



# RICHMOND RISING

Steering Committee Meeting # 3

May 22, 2019

# Tonight's Agenda

- ▷ Status update
- ▷ Draft Plan Components
- ▷ Small Group Activities
- ▷ Next steps

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# Status Update

What have we been working on?



# Public Open House Results

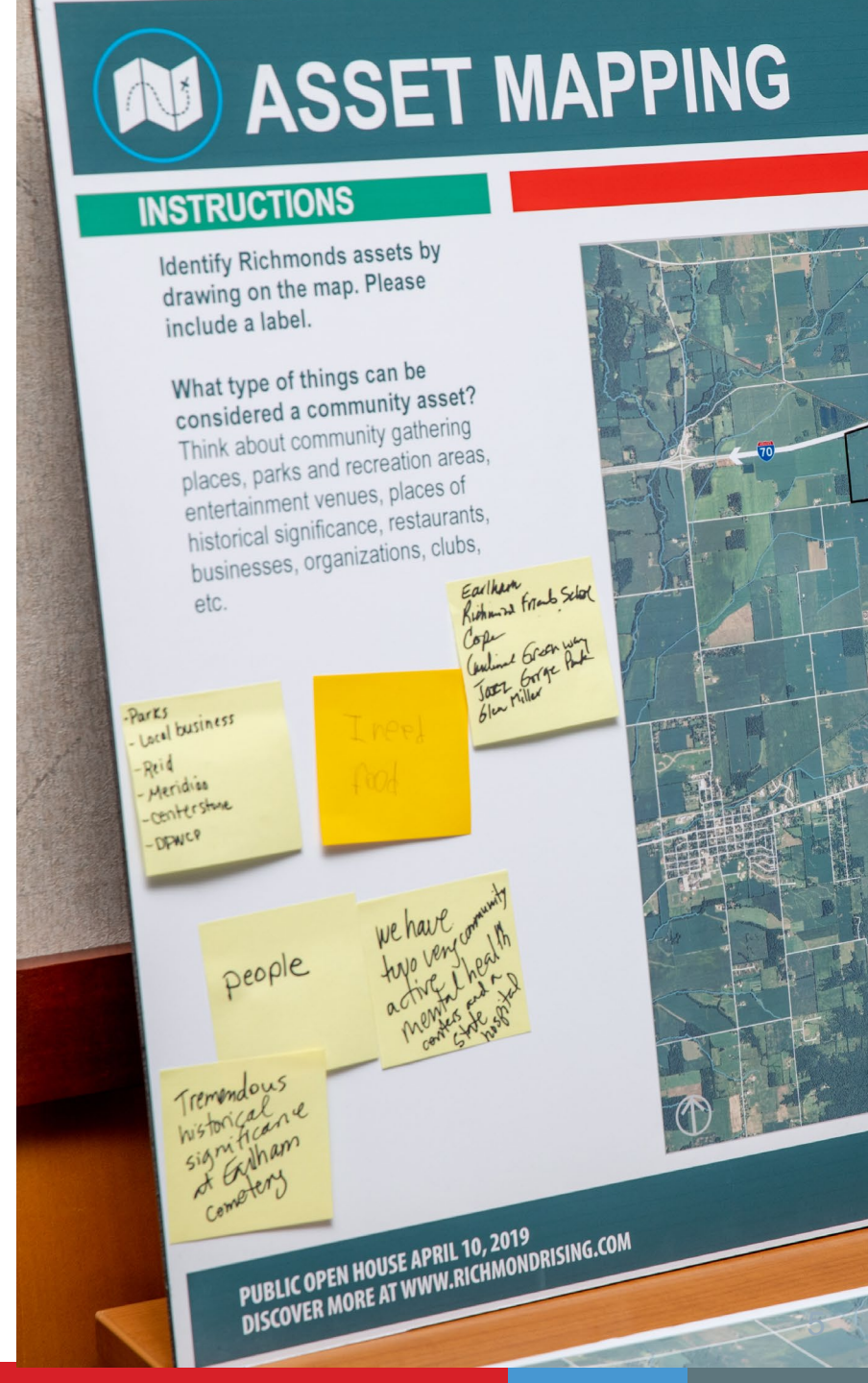
- ▷ Over 60 people attended
- ▷ 10 activity stations
- ▷ Full summary is posted on the project website





# What did we hear?

- ▶ The current vision statement is too wordy and needs to be condensed.
- ▶ Popular community assets:
  - Education and healthcare institutions
  - Parks
  - Restaurants
  - Local organizations



# What did we hear?

- ▷ The top rated community values include:
- Vibrant downtown
  - Diverse/quality jobs
  - Parks and recreation
  - Sidewalks, trails, and pedestrian crossings
  - Higher education and vocational training





# What did we hear?

- ▷ Richmond Rising means:
  - A rebirth of Richmond
  - Community engagement and inclusiveness
  - Fresh ideas
  - Overcoming our challenges
  - Making a come back
  - Rising about our struggles





# Online Survey

- ▷ Same questions as public meeting
- ▷ Opened for 4 weeks
- ▷ 86 people completed the survey
- ▷ A full summary will be posted on the project website shortly.



# Stakeholder Meeting Update

- ▷ 6 topic groups over the course of one day
- ▷ Over 60 people invited, 36 people attended
- ▷ Full summary is posted to the project website





# How will this information be used?

- ▷ Identify the top challenges
- ▷ Draft the vision statement
- ▷ Draft goal statements
- ▷ Serve as the foundation for the recommendation

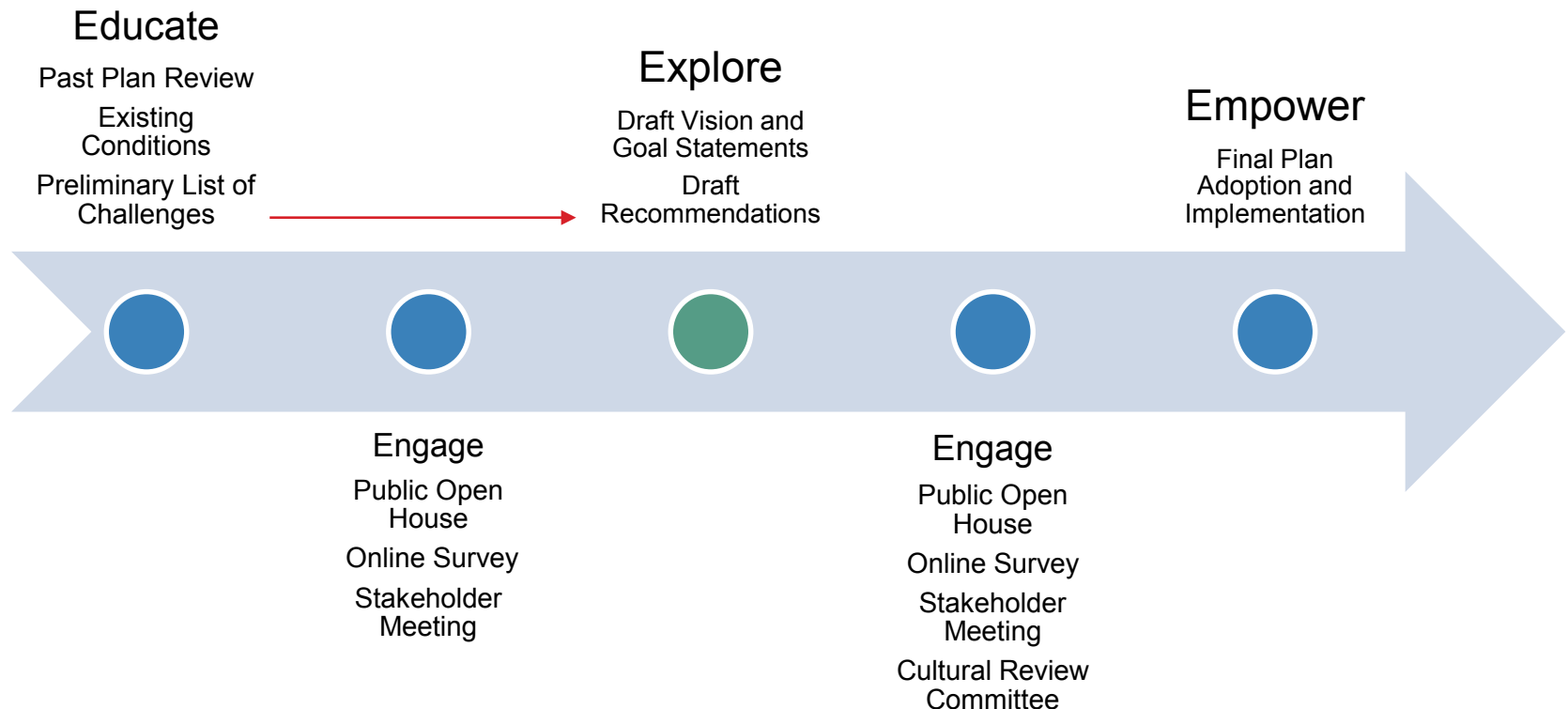
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## Draft Plan Components

How does this translate into a plan?



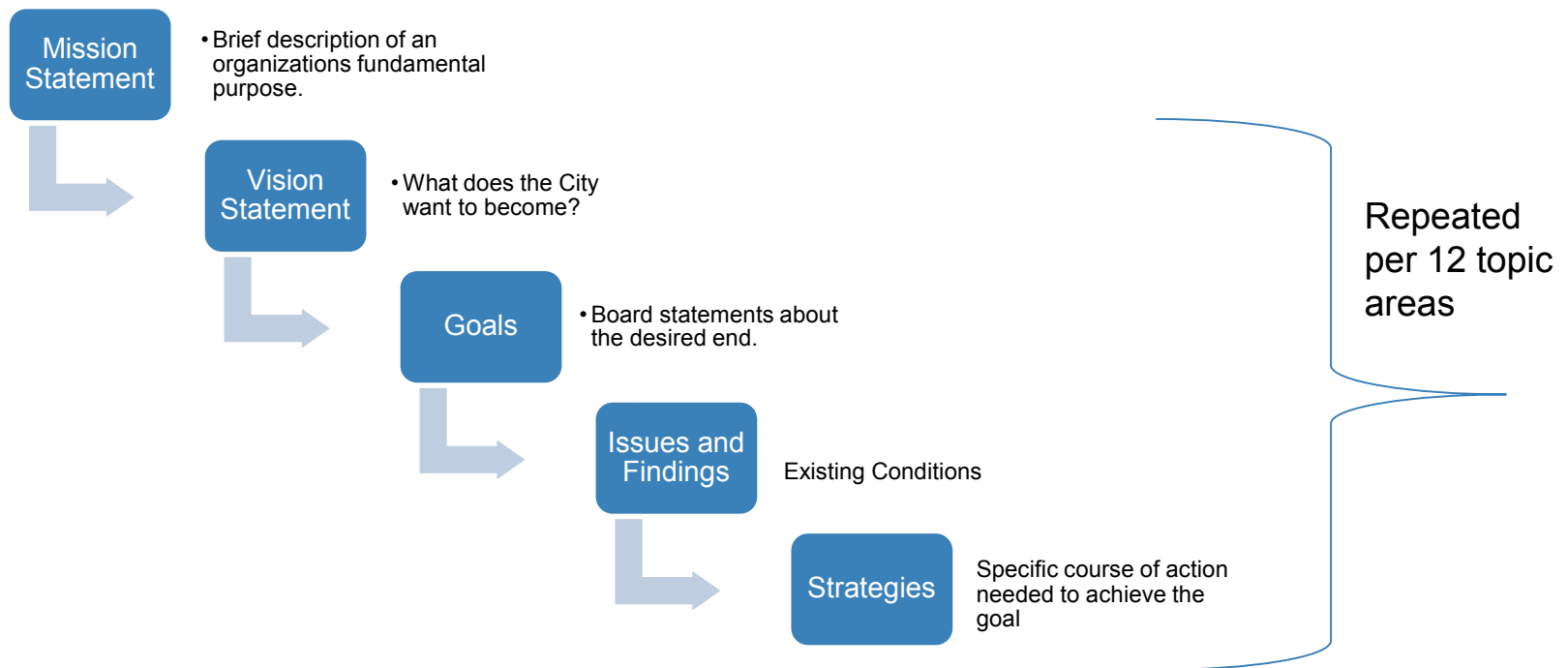
# Planning Process







# Current Comp Plan Organization





# Tonight we will be discussing -

- ▷ Plan Organization
- ▷ Top Challenges
- ▷ Draft Vision and Goals
- ▷ Former Hospital Site



## Just as a reminder!

- ▷ Please review these materials with the interest and perspective of your organization and community connections.

3.

# Small Group Activities

We need your help!





Let's get started!

4.

## Next Steps

What will we do now?

# HOMEWORK!

- ▷ Review of the existing conditions report.
  - ▷ Read it!
  - ▷ Review it from your organizations perspective
  - ▷ You are the local expert! Look for inaccurate information or language that needs to be clarified
  - ▷ Provide edits and/or comments back to us.

# HOMEWORK!

- ▷ Gather input on the draft vision and goals.
  - ▷ Pick one goal that you find is most important or relative to the organization that you are representing.
  - ▷ Start a discuss with other people in your organization about this goal.
    - ▷ Did we miss something? Does it make sense?
    - ▷ Help us identify projects or initiatives that could help us achieve that goal.
- ▷ Provide feedback to us by Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup> via email.



# What's Next?

- ▷ Refinement of draft plan components
- ▷ Refinement of the existing conditions report
- ▷ Steering Committee #4 – Mid July

# THANK YOU!

Any questions?

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