

BUTTE COUNTY GENERAL PLAN 2030

Meeting Series #5-2d – Citizens Advisory Committee
Goals and Policies Development



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PUBLIC WORKSHOP OVERVIEW



REVIEW OF SEPTEMBER 8TH PUBLIC WORKSHOP

Utilities, Services & Airports

- Fiscal impact analysis for large development projects
- Defensible space requirements
- Fire safe building construction requirements
- Fuel management requirements
- Wildfire preparedness
- Adequate school facilities for new development
- Revise General Plan and Zoning to be consistent with Airport Land Use Compatibility Plan



REVIEW OF SEPTEMBER 8TH PUBLIC WORKSHOP

Parks, Recreation & Trails

- Create new parks & facilities
- Locate parks where needed by community
- Manage existing parks more effectively
- Density bonus with inclusion of parks in development projects
- Encourage regional- or national-level recreation events
- Identify needed trail connections
- Develop utility easements for trails
- Publish trail maps



REVIEW OF SEPTEMBER 8TH PUBLIC WORKSHOP

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- Coordination with Butte Regional Conservation Plan
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Green Building, Greenhouse Gases & Energy

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- Education about green building practices
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LARGE GROUP POLICY DISCUSSION



UTILITIES, SERVICES & AIRPORTS

28. How should the County ensure that the infrastructure needs of new development are met?
29. How should the General Plan address the provision of police and fire service in rural areas?
30. How should the County work with schools to ensure adequate provision of schools and to minimize the impacts of new development on existing school facilities?
31. How can the County most effectively limit land use conflicts around its airports?



PARKS, RECREATION & TRAILS

32. How should the General Plan address parks and recreation issues?
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33. How should the General Plan address recreational trails facilities, such as hiking, bicycle, equestrian and off-highway vehicle trails?



HABITAT CONSERVATION

34. How should the General Plan address preservation of important habitat areas, including riparian (river and stream) corridors, vernal pools, oak woodlands and deer migration routes?



GREEN BUILDING, GREENHOUSE GASES & ENERGY

35. How should the County encourage the development of sustainable communities and energy-efficient and cost-savings buildings?
36. In response to Chapter 488 of the California Health and Safety Code (Assembly Bill 32, the California Global Warming Solutions Act), in what specific ways could the County, and county residents, help to minimize contributions to global warming and depletion of natural resources?



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