

St. Albans City Council  
Goals and Objectives, 2020-2021  
Updated May 2021

Recreation: strengthen community through diverse, quality programming and facilities

1. Develop a revised pool proposal for voter consideration in March. Done
2. Solicit more input from marginalized groups regarding access to pool; develop plan that removes barriers to access. Done
3. Work with Parks Commission to develop pocket park on corner of Maple and LaSalle. Ongoing

Racial Equity, Economic Justice, and Diversity: promote and protect values of diversity and equity.

1. Schedule and hold racial equity training for City staff and boards. Done
2. Explore opportunities to partner with other agencies around racial equity in broader community. Done
3. Explore strengthening promotion of St. Albans' history with Underground Railroad. Ongoing
4. Seek diverse participation in Taylor Park holiday decorations. Done

Community Promotion: promote St. Albans as a welcoming City full of opportunity.

1. Develop and implement St. Albans' Say No to Hate Campaign. Done
2. Develop community promotion video. Ongoing.
3. Participate in remote Stay to Stay program. Ongoing

Neighborhoods: improve neighborhoods by making public investments that encourage private investment.

1. Develop a neighborhood façade grant program similar to downtown version. Ongoing.
2. Develop no interest / low interest loan program for Neighborhood stabilization projects. Ongoing
3. Continue enforcement of PHSO and fire inspection program. Ongoing

Police: deliver police, dispatch, and emergency management services that are consistent with Council's vision

1. Implement transformation road map. Ongoing
2. Operationalize Police Advisory Board. Done
3. Hire new Chief of Police and Emergency Management. Done
4. Complete relocation into new facility. Ongoing

Finance: manage City finances to ensure high return for dollars invested

1. Develop FY 22 budget that adjusts to lack of Town police contract. Done
2. Complete bond votes for remaining TIF projects (Kingman, Brownfields, Fonda, and Federal Street) before March 1, 2022. Deadline Extended to March 2023
3. Implement local option sales tax program; revise LOT policy as necessary. Done

Economic Development: encourage public / private investment in the City.

1. Re-develop City owned properties at on High and Nason Streets. Done
2. Make strategic acquisitions of key redevelopment opportunities. Ongoing