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Division of Planning & Development (DPD) coordinates long-range planning activities for the City of Memphis through its Comprehensive Planning department. The Comprehensive Planning department's functions include plan implementation, community engagement, plan compliance, small area planning, and neighborhood data resource management.



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INTRODUCTION

The 2022 Memphis 3.0 Annual Report highlights activities initiated and completed during 2022 that facilitate implementation of the Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan and reflect the values, principles, and recommendations of the Plan.

Three years ago, Memphis 3.0 was adopted as the first comprehensive plan since 1981. Since, Division of Planning and Development (DPD) and its partners have focused on plan implementation, consistently referring back to the plan to understand how it could have the type of positive impact on community that residents across Memphis believed it could. Just three years later, implementation can be seen through Accelerate Memphis public investments in communities across the city, clearer development standards through updates to the Unified Development Code, and capturing the community's voice through plan consistency reviews on projects submitted. These successes earned Memphis 3.0 the award for Outstanding Plan Implementation from the Tennessee Chapter of American Planning Association in 2022.

DPD is honored for the recognition Memphis 3.0 has attained and acknowledges continuous support from other departments, agencies, community organizations, non-profits, private institutions, and individuals. By continuing to direct growth "up, not out," and working towards reversing our pattern of sprawl, DPD is determined to keep pursuing the Plan's intended goals, objectives, and actions.

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PLAN OVERVIEW

Memphis 3.0, the City's first comprehensive plan since 1981, brings forth a vision and strategic plan to support growth and reinvestment into the core city and other neighborhoods. The inception of the planning process involved a robust, multi-phase community engagement strategy engaging over 15,000 Memphians. Redeveloping and investing in and around community anchors was the strategy focus, and the Plan consists of eight goals organized by three guiding values — Memphis is a city that values land as an asset, Memphis is a city of connected communities, Memphis is a city of equity and opportunity. Objectives and measurable actions are assigned throughout 14 districts and 114 anchors.

The **Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan** was adopted by the Memphis & Shelby County Land Use Control Board and the Memphis City Council in 2019.

The Plan is divided into four distinct parts that synthesize findings and recommendations.

Part One: Our Third Century

summarizes the two-year planning process with details on community engagement and outreach and discussions on past, present, and future projections needed for future growth.

Part Two: Our Framework

for Change presents the plan's theory of change: concentration of density and investment focused in the core and neighborhood anchor areas. The land use framework and street typology guides future decisions on land use and transportation.

Part Three: Plan Elements

includes the major elements to guide public decision-making, which are comprised of the three elements – Land, Connectivity, and Opportunity. It encompasses citywide goals, objectives, and recommended actions supporting the Build Up, Not Out vision.

Part Four: District Priorities

shares the community-developed vision and priorities for each of the 14 planning districts, recommendations for land use, and implementation priorities.



View the Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan

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PLAN GOALS AND GUIDING VALUES

Memphis is a city that VALUES LAND AS AN ASSET.

Memphis cannot continue its growth policy of the past. The City will succeed by creating compact communities where land use and density support walkable, active, and transit-served communities.







Memphis is a city of CONNECTED COMMUNITIES.

Memphis communities desire greater connectivity and access. For Memphis to thrive, it must expand residents' ability to connect to mobility options, opportunity, and one another.



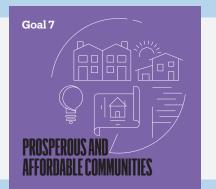




Memphis is a city of **EQUITY AND OPPORTUNITY.**

Through actions, investments, and citizen-led neighborhood interventions, historically disadvantaged communities must gain greater access to resources and opportunities to succeed and prosper.







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PARTNERSHIPS & PROGRESS

Local and state departments, divisions, agencies, community based organizations, small businesses, and non-profits are among the broad spectrum of the organizations the Division of Planning & Development (DPD) partners with to advance implementation of Memphis 3.0's recommendations. All developmental activities either completed or underway by different departments and agencies add new accomplishments for the City and County following the three guiding values of Memphis 3.0.

The acronyms below are used to reference departments and agency partners in the following pages.

DPD	Division of Planning and Development
HCD	Division of Housing and Community Development

Downtown Memphis Commission

Memphis and Shelby County Community Redevelopment Agency

LUDS Land Use and Development Services

MMDC Memphis Medical District Collaborative

Information Technology Division

EDGE Economic Development Growth Engine

Metropolitan Planning Organization







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PROGRESS HIGHLIGHTS

LAND

The affordable housing project at

Tillman Cove continues to progress. HCD reports the foundations for most of the buildings are poured, asphalt binding for the site is complete, and wood framing has started at three buildings. The project is on track for completion in August 2023. ▼



Public Works' **Sewer Assessment and Rehabilitation Program** is coordinating with several departments in Memphis 3.0 anchor community areas to plan for sewer repair completion prior to the redevelopment of anchor areas.



▲ HCD is providing **CDBG funds** for the renovation of Riverview Community Center and the swimming pool adjacent to Pine Hill Community Center. HCD's use of **over \$3 million in CDBG funds** ensures these **Accelerate Memphis projects** will be completed before December 31, 2023.

DPD's Office of Sustainability & Resilience reported in its annual update to the Memphis Area Climate Action Plan that City operations for **buildings and fleet usage** is on track to meet **its goals in the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions** for 2035.

DPD completed **Urban Design Guidelines** to aid architects, designers, and developers with the desired design elements for new developments within the City. The guidelines are a tool to promote high quality building design consistent with Memphis 3.0. **v**



Public Works reached **75% completion** of the Pinch/AW Willis sewer relocation. The sewer was over 100 years old. The new sewer line will provide **enhanced capacity and support continued development** of the St. Jude Campus and surrounding area.

DMC conducted **a comprehensive property condition survey** for properties
within the central business district, to
identify priorities for their blight remediation
efforts.

Based on recommendations of the Memphis & Shelby County Joint Housing Plan, DPD is proposing changes to the UDC to allow cottages, town homes, and accessory dwelling units (ADU) in certain zoning districts. The proposed changes will allow higherdensity housing on smaller lots and help to create more affordable housing options.



◆ CRA is partnering with
Pennrose LLC and Memphis
Housing Authority (MHA)
on an affordable senior
housing project in the
Legends Park area.

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PROGRESS HIGHLIGHTS

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DPD amended the local building code, where three to six housing units are now considered a residential structure and no longer a commercial structure. This **lowers fees** and makes development more accessible for smaller-scale developers, along with encouraging a mix of housing types.

DPD's Office of Sustainability & Resilience is using an electric truck to assist in picking up illegally dumped tires throughout the County. ▼



DPD's Department of Housing started accepting applications for the Shelby County Rehabilitation Program, which assists lowand moderate-income families by correcting health and safety hazards and code violations.



▲ Memphis Parks **opened the Orange Mound splash pad** in August 2022. Splash pads at three community centers and one park are expected to open in 2023 -Hollywood Community Center, Douglass Community Center, McFarland Community Center, and Audubon Park.



◀ Memphis Parks has implemented. a GIS-based inventory and update system called Cartegraph. This system allows for the Park Operations department to update and share plans for park improvements, maintenance, safety, and facility asset management.

The Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) is partnering with TechFit to provide community programming in the Bickford neighborhood, including fitness and wellness training, IT skills, adult literacy, and a GED program.

Solid Waste is scaling up their collaboration with Atlas Organics from a pilot project to a fully upgraded composting facility. The outcome of the collaboration is to develop a commercial product using collected tree limbs, restaurant food waste, and other organic material



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PROGRESS HIGHLIGHTS

CONNECTIVITY

ITD is nearing completion on an initiative that allows easier identification of potholes. As of June 2022, project tasks included connection of wireless action points and video testing within Public Works vehicles.



▲ In partnership with the Wolf River Conservancy, Memphis Parks opened an **expansion of the Wolf River Greenway**, connecting the Lucius Burch State Natural Area to the Shelby Farms Greenline.



■ DMC, in partnership with MATA and the Memphis Medical District Collaborative (MMDC), continued to support the Groove on Demand ride sharing service, which received a record number of requests in October 2022

Engineering continues to **search for grant funding** to assist with the introduction and trial of **curb management policies** in Memphis **to reduce parking demand**. Current projects in design examine the **elimination of on-street parking** on certain corridors to improve multimodal service.



▲ Construction started in September 2022 on Engineering's **Dunbar Elementary School Pedestrian Safety Project.**

Engineering adjusted the lane configuration of streets to accommodate multimodal safety enhancements whenever a street was re-paved.

As a part of Accelerate Memphis, HCD engaged a consultant to work towards implementing the improvement of the City's **fiber optic lines**.

In partnership with the City of West Memphis, the MPO kicked off the planning process of the **Mid-South Safety Plan.** The overall goal of the plan is to reduce roadway deaths throughout the tri-state Greater Memphis Region, guided by principles of safer people, roads, vehicles, speeds, and post-crash care.



Engineering's Land Development
Office (LDO) issued **Small Cell (5G) Infrastructure Design Policy Guidelines.**



CRA completed phase I of their Sidewalk Plan and began a kick-off meeting for phase II which will run through January 2023.

- ▲ MATA began **replacing** aging and outdated transit shelters, which will improve accessibility and add new amenities. Some of the shelters in the Medical District were enhanced with **artistic elements** through a program by MMDC.
- Comprehensive Planning created and published a data dashboard tracking metrics related to the ongoing implementation of Memphis 3.0 using up to date measurements and visualization tools. DPD created and published a data dashboard providing the status of building permits and planning and zoning approvals.

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PROGRESS HIGHLIGHTS

OPPORTUNITY

EDGE approved one **forgivable Inner City Economic Development (ICED) Loan** to assist with investments totaling \$37,500. This neighborhood-serving business is making **renovations to their property** to be more inviting to residents and attractive to tourists in the Whitehaven area. ▼

EDGE completed its annual review of its Local Business
Participation (MWBE) incentive recipient spending for 2021.
Incentive recipients spent more than \$96 million with City of Memphis and Shelby County
MWBE certified companies in 2021.



The DMC awarded \$520K of grants to assist 16

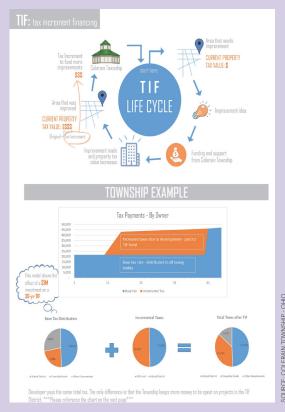
Downtown businesses, with 56% of recipients being minority and women-owned businesses.

▲ In the second half of 2022, EDGE approved job creation PILOT (Payment-In-Lieu-Of-Tax) incentives for two businesses, creating 122 jobs in distressed Census Tracts and the businesses invested \$11 million in capital investments.



applications to the expanded
Good Neighbor Grant
program, which provides
exterior improvement grants
to businesses in Uptown,
South City, Madison Heights,
and the Peabody-Vance
neighborhood.

Utilizing federal funding, the DPD Housing Department is providing free assistance to homeowners, landlords and renters in Shelby County who may have lead-based paint in their homes as a part of their Lead Hazard Control program.



▲ The CRA Board approved a 20–30-year **Tax Increment Financing (TIF) district** for the Klondike neighborhood.

Plans & Projects

The CRA partnered with **Hattiloo Technical Theatre** for the parcel at 299 Chelsea. Hattiloo will use the space as a **children's theater, providing cultural programming** to children ages 4 to 17 throughout the community.

HCD, Memphis Public Libraries, and Parks established a **25-member advisory committee** to help design and approve programming, library/genealogy holdings, and assisting with community outreach for the **Historic Melrose redevelopment.** ▼



SOURCE: SELF+TUCKER ARCHITECTS

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PROGRESS HIGHLIGHTS

COMMUNITY

Comprehensive Planning continuously strives to increase community engagement and reach a broader audience. In 2022, our staff worked towards this goal by embracing innovative outreach strategies and participating in planning workshops, educational training, and webinars.

Attended the **Dangerous by Design 2022 Webinar,** on July 28 hosted by Smart Growth America and National Complete Streets Coalition. The staff walked through the findings and, with the help of two special guests, discussed the toll that this crisis is taking on communities and people across the country.

Presented at the **Tennessee Chapter of the American Planning Association's (TAPA)**Fall Conference in Knoxville, TN about the on-going \$200 million **Accelerate**

Memphis public investment initiative. ▼

Served as Urban
Land Institute's
Young Leader's
Group (YLG) Chair.



▲ Attended the

Groundbreak

2023- Procore's

Construction

Technology

Conference in New

Orleans.

Served as a member of Engineering's

Tchulahoma

Corridor Study

Advocacy Council, along with attending quarterly meetings.

Joined a Memphis cohort on a learning trip to Akron, Ohio, as part of the **Reimagining the Civic Commons national initiative**, in June of 2022. On this trip, a wide variety of projects focused on the revitalization of public spaces were discussed and showcased to the attendees. **▼**



Engaged with the
City of Seattle
Comprehensive
Planning
Department to
learn about their
comprehensive
plan update.

Served as a member of MPO's Mid-South Safety
Plan Advocacy Council, along with attending planned meetings.



Presented on Memphis 3.0 and ongoing
Comprehensive Planning projects and plans to
multiple community groups such as the **Rhodes College undergraduate students, BLDG Memphis, and some local CDC's.**

Partnered with
seven City Council
members to
co-host public
meetings on
Accelerate
Memphis
early stage
investments.

Received specialized training from the
Pepperdine School of
Public Policy on public engagement.

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS

Accelerate Memphis – Invest in Neighborhoods was launched in 2021 under the Strickland administration to serve as a catalyst for growth in the city. Of the \$200 million in funding, \$75 million is designated for activating Memphis 3.0. Implementation of public improvements identified in 9 small area plans, 35 anchor sites, and 4 intersections will start in 2023.

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS

What is Accelerate Memphis?

Accelerate Memphis – Invest in Neighborhoods will invest \$200 million in catalytic community projects intended to accelerate the city's growth by improving quality of life, driving equity and inclusion, improving housing and connectivity, and solving stubborn problems that are deeper than any single capital improvement plan can solve. Construction will start on all projects in 2023.



DESIGN CONCEPT - SHELBY & TCHULAHOMA INTERSECTION

Activating Memphis 3.0 - \$75 million

- Implementation of large scale public improvements identified in 9 small area plans
- Early stage investments at 35 anchors
- Safety improvement at 4 intersections
- Broadband infrastructure improvements (Managed by HCD)
- Affordable housing trust fund in Memphis
 3.0 anchors (Managed by HCD)

Improving Parks - \$75 million

- Deferred maintenance at parks, community and senior centers, aquatic facilities
- Investments in community identified improvements – parks, golf courses, new community and senior centers, greenline/ greenway connections and extensions

Revitalizing Citywide Assets - \$50 million

- Repairs and renovations to AutoZone Park and FedEx Forum
- Historic Melrose mixed use/library/senior housing development
- Liberty Park youth sports complex
- Mud Island River Park improvements
- 100 N. Main remediation

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 Underpass railroad and street improvements Visit the Accelerate Memphis website to learn more: acceleratememphis.com



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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS

Large Scale Investments

Nine locations are targeted for large scale investments of \$4 million each. These investments were identified and prioritized in small area plans by community members during the small area planning process. Large scale investments include pedestrian scale street lights, new sidewalks, public promenades and plazas, rainwater detention, intersection improvements, road reconfiguration and multi-modal trails.

LARGE SCALE INVESTMENT LOCATIONS

- Highland Heights
- Hollywood-Hyde Park
- Klondike
- Oakhaven
- Orange Mound
- Raleigh
- Soulsville
- South City
- Whitehaven



SOUTHCITY DESIGN CONCEPT - RENDERING SHOWING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE RAILROAD UNDERPASS ON MISSISSIPPI BLVD. SOUTH OF PHELAN AVE.

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS

Early Stage Investments

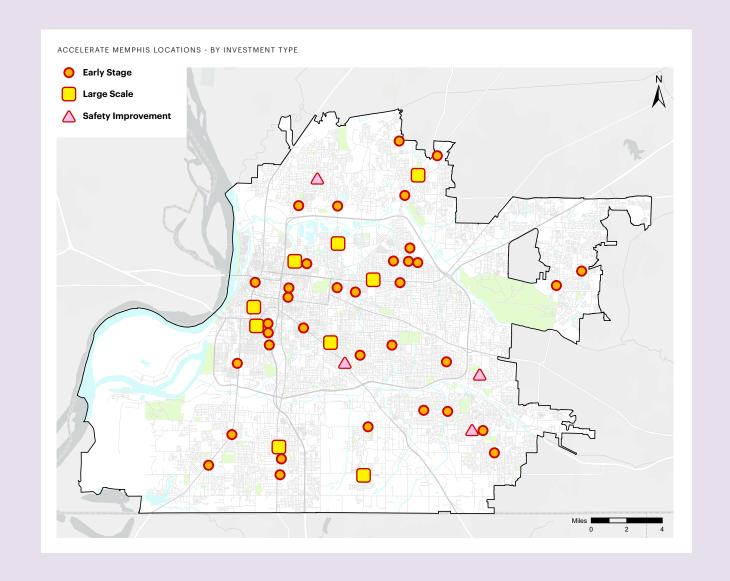
A mix of 35 **nurture** and **accelerate** anchors identified in Memphis 3.0 are receiving \$400,000 each in early stage investments. Early stage investments include public art, new sidewalks, ADA curb ramps, traffic signalization improvements, and street lighting. Construction will start on all early stage investments in 2023.

Safety Improvement of Intersections

Four intersections identified in Memphis 3.0 are receiving critical improvements prioritizing safety. The improvements may include intersection redesign, improved lighting, signal upgrades, crosswalk and sidewalk improvements, and ADA improvements. Each intersection exhibits a need for improvements to enhance the safety of pedestrians, cyclists, and drivers. Construction begins in 2023.

SAFETY IMPROVEMENT INTERSECTION LOCATIONS

- Frayser Blvd & Overton Crossing St
- Hickory Hill Rd & Winchester Rd
- **♦ Description St. ♦ Description St. ♦ Lamar Ave/Kimball Ave/Pendleton St.**
- Trinity & Germantown Rd



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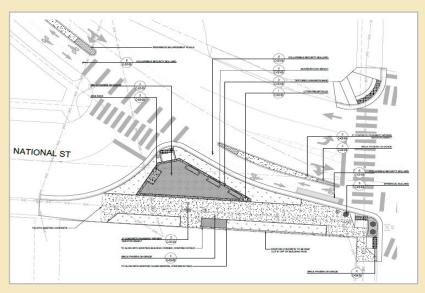
ACCELERATE MEMPHIS: LARGE SCALE INVESTMENTS

During 2022, Comprehensive Planning engaged local design firms to develop concepts from the 2021 Small Area Plans into full construction plans for implementation. This phase included survey work, traffic analysis, design development and stakeholder engagement. Additionally, construction managers were engaged in 2022 to ensure all projects are ready for construction in 2023.

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS: LARGE SCALE INVESTMENTS

Highland Heights



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Summer Ave & National St

INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT AT NATIONAL ST & BROAD AVE

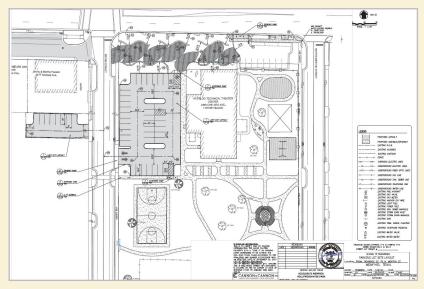
ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Construction of the Heights Line
- Intersection improvements and signalization modernization at Summer & National
- Sidewalk improvements on Summer Ave
- Street improvements on Broad Ave from Holmes to Summer



The Highland Heights Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-highlandheights

Hollywood-Hyde Park



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Chelsea Ave & Hollywood St

PARK IMPROVEMENTS AT HOLLYWOOD PARK

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Pedestrian improvements along Chelsea Ave
- Pedestrian plaza along Chelsea Ave between Bryan & Merton
- Park improvements at Hollywood Park adjacent to Promise Academy



The Hollywood-Hyde Park Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-hydepark

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS: LARGE SCALE INVESTMENTS

Klondike



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Vollintine Ave between N. Bellevue Blvd and N. Watkins St

RAISED CROSSWALK AT VOLLINTINE AVE

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

Street improvements on Vollintine Ave from N. Bellevue Blvd to N. Watkins St

 Improvements include curb bump outs, signal modernization, raised crosswalks, and a raised intersection at Perea Elementary



The Klondike Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-klondike

Oakhaven



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Shelby Dr & Tchulahoma Rd

INTERSECTION AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AT SHELBY DR & TCHULAHOMA ST

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

 Intersection and traffic calming improvements at Shelby Dr & Tchulahoma Rd

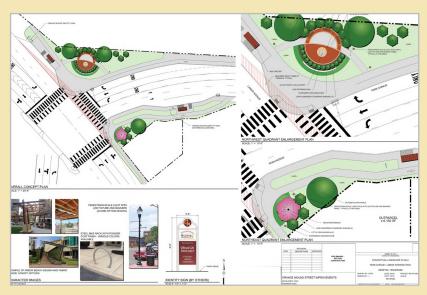


The Oakhaven Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-oakhaven

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS: LARGE SCALE INVESTMENTS

Orange Mound



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Park Ave from Lamar Ave to Semmes St

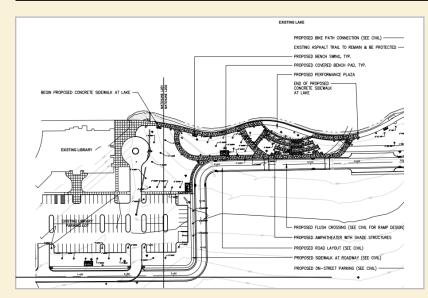
INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS AT PARK AVE & LAMAR AVE

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Street improvements and intersection improvements on Park Ave
- Intersection reconfiguration at Park Ave & Lamar Ave
- Multimodal access improvements (transit, bike and ped)

The Orange Mound Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-orangemound

Raleigh



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Raleigh Town Center

ACTIVATION OF THE LAKESIDE PROMENADE TO RALEIGH LIBRARY

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Public space improvements aimed at activation of lakeside
- Improvements include the addition of a lakeside promenade, new seating options, pathways, and lighting

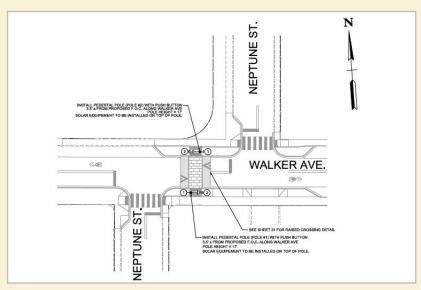


The Raleigh Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-raleigh

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS: LARGE SCALE INVESTMENTS

Soulsville



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Mclemore & Walker Ave

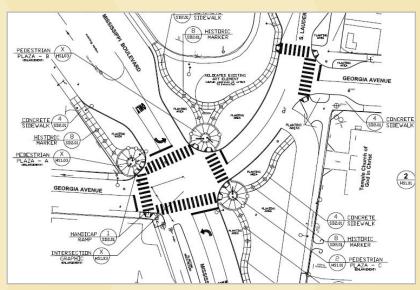
STREETSCAPING, AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS ON WALKER AVE

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Street improvements on Walker Ave from Thirs St to Cummings St
- Improvements are aimed at calming traffic and improving safety for users
- Curb extensions at intersections will include green infrastructure

The Soulsville Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-soulsville

South City



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

Lauderdale St, Mississippi Blvd & Georgia Ave

INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS AT MISSISSIPPI BLVD, GEORGIA ST, & LAUDERDALE AVE

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Intersection realignment at Mississippi Blvd, Georgia Ave, & Lauderdale St
- Creation of new public greenspace with public art installations
- Improvements to the railroad underpass at Mississippi Blvd at Phelan Ave



The South City Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-southcity

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ACCELERATE MEMPHIS: LARGE SCALE INVESTMENTS

Whitehaven



FOCUS ANCHOR AREA

E. Raines Rd, Faronia, and Finley Rd

SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS WITH LANDSCAPE MEDIAN ON E. RAINES, FINLEY & FARONIA RD

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

Street improvements along E. Raines Rd, Faronia Rd, & Finley Rd, including new medians and pedestrian crosswalks Sidewalk improvements and pedestrian accessibility improvements along E. Raines, Faronia, & Finley



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The Whitehaven Small Area Plan is available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-whitehaven

Plan Overview

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS

Early Stage Investments



PUBLIC MEETING HELD IN CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 4 ON JUNE 28, 2022.

ACCELERATE MEMPHIS IMPLEMENTATION ITEMS

- Intersection improvements
- Creation of public green space
- Sidewalk improvements
- Pedestrian Crossing improvements

FOCUS ANCHOR AREAS

A mix of 35 nurture and accelerate anchors

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

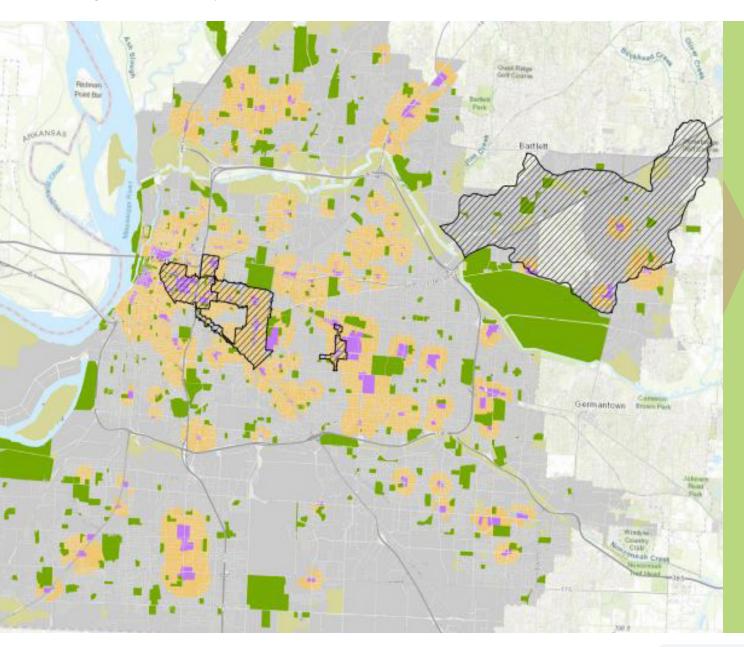
Comprehensive Planning held seven public meetings with community members and stakeholders during the spring and summer of 2022 in each City Council District. At each meeting, City staff and consultants presented on Accelerate Memphis, existing conditions of anchor locations in the council district and potential public infrastructure improvements. Utilizing the Memphis Community Improvement Guide, a facilitated exercise encouraged community members to give their feedback on issues at anchors locations and potential solutions for implementation.



The Early Stage Investments are available at: memphis3point0.com/projects-earlystage

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PLANS & PROJECTS

In collaboration with other city and county departments and partner agencies, Comprehensive Planning initiated and completed several plans and projects in 2022. The plans and projects included corridor studies, housing policy and plan development, and built environment design guidelines.

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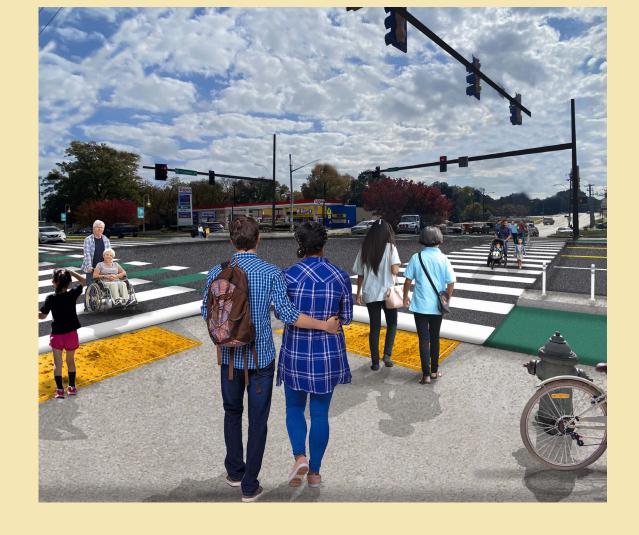
Summer Avenue Complete Streets Study

Comprehensive Planning partnered with the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) to conduct a study of Summer Avenue from East Parkway to I-40. The study identifies mobility and accessibility challenges along the corridor and identifies opportunities to reimagine Summer Avenue as a safe and accessible multi-modal corridor with thriving commercial, residential, and public spaces. The planning team used data-driven analysis and public engagement to create concept designs that satisfy a wide range of safety, mobility, and community development goals. The study was completed in June 2022. The study is currently waiting for the Transportation Alternatives Program grant to enter into the implementation phase.

PLAN OBJECTIVES

- Over 450 participants engaged in two surveys
- Conducted a walking tour of the corridor with advisory committee members
- Two virtual public meetings
- In-person three day design charrette
- Focus group meetings with community stakeholders

This design concept ▶ illustrates a complete street that considers the safety of all users at Summer Avenue & Graham Street. Pedestrian safety and comfort is improved with high-visibility crosswalks, a signalized crossing, new sidewalks, and street trees. A protected bike lane provides safety and comfort to bicyclists.





Visit the project page for more information: memphis3point0.com/projects-summer-avenue

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PLANS & PROJECTS

Memphis and Shelby County Joint Housing Policy Plan

In April 2022, DPD and HCD partnered to complete the Memphis and Shelby County Housing Policy Plan with the vision of providing quality housing choices and wealth generation opportunities. The plan recommended land use regulation changes, tax reforms, activation of City/County owned land, and using financing along with private-public partnerships to mitigate the housing crisis in the City and County. The plan developed a multi year implementation timeline based on available data and trends.

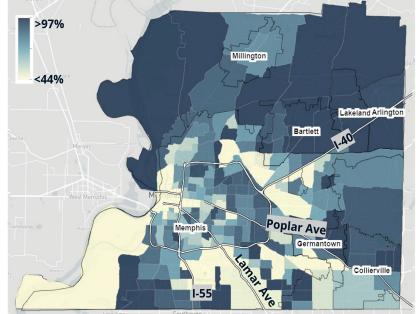
PLAN OBJECTIVES

- Improve Housing Quality
- Support Homeownership
- Diversify Housing Stock
- Increase Quality Low Income Housing

This map illustrates housing ▶ supply and housing types in Shelby County. Most multifamily units are located within Memphis, specifically within downtown. 84% of the Shelby County houses are single-family detached (not including the city of Memphis) and 60% of homes within the City of Memphis are single-family detached.

Housing Supply | Housing Typologies





Source: ACS 5-Year Estimates (2019)



Access the policy guide for more information: memphis3point0.com/plans-and-maps

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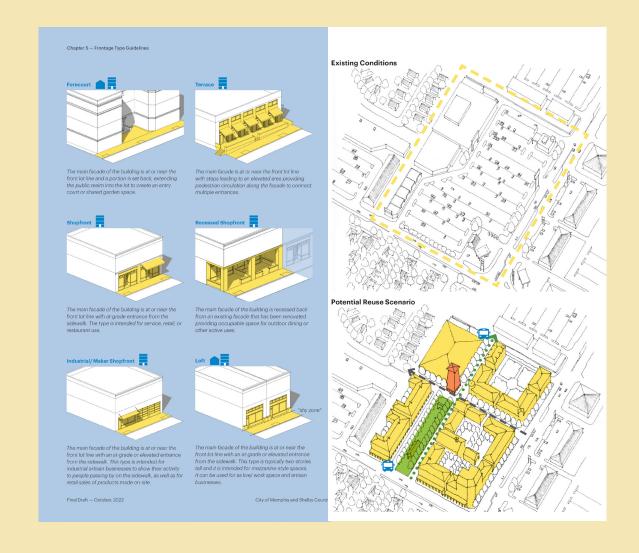
Urban Design Guidelines

To regulate the design review process and keep consistency with Memphis 3.0, DPD completed the Urban Design Guidelines in October 2022. The guidelines establish expectations for the type of design elements and approaches used for new projects proposed within the City of Memphis. Design elements that positively impact the streetscape and pedestrian experience help to create a cohesive design environment and are a focus of the guidelines, while promoting high quality building design consistent with the vision of Memphis 3.0.

FEATURES OF THE DESIGN GUIDELINES

- Establish a framework that can provide consistent and predictable results
- Reinforce design approaches that support an active, high-quality pedestrian realm
- Clearly articulate expectations for design quality
- Ensure infill buildings are harmonious with and retain, rather than diminish, existing character of places in Memphis

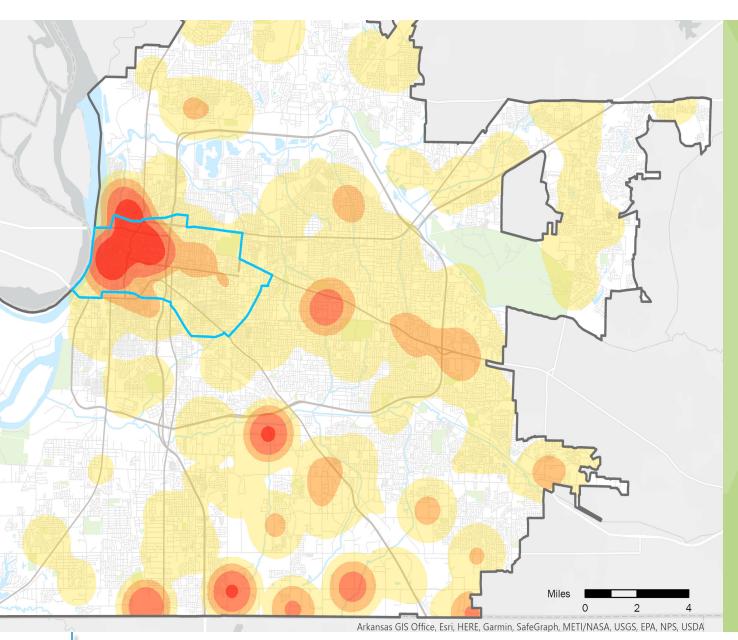
► This design concept illustrates frontage type guidelines and how block-scale developments can be redeveloped by incorporating potential reuse principles.





Access the design guidelines for more information: memphis3point0.com/plans-and-maps

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PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

In an effort to continually promote and support the implementation of Memphis 3.0, Comprehensive Planning performs several core functions: Consistency Analysis, Annual Plan Amendments, and the Plan to Implement Report (PIR).

The PIR measures progress towards plan implementation across City divisions, the private sector, and community and institutional partners; one such measurement is the tracking of building permit data, which shows progress towards increasing density through new development. These functions further the implementation of Memphis 3.0, helping to ensure it remains a living document, adaptable to changing conditions within the city. Recently, a Data Dashboard was released on the Memphis 3.0 website, which tracks multiple metrics related to the ongoing implementation of the comprehensive plan.

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PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

Consistency Analysis

A consistency analysis is performed by Comprehensive Planning staff for certain types of applications to the Land Use Control Board (LUCB) and Board of Adjustments (BOA). The goal of the analysis is to determine the consistency of the applicant's request with the Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan. Criteria for the determination include future land use and degree of change designations and descriptions, as well as other stated goals and objectives of the 3.0 Plan. Consistency analyses are included as part of application reviews conducted by Land Use and Development Services planners and contribute to their final recommendations.



Annual Plan Amendment

Memphis 3.0 is updated annually to ensure changes in the development landscape, city infrastructure, and emerging community priorities are integrated into the plan in a flexible, responsive manner. The 2022 plan amendment has three categories of updates: general plan edits, land use categories changes, and appendices changes. The 2022 plan amendment is approved by the Memphis and Shelby County Land Use Control Board on February 9, 2023. City Council approved the 2022 plan amendment on March 21, 2023.

GENERAL EDITS

- Minor Text Corrections
- Future Land Use Map Changes
- Future Land Use Map Clean-Up

LAND USE CATEGORY CHANGES

Addition of text to Description/ Intent and Form & Location Characteristics for Low Intensity Commercial (CSL)

APPENDICES CHANGES

- Updates to Small Area Plans
- Updates to System Plans



PROPOSED ADDITION OF TEXT TO "CSL" LAND USE CATEGORY

A SNAPSHOT OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING REVIEW OF MEMPHIS 3.0 CONSISTENCY ANALYSIS

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PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

Plan to Implement Report

The implementation of Memphis 3.0 is the responsibility of not just DPD and Comprehensive Planning, but the entire City government. All City divisions and coordinating agencies have been assigned actions towards the goals and objectives of Memphis 3.0 related to their function. To better track the progress of this expansive effort, each division and agency submits a progress update of their actions toward implementation on a biannual basis. These updates are compiled by Comprehensive Planning into the Plan to Implement Report, which is then submitted to the Mayor.

PLAN TO IMPLEMENT REPORT — ACTIONS SUMMARY

	Total Plan Actions	Actions Reported Jan - June 2022	Actions Reported July - Dec 2022
Goal 1: Complete, Cohesive Communities	117	27	9
Goal 2: Vibrant Civic Spaces	55	14	7
Goal 3: Sustainable and Resilient Communities	85	9	4
Goal 4: High Performing Infrastructure	77	14	7
Goal 5: Connected Corridors and Communities	34	14	4
Goal 6: Equitable Opportunities	54	5	6
Goal 7: Prosperous and Affordable Communities	50	4	4
Goal 8: Engaged Communities	25	1	6

▲ During 2022, twelve different City divisions and coordinating agencies reported a total of 135 actions taken towards implementing Memphis 3.0.



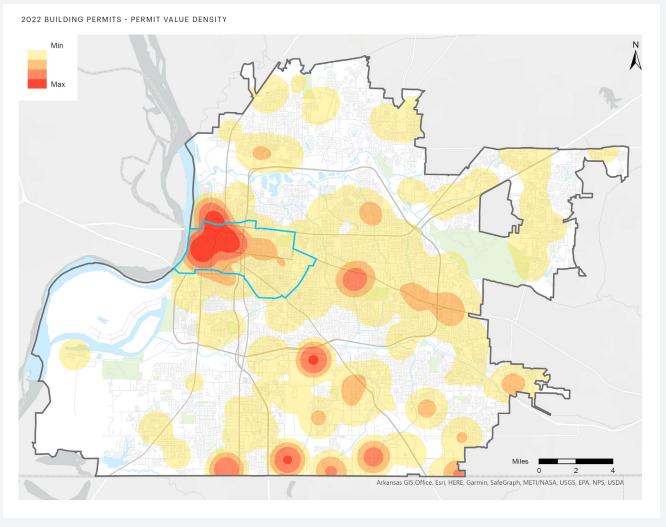
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PLAN IMPLEMENTATION: BUILDING PERMIT ACTIVITY

Building Permit Activity

Comprehensive Planning uses building permit data as one indicator in measuring the success of Memphis 3.0.

A building permit is filed with the Division of Planning and Development any time a new building is constructed or an existing building is altered or receives an addition. These permits are mapped and analyzed to better understand the types, dollar values, and locations of construction activity relative to Memphis 3.0 anchors, planning districts, and City Council districts. As we continue to track and analyze building permit activity, we will gain a deeper understanding of the effect Memphis 3.0 has on development across the city.



▲ The Core City planning district (outlined in blue) had the highest concentration of building permit value in 2022 with \$17.4 million per square mile.

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PLAN IMPLEMENTATIO: BUILDING PERMIT ACTIVITY

Memphis 3.0 Anchors / Degree of Change

BUILDING PERMITS IN MEMPHIS 3.0 ANCHOR AREAS — BY DEGREE OF CHANGE

MEMPHIS 3.0 ANCHORS	NURTURE	ACCELERATE	SUSTAIN	TOTAL
2021	\$54,783,051	\$624,297,257	\$65,038,990	\$744,119,297
2022	\$95,364,239	\$487,821,381	\$79,355,146	\$662,540,766
Pct. Change	+74.1%	-21.9%	+22.0%	-11.0%

\$40.5M Increase in building permit value in nurture areas from 2021 to 2022

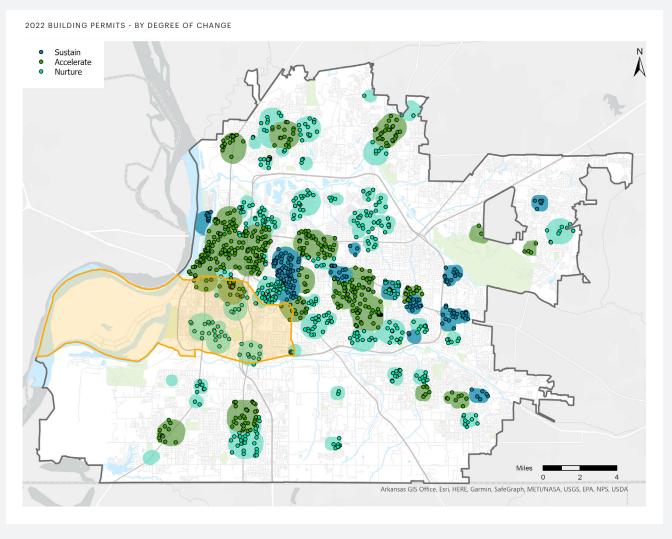
BUILDING PERMITS IN MEMPHIS 3.0 ANCHOR AREAS — YEAR-TO-YEAR

MEMPHIS 3.0 ANCHORS	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Number of permits	986	734	707	1,402	1,506
Value (\$) of permits	\$671,970,883	\$766,642,045	\$442,332,539	\$744,119,297	\$662,540,766

7% Increase in number of anchor area building permits from 2021 to 2022

BUILDING PERMITS IN MEMPHIS 3.0 ANCHOR AREAS — BY PLANNING DISTRICT

PLANNING DISTRICT	TOTAL	PLANNING DISTRICT	TOTAL
Cordova	\$13,849,934	Oakhaven	\$1,124,074
Core	\$328,651,648	Raleigh	\$7,436,528
East	\$60,896,456	South	\$35,075,064
Frayser	\$14,831,203	Southeast	\$2,383,690
Jackson	\$26,162,798	University	\$84,685,462
Lamar	\$7,173,279	Westwood	\$6,554,110
North	\$59,173,164	Whitehaven	\$14,543,358



▲ The **South** planning district (outlined in orange) had a large increase in building permit value within its anchor neighborhoods from \$5.1 million in 2021 to **\$35 million** in 2022.

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PLAN IMPLEMENTATION: BUILDING PERMIT ACTIVITY

Citywide

BUILDING PERMITS CITYWIDE — BY CONSTRUCTION TYPE

CITYWIDE	NEW CONSTRUCTION	ADDITION	ALTERATION	TOTAL
2021	\$936,718,646	\$117,999,825	\$646,981,149	\$1,701,699,620
2022	\$726,722,898	\$103,611,687	\$588,104,212	\$1,418,438,797
Pct. Change	-22.4%	+12.2%	-9.1%	-16.6%

51% Proportion of permit value that went towards new construction in 2022

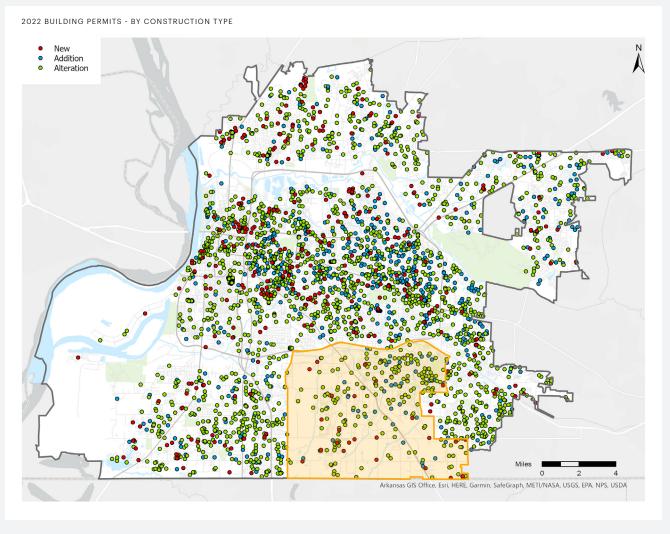
BUILDING PERMITS CITYWIDE — YEAR-TO-YEAR

CITYWIDE	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Number of permits	1,938	1,659	1,620	3,411	3,552
Value (\$) of permits	\$1,192,363,863	\$1,084,937,260	\$1,137,583,120	\$1,701,699,620	\$1,418,438,797

\$141M Increase in number of building permits from 2021 to 2022.

BUILDING PERMITS CITYWIDE — BY PLANNING DISTRICT

PLANNING DISTRICT	TOTAL	PLANNING DISTRICT	TOTAL
Cordova	\$70,593,846	Oakhaven	\$352,838,811
Core	\$337,740,567	Raleigh	\$34,954,868
East	\$137,560,762	South	\$47,978,866
Frayser	\$50,129,337	Southeast	\$26,407,452
Jackson	\$34,477,156	University	\$125,149,602
Lamar	\$16,128,685	Westwood	\$77,486,087
North	\$69,066,530	Whitehaven	\$37,926,226



▲ Over **one-fourth** of citywide new construction value — \$184.5M — occurred in the **Oakhaven** planning district (outlined in orange) in 2022.

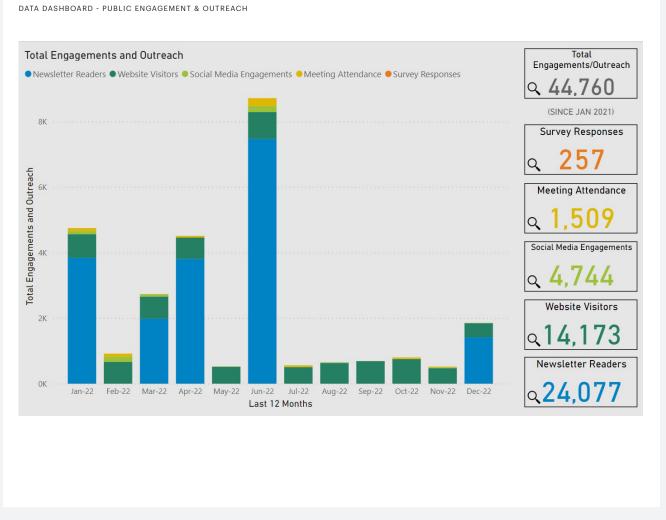
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PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

Data Dashboard

The Memphis 3.0 website now includes a Data Dashboard that tracks multiple metrics related to the ongoing implementation of the comprehensive plan using up-to-date measurements and visualization tools. The dashboard currently tracks the Comprehensive Planning Department's public engagement, consistency analyses, comprehensive rezonings, and future land use planning efforts.

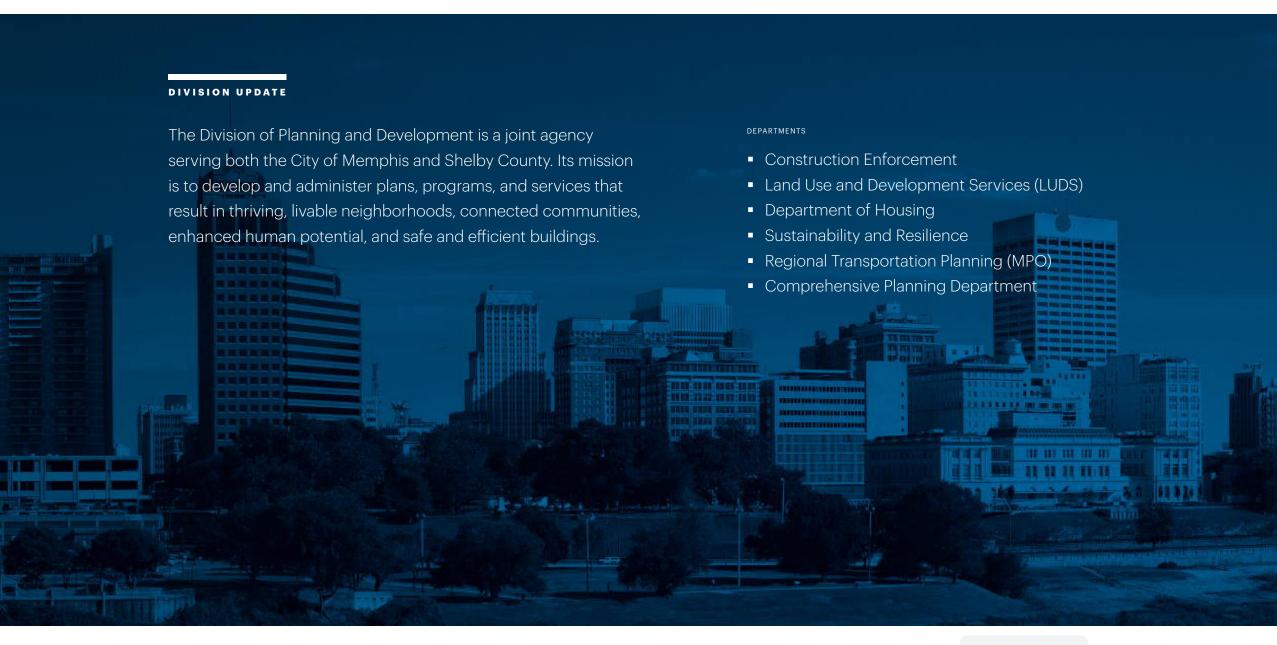
The public engagement & outreach visualization provides information on the methods and number of people engaged by the Comprehensive Planning Department. The consistency analyses visualization measures the number of development applications reviewed by Comprehensive Planning staff and their consistency with the comprehensive plan. The comprehensive rezonings dashboard measures the number of parcels that have been rezoned to be more compatible with the land use goals of the comprehensive plan. Lastly, the future land use planning dashboard provides information on the total land area and zoning compatibility of each of the future land uses contained in the comprehensive plan.





▲ Comprehensive Planning tracks and documents the number of participants reached through engagement and communication efforts as part of every planning process.

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DIVISION OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

GOALS

- To envision and encourage a city, county, and region of growth, development, and prosperity.
- To provide a safe and secure environment through the administration and enforcement of building codes and zoning regulations.
- To promote the development of a balanced, efficient, and affordable regional transportation system to meet the needs of people and goods moving within and through the region, while minimizing the impact.
- To provide access to safe, affordable, healthy, and efficient housing options for all citizens of the city and county.
- To administer a regulatory system that enhances communities, workplaces, economic vitality, historic and environmental assets, transportation systems, and quality of life for all.
- 6 To implement sustainable practices within local government and throughout the community.

2021-2022 ACCOMPLISHMENTS



- Launched Project Locator on the Develop 901 website. This active map provides up-to-date information about the types of permits that are completed and submitted through the Develop 901 Citizen Portal.
- Amended Local Building Code to
 Allow up to Six Units Under Residential
 Building Code (IRC) to Enable Missing
 Middle Housing.
- Provided free assistance to homeowners, landlords, and renters who want to act proactively against the risk of lead-based paint hazards and who want to protect children from adverse health-related effects.
- Completed Urban Design Guidelines, Summer Avenue Complete Streets Study, and Memphis Public Investment Guide.

DIVISION STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS

Despite the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, DPD remained on track and achieved many major milestones. The division plans to continue this success and complete initiatives underway with a focus on adaptation for customers and employees.

GOAL

- Ensure organizational structure and staffing meet short- and long-term needs of departments
- Maintain high quality customer service delivery
- Invest in technology to aid operational success and innovation
- Support implementation and update of plans and codes
- Protect the staffing levels and operational advancements through business continuity planning.
- Implement staff training and professional development programs and solutions to meet the needs of all departments.

MEASURING SUCCESS IN 2023

These performance measures are related to the Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan. DPD will track the following in 2023:



New building activity in defined anchors and anchor neighborhoods, residential and commercial



Implementation projects resulting from community feedback in small area planning process



Increased community engagement and participation



Additional measures identified in the Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan but assessed on an annual basis by the City's Office of Performance Management



Biannual reporting of plan progress to Mayor

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION



Tennessee Chapter of the American Planning Association presented the Division with the award for Outstanding Plan Implementation based on the implementation of the vision and goals of the Memphis 3.0 Comprehensive Plan.



Accelerate 2022 - Accela Conference in Salt Lake City, Utah, awarded the Division with the Trendsetter Award for Outstanding Customer Experience for the second consecutive year.

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THANK YOU

Our team stayed connected to the community and made positive progress in implementing Memphis 3.0, despite transitioning to hybrid engagements, office operations, and ongoing challenges due to the pandemic. This report highlights our accomplishments - those made collectively as a community. We thank you for your time, input, and contributions to keep the momentum going. We begin 2023 excited for another year of progress and meaningful engagement with the community. We look forward to planning with you in the new year.

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