BAYFRONT ADVISORY COMMISSION

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022





Bayfront Advisory Commission (The BAC)

The mission of the BAC is to review and make recommendations to the City Council regarding public and private projects and issues associated with the Bayfront area, and projects or issues associated with the Bayfront area that the City Council may refer to the Commission.



Communications Committee

The Communications Committee is in tasked with general outreach to the Bayfront community. Examples of such outreach includes: the maintenance of email lists with area civic league representatives and other interested parties, newsletters, etc.





Originally charged with updating the Shore Drive Corridor Guidelines, the current primary role of the Design Committee is to review and make recommendations to the full Commission regarding design issues with development applications.

Executive Committee



The Executive Committee includes the BAC Chair and Vice-Chair. The Committee handles official correspondence with groups outside the Commission, including an annual meeting with the City Council liaisons and City Manager about BAC priorities.

Transportation & Public Safety Committee



Formerly referred to as the Transit, Parking, and Pedestrian Access Committee, this Committee includes a fourth component of safety which has arisen in recent discussions, in addition to the Committee's work on a variety of transportation concerns.



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FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022 (FY22) STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



Focused Effort of Revisions and/or Updates to the Shore Drive Corridor Plan, Guidelines, and Zoning Overlay, including: the Landscape Design of Route 13, the Shore Drive Interchange, and the Chesapeake Bay Bridge Tunnel and its "Gateway" Signage

*Assigned to: Design Committee



Intersection Safety on Side Streets & Shore Drive

*Assigned to: Transportation & Public Safety



Participation in the Comprehensive Plan Process/Suburban Focus Area

*Assigned to: Design Committee



Attracting Non-Residential Development while Making the Bayfront more of a Walking Community

*Assigned to: Transportation & Public Safety



Planning/Development Review



Support of Bay Beaches Sand Replenishment & Dredging

*Assigned to: Executive Committee



Support of the Pedestrian Underpass on the East Side of Lesner Bridge (Waterman's Walk)

*Assigned to: Design Committee



Expedite the Implementation of Construction for Shore Drive Phases III & IV

*Assigned to: Executive Committee



Stormwater Management & Community Readiness

*Assigned to: Design Committee

Capital Improvement Projects



KEY PLAN CREATION MILESTONES & DATES

FY22 STRATEGIC PLANNING SESSION SEPTEMBER 16, 2021

FY22 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES SURVEY NOVEMBER 10, 2021

FY22 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES PLAN (DRAFT) NOVEMBER 10, 2021

BAC REVIEW OF PLAN (DRAFT) NOVEMBER 12, 2021

BAC ADOPTION OF PLAN DRAFT & ASSIGNMENTS NOVEMBER 18, 2021



ALIGNMENT WITH OTHER PRIORITIES CONSIDERED

- Active Transportation Plan (2020) Implementation for Shore Drive Area
- HRT Route 35 Trolley
- Support Sea Level Wise Initiatives
- Great Neck Road Pedestrian Underpass
- E-Scooter/Micro-Mobility Regulations

Planning/ Development Review



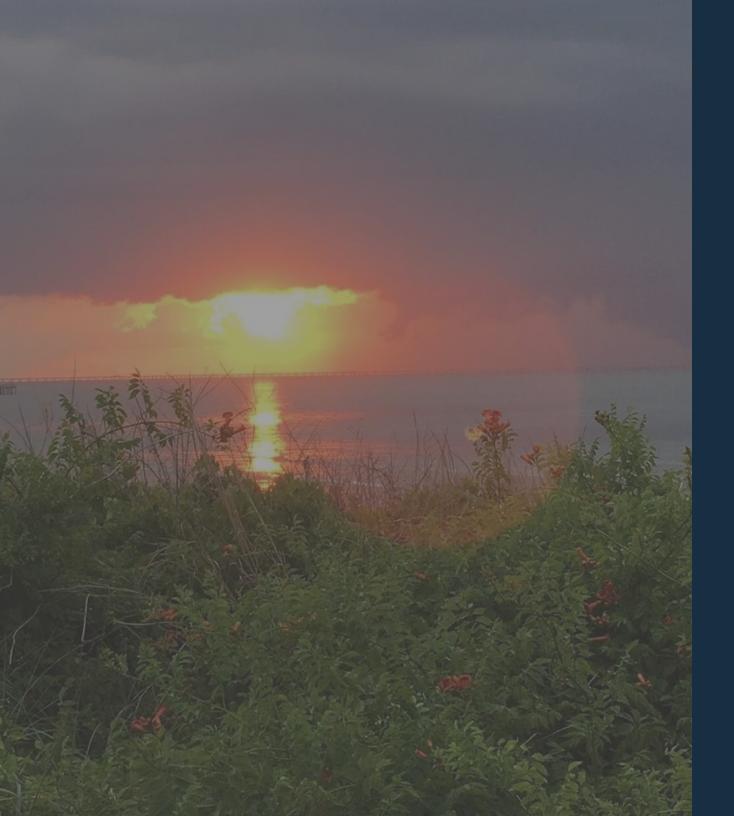
- Eastern Shore Drainage Projects
- Pleasure House Road Phases I & II
- Lynnhaven Inlet Maintenance Dredging
- Pleasure House Point Mitigation
- Virginia Natural Gas/Oceanfront Improvement Project
- Lynnhaven Inlet Jetty

Capital Improvement Projects



- Public Safety
- Suicide Awareness (Including Military Community)

Other Concerns





City of Virginia Beach
Office of Performance and Accountability