

YOUTH COMMISSION

April 24, 2023
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER & ORDERS OF THE DAY

A. ROLL CALL

II. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. APPROVE APRIL 24, 2023, AGENDA

B. APPROVE MARCH 27, 2023, MEETING MINUTES

C. APPROVE MARCH 27, 2023, ATTENDANCE RECORD

III. PUBLIC RECORD

IV. OPEN FORUM

(2 MINUTES OF SPEAKING TIME IS AVAILABLE)

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V. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

**A. INFORMATIONAL:
CHILDREN AND YOUTH
SERVICES MASTER PLAN
(L. BUZO)**



CITY OF
SAN JOSE
CAPITAL OF SILICON VALLEY

CITY OF SAN JOSÉ CITY INITIATIVES ROADMAP: CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES MASTER PLAN

YOUTH COMMISSION
April 24, 2023

The City Manager's Office:
Angel Rios Jr., Deputy City Manager
Laura Buzo, Assistant to the City Manager

Background

Mayor's June 2021
Budget Message

Joint Special Meetings on
City of San José and the
County of Santa Clara

Bill of Rights for Children
and Youth, and Audit
Report

Education and Digital
Literacy Strategy

Youth
Empowerment
Alliance Strategic
Plan

REIA: Racial Equity Impact
Analysis

City Council's approval of
the spending plan for
\$10.5M of ARP
(American Rescue Plan)
Funds

San José Education
Initiative (Education Policy
0-30)

COVID-19 Recovery Task
Force (Recovery Task
Force)

Overarching Goals and Vision

OVERARCHING GOALS

Create and expand pathways and supports from cradle to career for all San José children and youth/young adults (birth through age 24).



VISION

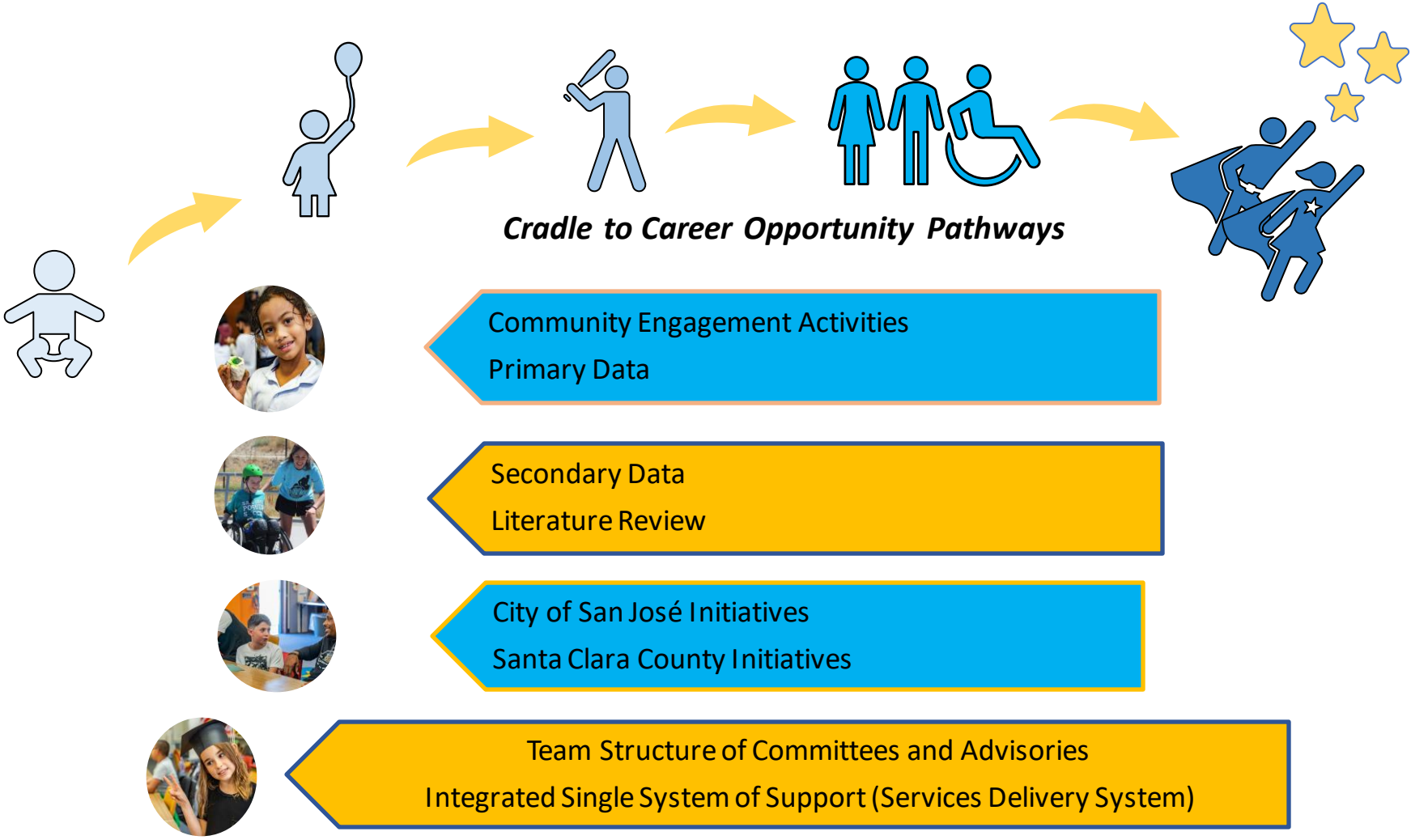
All children and youth/young adults, particularly those most vulnerable, have increased opportunities to gain 21st century skills that lead to better health outcomes, sustainable employment, and a competitive living wage so that they can live and thrive in this community.



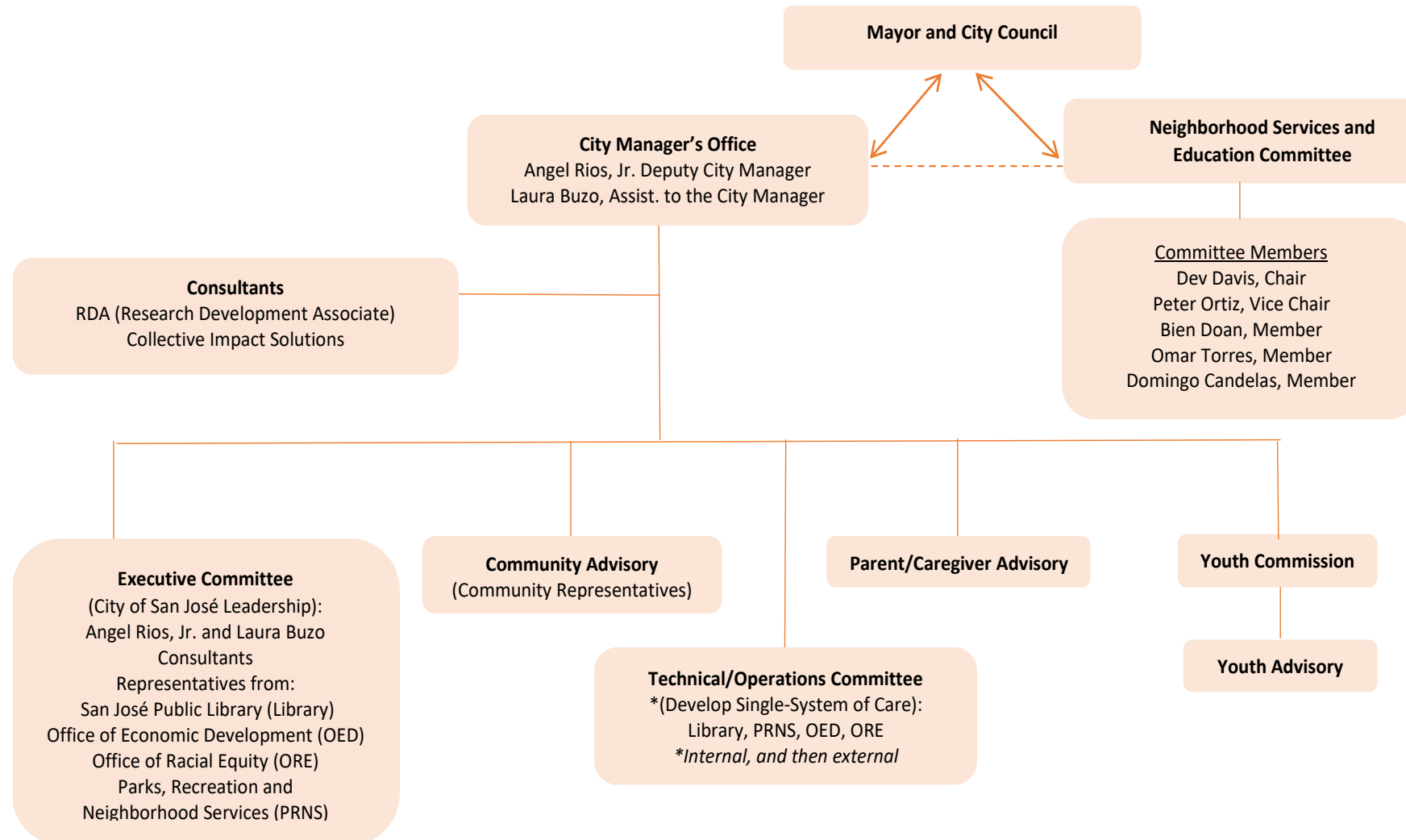
Strategic Framework and Approach



Key Highlights and Milestones



Teaming Structure



Community Engagement

- **Executive Committee and Community Advisory Meetings:**
 - Executive Committee meetings 8/31/22 - 10/26/22
 - Community Advisory meetings 9/2/22 - 11/4/22
- **Brainstorming Sessions:**

September 26, 2022 - October 3, 2022

 - Community Advisory
 - Executive Committee
 - Youth Commission
- **Youth Commission**

September 2022 – June 2023

 - Monthly Youth Commission Meetings
- **Community Conversations**
 - Focus Groups, Presentations, Community Stakeholder Meetings
 - 700+ Participants
- **Across City Departments**

April 2022 – Present

 - Integrated Service Delivery, "No-Wrong Door Entry"
- **Citywide Youth and Parent/Caregiver Survey**
 - 1,950+ response online and paper
- **Community Stakeholder Meeting**

Tues. Feb 7, 2023, 9am – 3pm, 70 attendees



Emerging Community Themes



Mental Wellness
and Belonging



Childcare



Built Environment



Career Readiness, Development,
and Opportunity



Housing

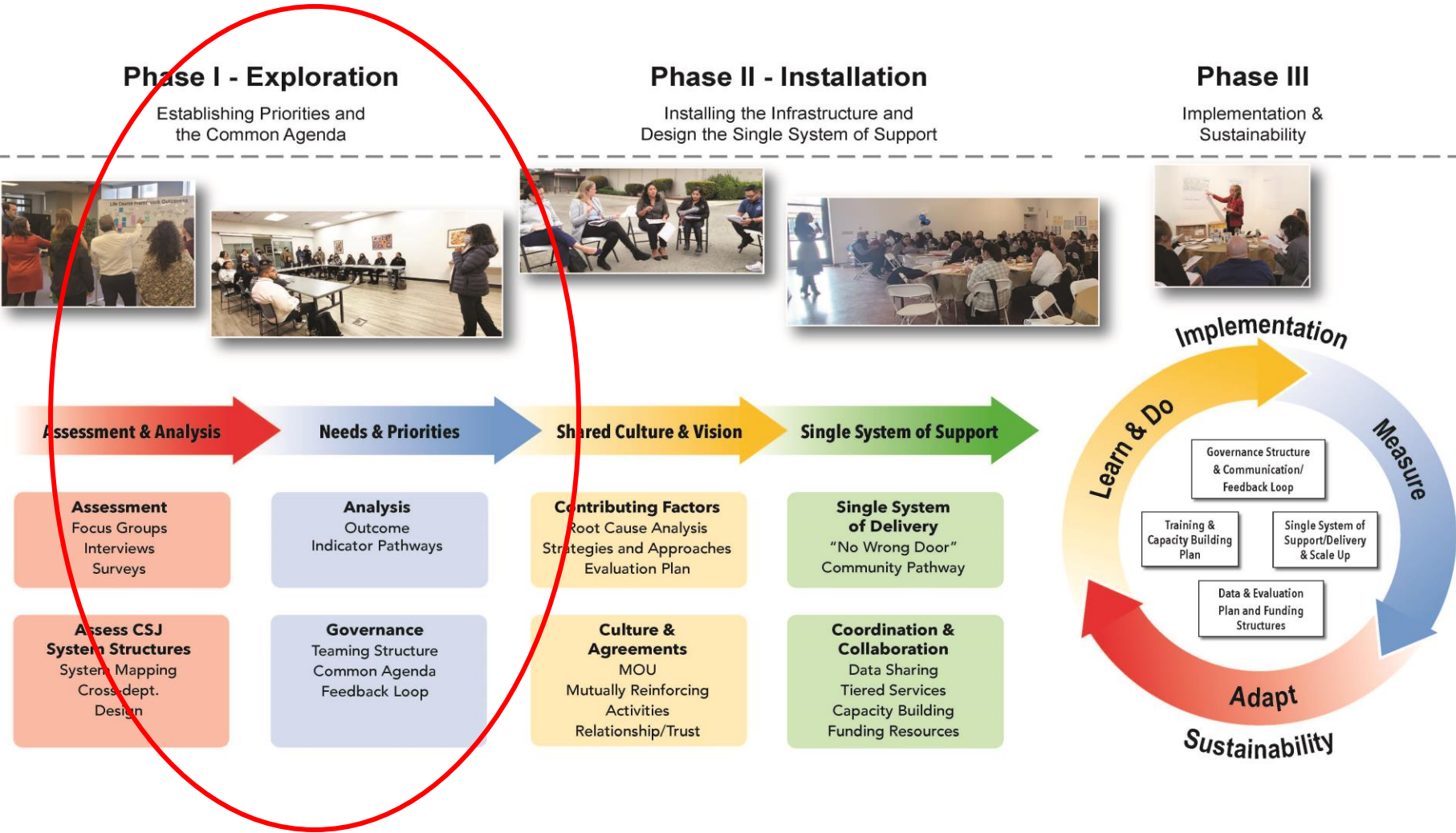


Education

Integrated Service Delivery System



Integrated Service Delivery System



Next Steps

**Children and Youth
Services Master Plan**

Opportunity Pathway Goals

Objectives

Key Results/
Performance Measures

Evaluation Tools and Reporting





THANK YOU!



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Consultants

Collective Impact Solutions

Research Development Associates



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**B. ACTION: IMPLEMENTING
IN-PAVEMENT FLASHING
LIGHTS
(COMMISSIONER HOANG)**

C. ACTION: ENDING PERIOD
POVERTY
(COMMISSIONER KHAN)
(DEFERRED)

**D. ACTION: HAZARDOUS
WASTE PICK-UP SYSTEM
(COMMISSIONER KHAN)
*(DEFERRED)***

**E. ACTION: DISTRICT 5 YAC
TRANSITIONS CONFERENCE.
(COMMISSIONER LIEU)**

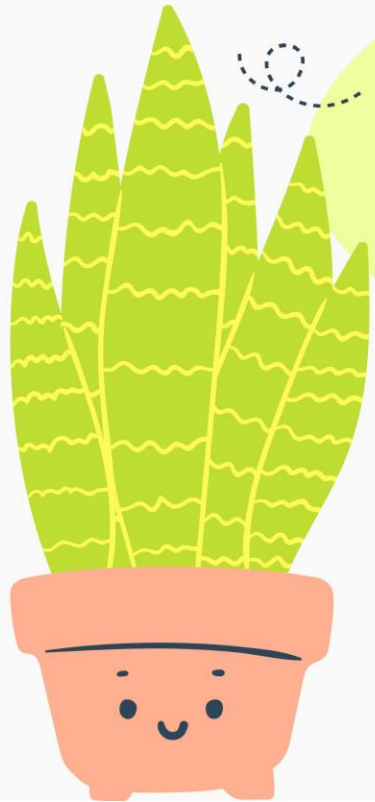
**F. ACTION: DEVELOPMENT
OF URBAN GREEN SPACES
(N. MADCARENHAS)**

An illustration of a farmer wearing a yellow hat, glasses, a green long-sleeved shirt, and dark blue overalls. He is holding a green hose and watering three yellow pots containing green plants. In the background, there are colorful houses (yellow, orange, and red) on a green hill under a light blue sky with clouds. The text "DIOYLC Memorandum Proposal" is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font across the middle of the image.

DIOYLC Memorandum Proposal



**Development of
Urban Green Spaces
(UGS)**



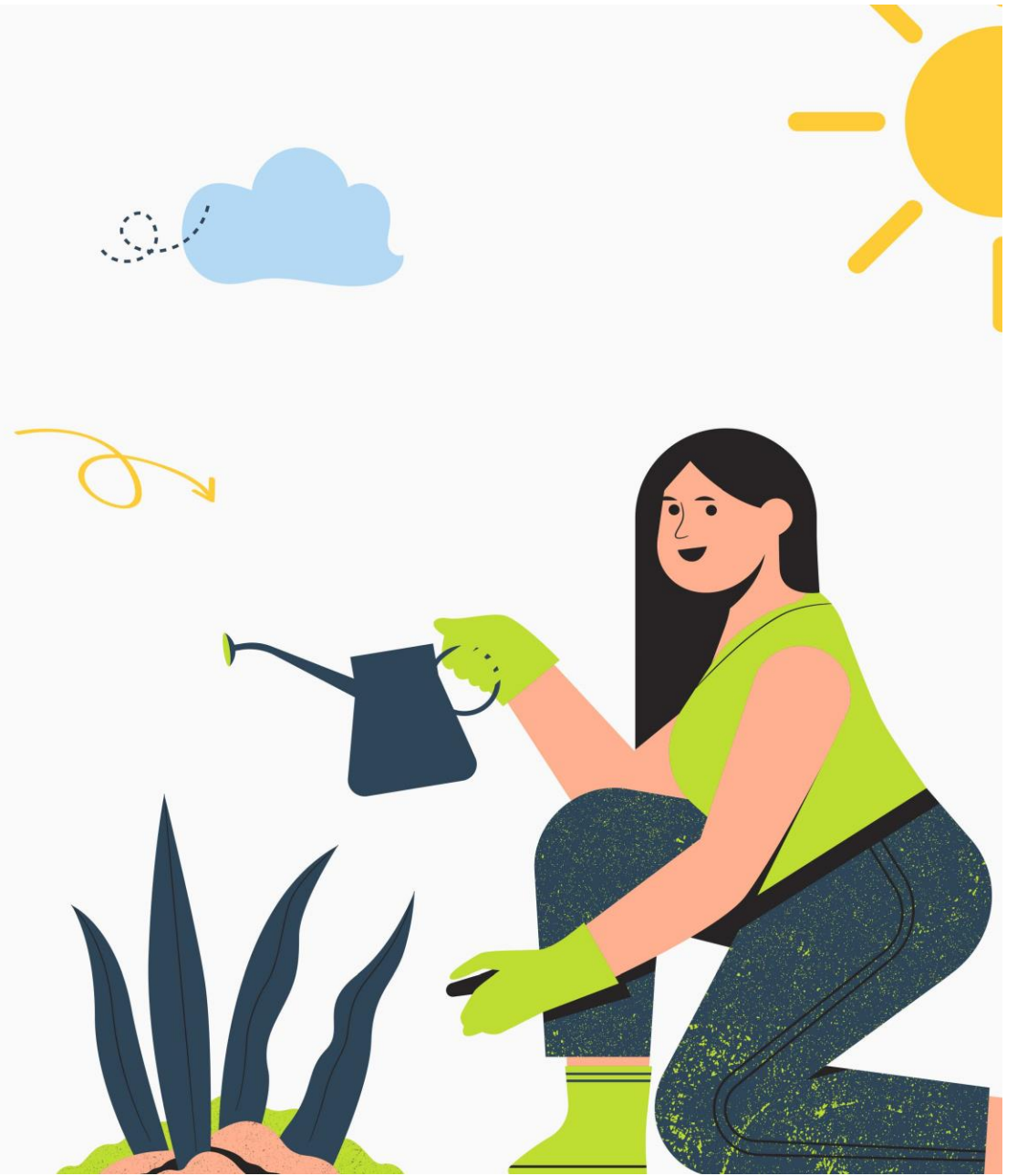


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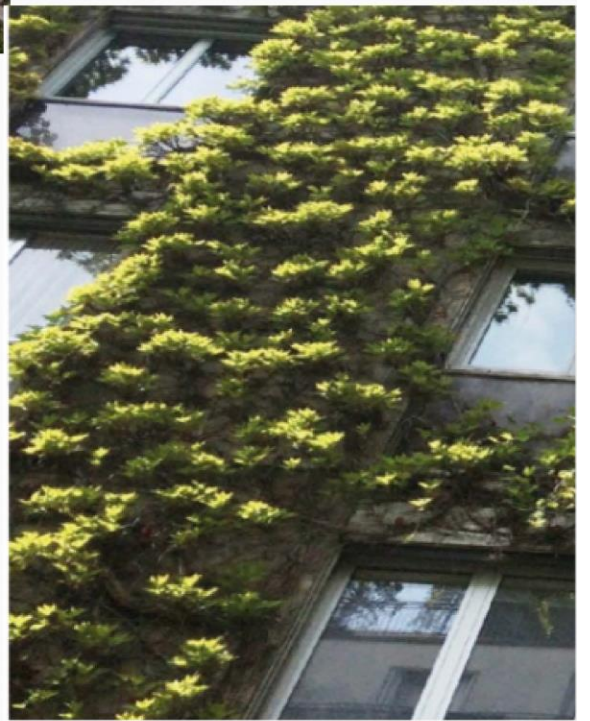
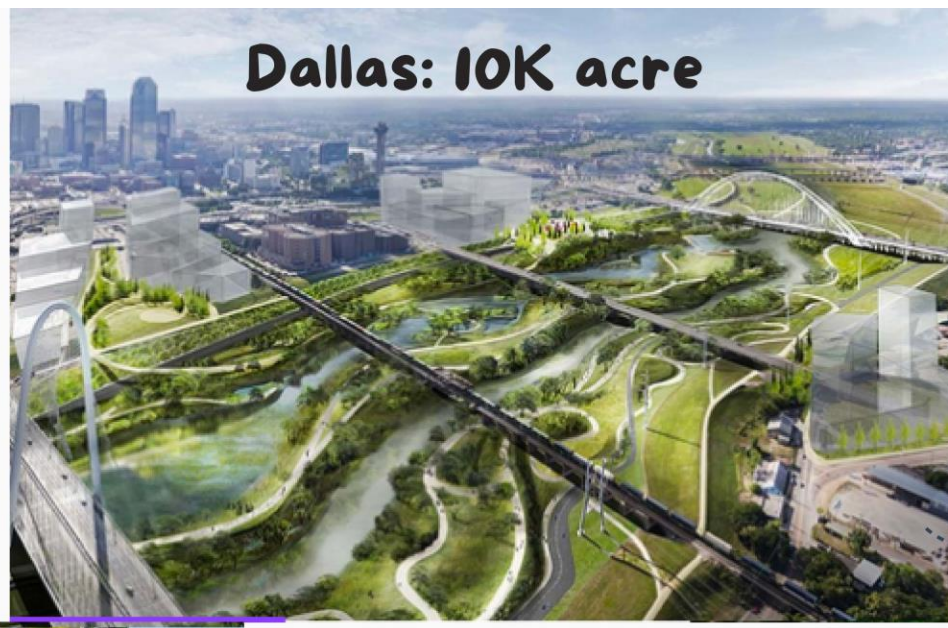
- 58% of San Jose's urbanized area is covered with buildings, asphalt, or concrete and only 15.4% is covered by trees or greenery
- The city has a goal to reach 20% green coverage by 2051, it could drop below 10% by 2030 at the current pace

Recommendation

- Urban Green Spaces should be implemented into the San Jose community at different scales in both private and public spaces
- Long-term vision that should be integrated into master plans + infrastructural projects like housing, transport, business, community and health facilities
- UGS Standards should be included in the San Jose Planning and Building divisions and track progress as a part of the Climate Smart Data Dashboard



Examples



Conclusion

- Urban Green Spaces will reduce heat absorbing surfaces and reducing harmful air pollutants, thus, maintaining San Jose city temperatures and decreasing carbon footprint
- Green Spaces will not increase the aesthetic values of the city + attract visitors and investors
- Urban Green Spaces promotes healthy living and well-being by building an emotional and spiritual connection between nature and people





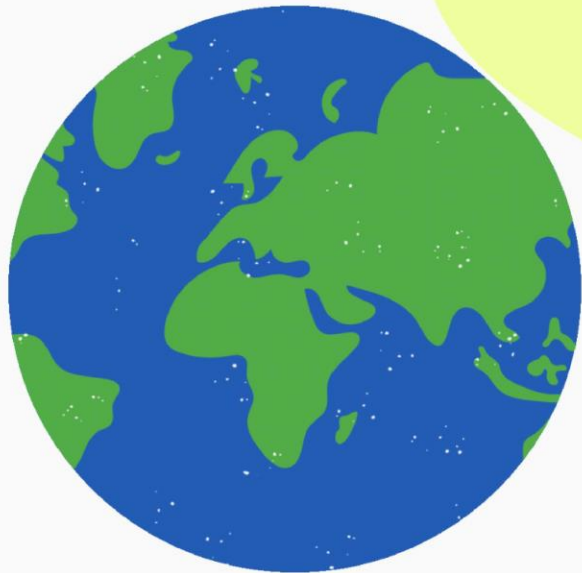
Q&A

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**G. ACTION: GREEN SKILLS
EDUCATION PROGRAM
(N. MADCARENHAS)**

Green Skills Education Program



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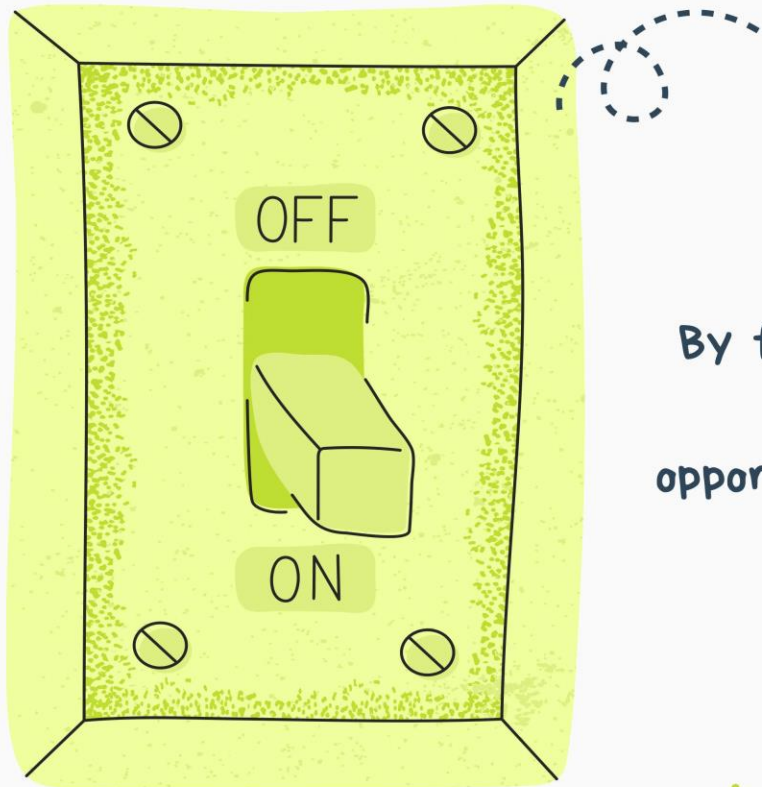
- Green jobs grew at an annual rate of 8% between 2015 and 2021, while the talent pool grew at only 6%
- For every 10,000 workers leaving a not-green job, only 1 is moving into a green job.
- 5 years' time green skills will outpace the supply
- Bay area is the world's green economy hotspot
 - 26% of the businesses in California contributing to a growing green economy
 - >75,000 jobs accounting for 28% of all green jobs in the state.



Recommendation



- Up-skill the existing workforce with sustainability-focused skills focusing on upskilling existing workforce and the unemployed
- Create a strong foundation by tapping into younger generations as key partners
- San Jose Economic and workforce department can help build training programs
 - Local colleges
 - Youth-focused
 - Low income families



Conclusion

By focusing on these top green skills, San Jose city can increase green talent, provide more employment opportunities, and help the underprivileged and homeless





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H. ACTION: SAN JOSE
CITYWIDE RESTORING
CALIFORNIA NATIVE OAKS
(COMMISSIONER
JANAPATY)
(DEFERRED)

VI. REPORTS AND INFORMATION ONLY

A. COUNCIL LIAISON'S ANNOUNCEMENTS(A. DERSH)

B. PRNS REPORT (N. GEORGOFF)

C. SAN JOSÉ LIBRARY REPORT (M. ORNAT)

D. COMMISSION CHAIR REPORT (CHAIR CHEN)

E. COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS PER CITY DISTRICT
2 MINUTES EACH

**E. COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS PER CITY DISTRICT
(2 MINUTES EACH)**

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VII. ITEMS FOR FUTURE COMMISSION MEETING AGENDAS

VIII. MEETING SCHEDULE AND AGENDA ITEM

THE NEXT REGULAR YOUTH
COMMISSION MEETING WILL BE IN-
PERSON ON MONDAY, MAY 22, 2023,
AT 6:30 P.M.

IX. ADJOURNMENT