



Fairfax County's strategic plan lays out a community-based vision for the next 10 to 20 years featuring strategies and metrics to advance that vision over the next 3 to 5 years. Planning will be prioritized to help all community decision-makers and residents understand where we're going together, how we're going to get there and what we plan to achieve.



Cultural and Recreational Opportunities

All residents, businesses and visitors are aware of and able to participate in quality arts, sports, recreation and culturally enriching activities.



Economic Opportunity

All people, businesses and places are thriving economically.



Effective and Efficient Government

All people trust that their government responsibly manages resources, provides exceptional services and equitably represents them.



Empowerment and Support for Residents Facing Vulnerability

All residents facing vulnerability are empowered and supported to live independent lives to their fullest potential.



Health and Environment

All people can attain their highest level of health and well-being within a healthy sustainable environment.



Housing and Neighborhood Livability

All people live in communities that foster safe, enjoyable and affordable living experiences.



Lifelong Education and Learning

All residents at every stage of life are taking advantage of inclusive, responsive and accessible learning opportunities that enable them to grow, prosper and thrive.



Mobility and Transportation

All residents, businesses, visitors and goods can move efficiently, affordably and safely throughout the county and beyond via our well-designed and maintained network of roads, sidewalks, trails and transit options.



Safety and Security

All people feel safe at home, school, work and in the community.

Guiding Principles Across All Priority Areas



Racial and Social Equity

Access

Affordability

Collaboration and Engagement

Innovation

Sustainability

Placemaking

Indicators of Success Across All Priority Areas



Cultural and Recreational Opportunities

- Access to culture and recreation opportunities
- Awareness and appreciation of diverse cultures
- Satisfaction with cultural and recreation opportunities
- Representation and promotion of diverse cultures



Empowerment and Support for Residents Facing Vulnerability

- Respect, understanding and engagement of residents facing vulnerability
- Access and utilization of services
- Integration and quality of services
- Self-sufficiency



Lifelong Education and Learning

- Early childhood education
- Academic attainment
- Career-based education attainment
- Participation in learning opportunities
- Technology and learning
- Language proficiency



Economic Opportunity

- Business health and industry diversification
- Personal/family economic stability and mobility
- Workforce readiness
- Economic innovation
- Economic vibrancy of communities



Health and Environment

- Access to health-promoting services and infrastructure
- Physical and behavioral health conditions
- Air, water, and land quality
- Environmental policies and practices



Mobility and Transportation

- Multi-modal transportation efficiency
- Infrastructure condition, sustainability and environmental impact
- Traveler safety
- Accessibility, affordability and equity



Effective and Efficient Government

- Customer satisfaction
- Community engagement
- County and school workforce
- Technology and facilities
- Financial sustainability and trustworthiness



Housing and Neighborhood Livability

- Housing affordability and quality
- Housing quantity and availability
- Accessibility to amenities that promote healthy neighborhoods
- Flexibility and adaptability of land use regulations
- Homelessness



Safety and Security

- Adherence to laws and regulations
- Timeliness and quality of emergency response
- Effectiveness and equity of administration of justice
- Safety-related prevention and preparedness
- Reliability and security of critical infrastructure