



Community Workshop | March 30, 2022

### Workshop Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- Presentation
- Q&A
- Small Group Discussions
- Reports Back
- Next Steps



#### Modesto 2050 General Plan Update

The City's long-term plan to address land use, transportation, economic development, resiliency, environmental justice, and other important issues

- Addresses the city's long-term future and plans ahead toward 2050
- Establishes a community vision and supporting goals, policies, and actions
- Balances growth, conservation, and quality of life
- Guides decisions about transportation, economic development, housing, parks, shopping, services, and more



## Existing Urban Area General Plan

- City's prior comprehensive General Plan
  Update in 1995
- Several General Plan amendments since then
- Policy changes have supported mixed-use infill along transportation corridors



**Corridor Development Concepts** 



#### **General Plan "Elements"**

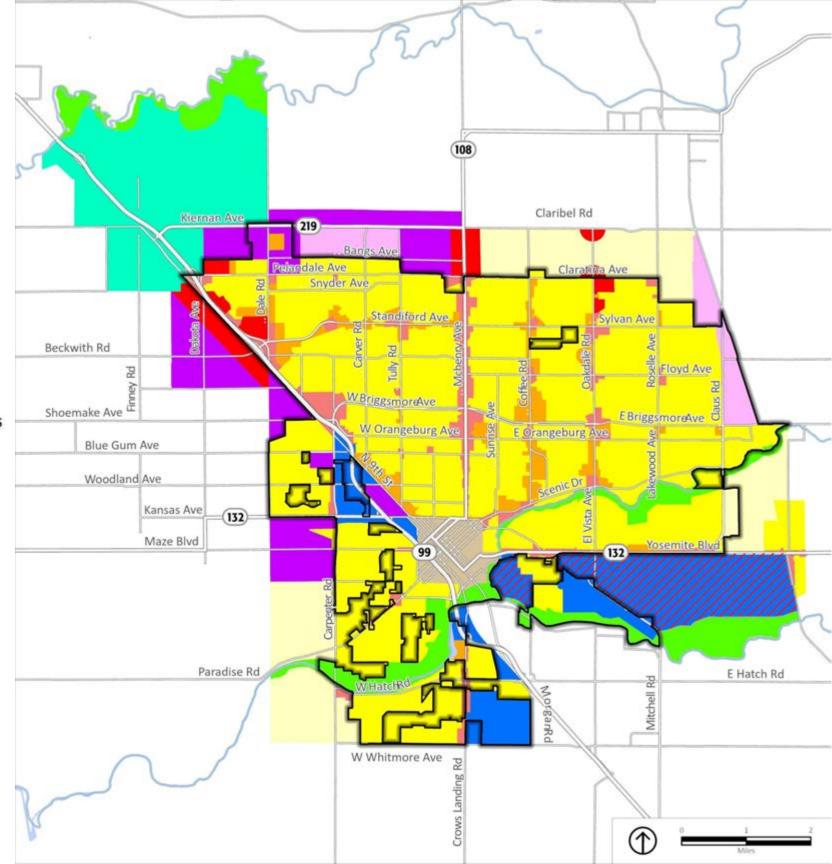
- » Required Topics:
- Land Use
- Transportation
- Safety
- Noise
- Open Space
- Conservation
- Environmental Justice
- Air Quality
- Housing





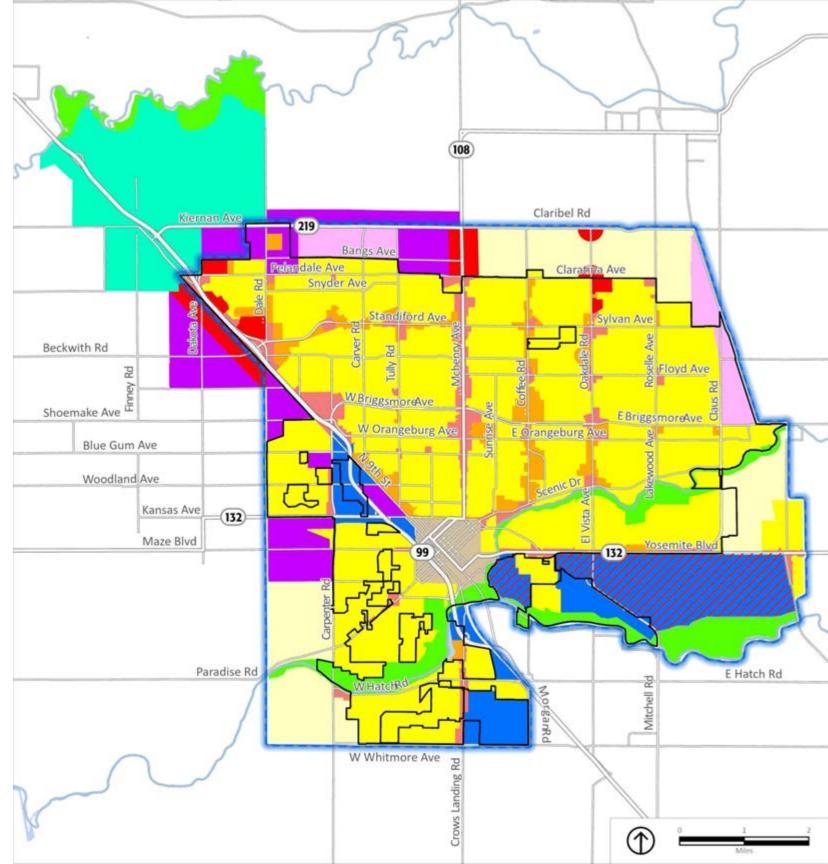
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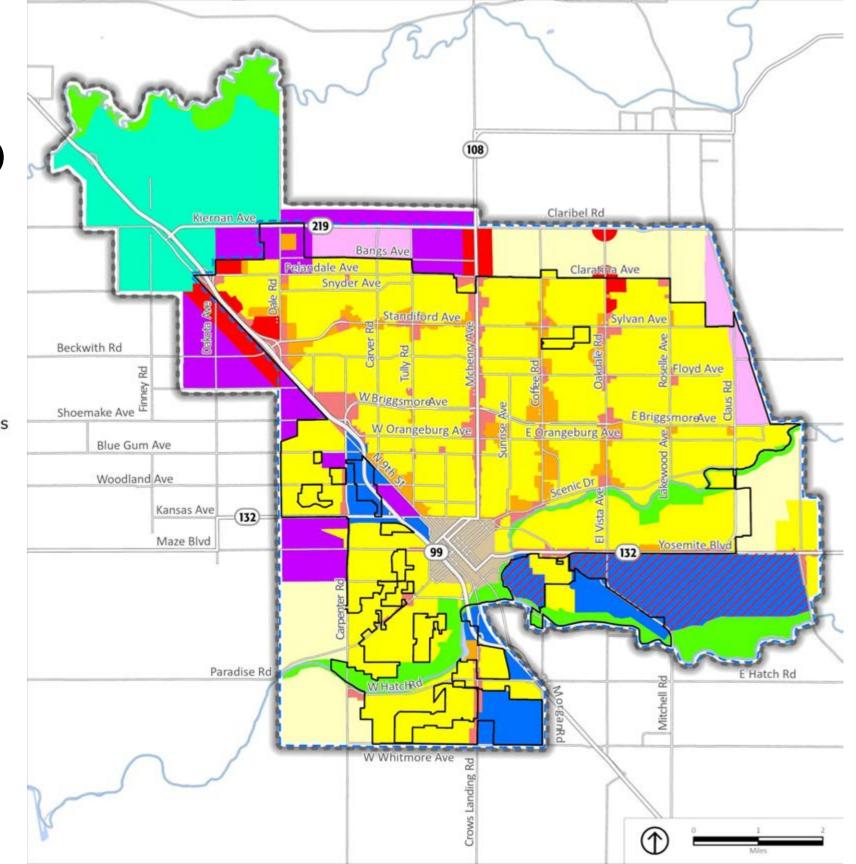
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#### **How Does the General Plan Affect You?**

- Neighborhoods
- Jobs
- Shopping
- Roadways
- Schools and Parks





#### General Plan Update Process



- » Visioning and Public Engagement Through March 2022 and ongoing
- Establish the community's vision for Modesto in 2050
- Document baseline conditions in Modesto in an online Briefing Book available now:

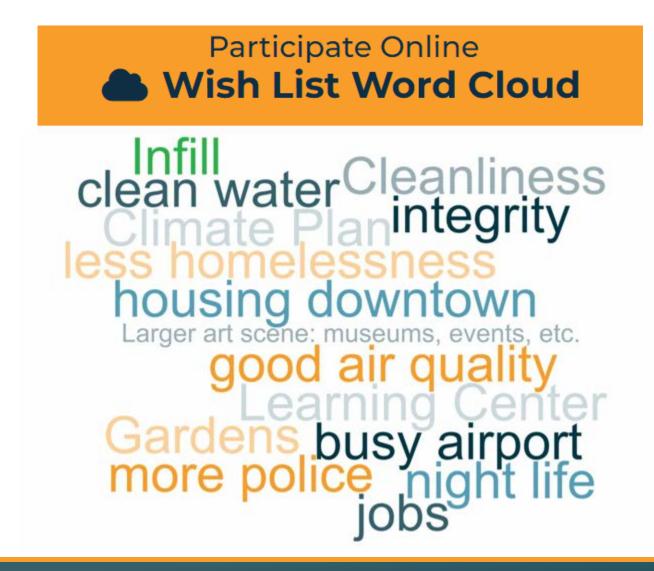
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#### **Opportunities to Participate**

Sign up online to be notified of upcoming events and see documents.

- Website: <u>gp2050.modestogov.com</u>
- Online Surveys
- Community Workshops
  - » Virtual
  - » In person
- Pop-up events
- Focus Groups
- Planning Commission
- City Council





## Workshop Exercise

- Small Group Discussions (50 mins)
- Questions:
  - » Things to Keep: What do you like most about Modesto?
  - » Things to Change: What would you like to see changed in Modesto to make it a better place to live and work?
  - » Topics to Address: Ranking exercise to help prioritize issues to be addressed as part of the General Plan Update.
  - » Future Development: Where should future development be focused?





### Workshop Exercise

#### Recap (10 mins)

- » Choose a representative from your small group
- » Review notes and identify what your representative will report back to the larger group
- » Keep reports brief (1 to 2 minutes)



#### Q&A



#### **Next Steps**

- Draft community vision
- Land use alternatives
- Monitor website for updates:

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# Thank you





