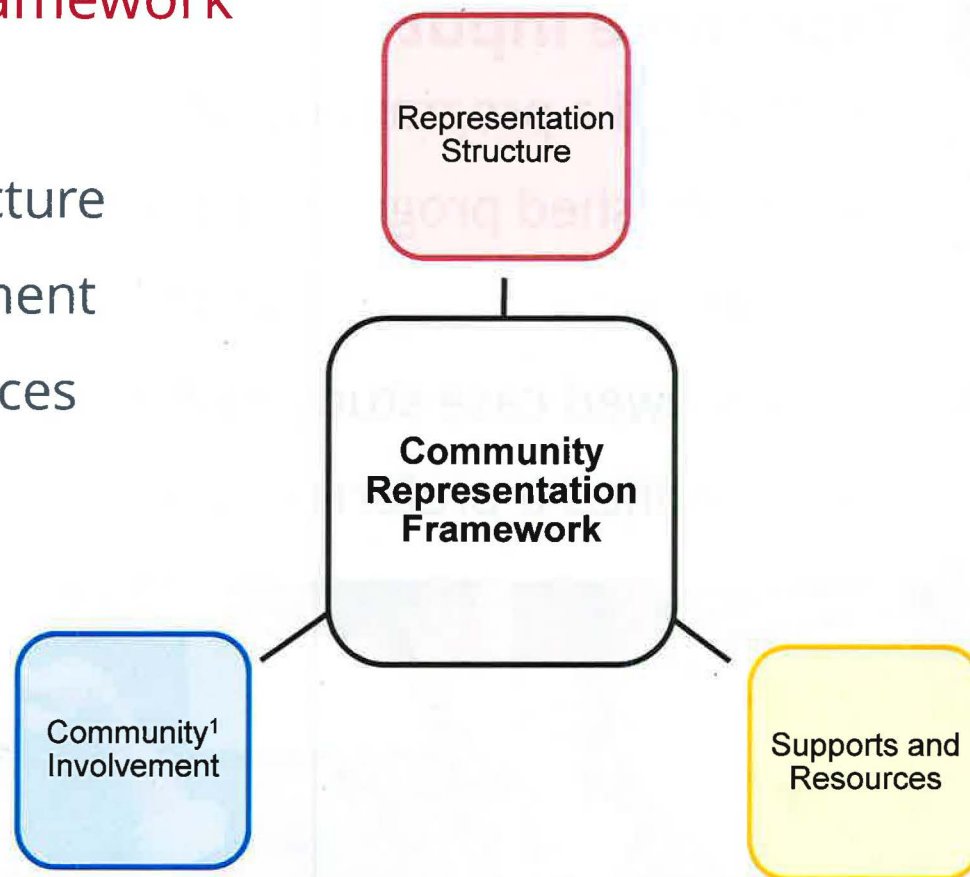
- Drafted a program vision
- Established program scope
- Clarified areas of focus and evaluation criteria
- Reviewed case study materials
- Identified a preferred community representation structure



Three areas of focus

- the foundations of a framework

- Representation structure
- Community involvement
- Supports and resources

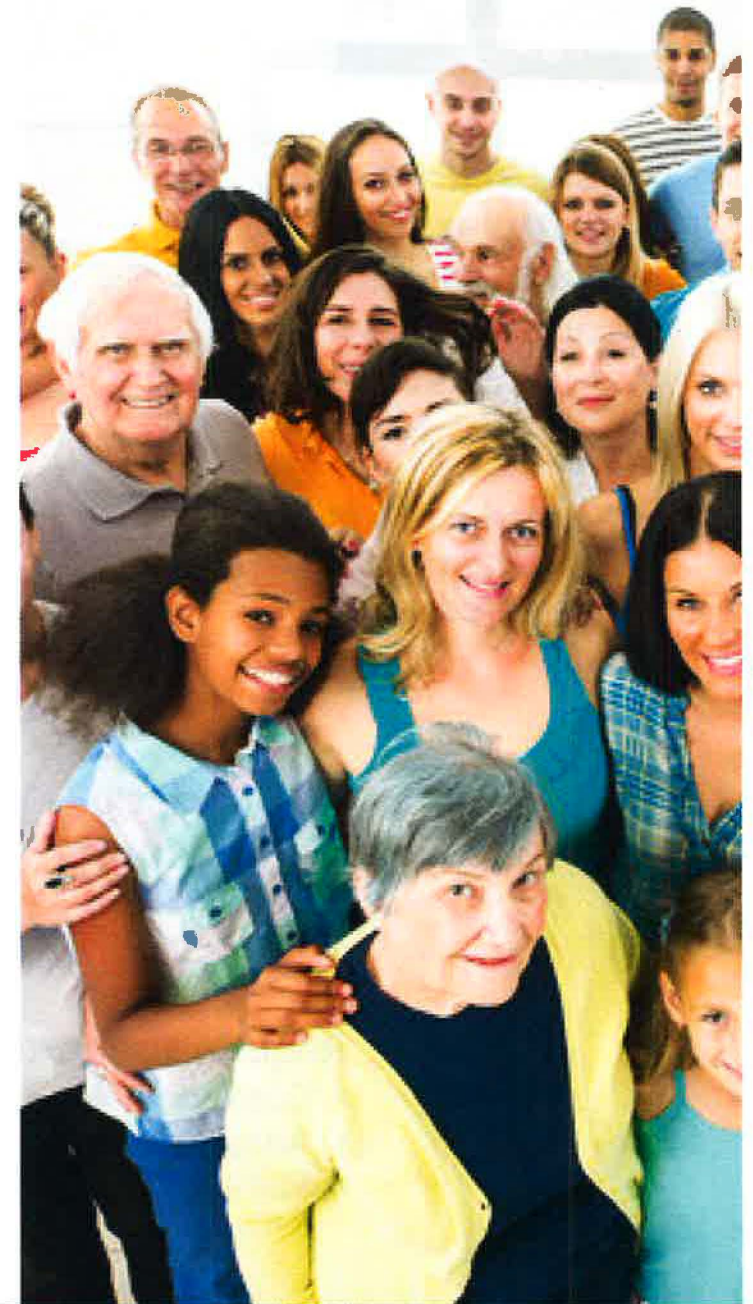




Evaluation criteria

A new approach to community representation should:

- Foster collaboration
- Provide opportunities for greater inclusion and diversity
- Consider volunteer commitment
- Be flexible and scalable
- Be cost efficient



Local area plan, complex land use amendments and community-driven initiatives

- Longer review timelines
- Broad scope of input
- Engagement required



Require supports

- Convener
- Admin support
- Planning support



Simple land use amendments

- Brief review timelines
- Limited scope of input
- No need to engage



Next steps - engagement

Review preferred representation structure and framework with:

- Community organizations and individuals
- Geographic and identity-based groups
- Social service providers
- Business owners
- Development and building representatives



Next steps – align The City's work

City staff will continue developing an implementation workplan

- Identify projects required to achieve the program vision
- Establish timelines for project delivery
- Define key stakeholders
- Align with One Calgary and service line business plans

Administration recommendations

That the SPC on Community and Protective Services recommend that Council direct Administration to:

1. Continue work to establish a new approach to community representation based on the direction of the Community Representation Framework Task Force by engaging with community stakeholders, and
2. Return to Council with a final report on the Community Representation Framework no later than the end of 2018 Q4.