

Envision Eugene



October 2011 Parent News

Envision Eugene is our community process for creating a vision for accommodating our future growth and a plan to get us there. Over the last 18 months, city staff has been working with the community to develop a draft proposal for the future, called *Envision Eugene: A Legacy of Livability*. You can download the proposal at www.envisioneugene.org. Key emphasis is placed on focusing new and redevelopment along major transportation corridors, along with strengthening our existing neighborhoods. Our future community plan will affect housing choice, transportation, and job access for everyone.

As the draft strategies are refined and brought to decision makers this fall, we need feedback from parents like you. Do the recommendations about future housing, jobs, mixed-use development, and public land support your neighborhood and the good of the community at large? This fall, a series of events and meetings are planned to keep people informed on the project progress, and to collect feedback on the emerging recommendations.

Calendar

The October-December Envision Eugene Calendar is now posted on the website. Check back often, as the calendar will be updated as events are added. Multiple meetings and open houses are planned for November and December as we move toward finalizing our land need for jobs, housing, parks and schools.

On-line Open Houses

This fall Envision Eugene will be trying something new. In addition to in-person events, on-line open houses will be available through the [Envision Eugene website](http://www.envisioneugene.org). Starting on November 1st, web visitors will be able to find videos, surveys, and information related to a specific topic, all in one place. Perfect for busy parents! The first on-line open house will cover housing and public land needs, and will run for three weeks. More about the second on-line open house, which will cover industrial land needs and mixed use redevelopment strategies, will be posted in November.

Group Meetings

Planners are available to come to your parent group, school council, or other meeting. To request a planner, contact [Terri Harding](mailto:terri.l.harding@ci.eugene.or.us). We'd be glad to attend your day or evening meeting and talk about Envision Eugene. Presentations can be prepared and given, too. You can find recent presentations on the website, and you can sign up to receive the monthly e-newsletter as well. Thanks for reading!

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2010 Envision Eugene Art Project at Family School

