



St. Albans City Council
Goals and Objectives
2017

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

1. Increase enforcement of public health and safety ordinance
2. Develop garbage collection ordinance.
3. Consider additional street lighting where appropriate.
4. Increase appropriations, planning, and programming for neighborhood trees
5. Explore methods to improve quality of housing stock

Infrastructure: complete priority infrastructure projects that enhance the overall vitality of the City.

1. Complete Federal Street Interim Project (Lake / Federal / Market intersection)
2. Complete Phase I of the neighborhood sidewalk and curb project.
3. Pass bond vote and initiate construction for wastewater treatment improvements.

Economic Development: protect and expand public / private investment in central business district.

1. Successfully redevelop Stebbins St. property.
2. Successfully redevelop properties on corner of Main of Congress.
3. Develop and launch public relations and marketing campaign to attract private investment, new residents, and visitors.
4. Continue to improve Main Street buildings and attract/retain businesses.
5. Support relocation of Martha's kitchen

Administration: provide strong administrative leadership that advances strategic objectives for the City.

1. Pursue sustainable and equitable resolution to water and wastewater dispute with St. Albans Town.
2. Make substantial progress in advancing the redevelopment of former Fonda property.
3. Maximize the usage of the auditorium for a diverse array of programs and events.
4. Launch app for reporting citizen requests.

Quality of Life: pursue initiatives that improve the quality of life in the City.

1. Explore opportunities to implement residential stormwater mitigation plan.
2. Continue work to resolve parking issues in residential areas.
3. Continue work to resolve traffic issues in residential areas: trucks, speeding, airbrakes.

Parks & Recreation: deliver recreation programs that strengthen St. Albans' community identity.

1. Complete Taylor Park Master Plan.
2. Ensure smooth integration with Hard'ack.

Public Safety: protect public safety and deliver emergency services that inspire public confidence.

1. Advance plans for a new public safety facility.

Operations: deliver efficient and highly effective public services that inspire public confidence.

1. Convene quality of life committee more often.
2. Increase enforcement of zoning violations as zoning office stabilizes.
3. Conduct cost / benefit of I-Pads vs Paper for Council Packets
4. Review Streetscape landscaping to balance safety and pedestrian visibility with aesthetics
5. Work to improve Aldis Street crossing
6. Explore increased notification of crosswalks when Eastbound on Lake Street.
7. Explore opportunities for assistance with leaf disposal.
8. Work to conduct road maintenance in off hours to minimize disruptions