

Staff Analysis

Recommendations of the Citizen Committee for Implementing the Strategic Framework

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Summary of Issue

On June 1, 2017, the City Commission unanimously accepted the recommendations of the Citizen Committee for Implementing the Strategic Framework following the Committee's more than 12 weeks of work to identify 11 big ideas.

The Commission requested staff provide an analysis of the Citizen Committee's recommendations and facilitate a discussion via the General Policy Committee.

History/Background Information

On December 15, 2016, the City Commission adopted the Strategic Plan Framework, a lasting blueprint to guide us towards our best Gainesville, a New American City. Vital to successful implementation of the Framework is the continued engagement of citizens and community stakeholders.

On February 16, 2017, the Commission adopted a Resolution establishing a citizen advisory committee to assess and prioritize the community's more than 450 big ideas generated during the Gainesville Creative Series over several months throughout 2016 and early 2017. The Committee consisted of 14 citizen members appointed by the Commission, participated in 9 staff-facilitated workshops, and worked diligently over 12 weeks to identify 11 big ideas which would further support implementing the Strategic Plan Framework.

Staff Recommendation

Receive a presentation of the staff analysis.

Attachments/References

- I. Staff Analysis
- II. Big Idea Recommendations of the Citizen Committee for Implementing the Strategic Framework
- III. Presentation