



CHICO 2030 GENERAL PLAN IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE



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INTRODUCTION

This Implementation Guide accompanies the Chico 2030 General Plan to help implement the Plan's adopted Actions. It identifies each General Plan Action, the department(s) responsible for its implementation, and a general timeframe for completion.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE GENERAL PLAN

By adopting the General Plan, the City Council acknowledges the importance of implementing the Plan's Actions. While the City is committed to the adopted Actions, implementation of specific programs may be subject to funding constraints and may need to be modified in the future to reflect changing priorities and conditions. The Implementation Guide will be reviewed annually and updated as needed to reflect General Plan amendments, implementation progress, community priorities, or changing conditions.

The Implementation Guide will be included in future General Plan Annual Reports to show progress in implementing the General Plan. It may also be used to help monitor the individual actions that serve as mitigation for the environmental impacts resulting from build-out of the General Plan Land Use Diagram.

FUNDING

Implementing of General Plan actions is funded primarily through the City's General Fund. In addition, the City has a General Plan fee that is collected for building permits to cover a portion of the cost of General Plan adoption, implementation, and amendments over time. The City also pursues other resources to implement General Plan actions, including grants and collaborations with other agencies, special districts, and organizations. Coordinating the City's annual budget with department work plans will aid in prioritizing and directing implementation of General Plan actions.

TIMEFRAMES

The Implementation Guide identifies a target time period for accomplishing each action. Some actions are noted as "ongoing" which means that there is not a specific point when the action will be completed; the City will rather continue implementing the action through the life of the General Plan.

The following four implementation time frames, or phases, are referenced in the Guide:

Phase I – Within the first two years after General Plan adoption.

Phase II – Within five years of Plan adoption; by the year 2016



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Phase III – Within ten years of Plan adoption; by the year 2021

Phase IV – Within the Plan’s time horizon; by the year 2030

THE IMPLEMENTATION TABLE

The implementation table is a comprehensive list of all the actions from the 12 General Plan elements, with the responsible parties and timeframe for implementation listed for each.

The implementation table includes the following acronyms in reference to responsible parties:

BDSB = Building and Development Services Department
CA = City Attorney’s Office
CC = City Clerk’s Office
CM = City Manager’s Office
CPSD = Capital Project Services Department
F = Finance Department
FD = Fire Department

GSD = General Services Department
HNSD = Housing and Neighborhood Services Department
HRRM = Human Resources & Risk Management
IS = Information Systems
OM = Operations and Maintenance
PD = Police Department
PSD = Planning Services Department

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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
2. – SUSTAINABILITY			
SUS-1.2.1 (Sustainability Indicators)	Develop broad and measurable sustainability indicators for the economy, environment, and social equity to be assessed in General Plan Annual Reports and Five Year Reviews as a measure of the City’s progress toward sustainability. Revise the indicators as necessary to best evaluate the City’s progress	GSD, PSD	Phase I
SUS-1.3.1 (Sustainability Programs)	Identify and develop programs and initiatives that advance Chico’s sustainability goals.	GSD, PSD	ongoing
SUS-1.3.2 (Sustainability Materials)	Develop sustainability training materials to educate City staff and the community on the City’s sustainability goals and efforts.	GSD, HRRM, PSD	Phase II
SUS-1.3.3 (Sustainability Coordinator)	Assign the title of Sustainability Coordinator to a City staff member.	GSD	Phase I
SUS-1.4.1 (Community Building Programs)	Continue to support and promote special community events and programs at City and public facilities that foster community pride, celebrate local culture and history, and promote social equity and tolerance.	CM, HNSD, BDS, GSD	ongoing
SUS-1.4.2 (Diversity Action Plan)	Update the City’s Diversity Action Plan as necessary.	CM	ongoing
SUS-1.5.1 (Sustainability Webpage)	Create a webpage that describes the City’s sustainability efforts, identifies partnerships, and provides educational resources and opportunities for community members.	GSD	Phase I
SUS-1.5.2 (Sustainable Partnerships)	Participate in conferences and meetings that promote sustainability.	Citywide	ongoing
SUS-1.5.3 (Green Business)	Work with local partners to develop a Chico Green Business certification program to recognize local businesses that implement measures to conserve	GSD	Phase II



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Program)	energy and water, minimize waste, and prevent pollution.		
SUS-2.1.1 (Communication Technology)	Utilize new technology, as available, to improve communication with residents, including alternative ways to share information, notice hearings, and solicit or receive public input on local issues.	CC, IS, PSD	ongoing
SUS-2.1.2 (Neighborhoods and Planning)	Facilitate participation by neighborhood organizations in local decision-making.	PSD, HNSD	ongoing
SUS-2.2.1 (Agency Website Links)	Maintain links from the City website to other agencies that make decisions about local matters.	PSD, CC, IS	Phase II, then ongoing
SUS-3.1.1 (Environmentally Preferable Purchasing Program)	Develop and implement an Environmentally Preferable Purchasing Program that directs the purchase of products and services for municipal operations that are environmentally preferable (e.g., renewable, recyclable, non-toxic) and sold locally to the maximum extent economically and legally feasible.	GSD-lead, Citywide	Phase II
SUS-3.2.1 (Municipal Operations)	Perform energy audits of existing City operations and maintenance practices every four years to identify and implement energy savings measures	GSD, BDS	ongoing
SUS-3.2.2 (Energy Generation)	Continue to explore opportunities to generate energy on City properties.	GSD	ongoing
SUS-3.3.1 (Municipal Recycling)	Promote the use of recycling bins at municipal facilities, public parks, and recreational spaces, and as necessary, increase the size, durability, and number of recycling bins as well as the range of materials accepted.	GSD	Phase III
SUS-3.3.2 (Materials Reduction and Reuse)	Explore opportunities to reduce consumption and increase reuse of materials, vehicles and equipment in City operations.	GSD-lead, Citywide	ongoing
SUS-3.3.3 (Sustainable Departments)	Monitor each City department's progress toward reducing the environmental impact of City operations.	CM, GSD	Phase I, then ongoing
SUS-3.4.1 (Fuel-Efficient Fleet)	As needed, purchase new municipal fleet vehicles and equipment that are highly fuel-efficient, use alternative-fuel, or electricity, allowing flexibility for maintenance, safety, and other special use vehicles.	GSD, PD, HNSD,	ongoing

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		BDS, FD	
SUS-4.1.1 (Green Facilities)	Construct new significant municipal facilities to at least the baseline certification level of Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED), or its equivalent.	GSD, BDS	ongoing
SUS-4.1.2 (City-Funded Green Projects)	Incorporate green building materials and techniques in projects financed by the City, allowing flexibility for costs including long-term operating costs.	CM, HNSD, CPSD, GSD	ongoing
SUS-4.2.1 (Public Landscaping)	Install drought tolerant landscaping and water conserving irrigation systems at City facilities, medians, and parkway strips to reduce water use and maintenance costs.	GSD, CPSD	ongoing
SUS-4.3.1 (Green Development Checklist)	Include a Green Development Checklist and supporting materials with City planning and building permits highlighting ways to incorporate green development principles into project design.	BDS, PSD	Phase II, then ongoing
SUS-4.3.2 (Green Staff Training)	Provide regular training to ensure that City employees are able to implement the State's Green Building Code, conduct energy audits, and review or rate green building projects.	BDS	ongoing
SUS-4.3.3 (Reduce Heat Gain)	Establish standards for new non-residential structures, such as reflective roofing or light colored pavement to reduce the heat gain associated with traditional urban development.	PSD, BDS	Phase II
SUS-5.1.1 (Clean Energy Loan Program)	Explore implementation of a City-sponsored clean energy program to provide low-interest loans to property owners for the installation of energy efficiency improvements or renewable energy devices.	BDS, Finance, CM	Phase III
SUS-5.1.2 (PG&E and Education)	Consult with PG&E to promote public education about energy efficiency and conservation methods, and encourage them to provide more energy from renewable sources	BDS, GSD	Phase II
SUS-5.1.3 (Energy Efficiency Upgrades)	Monitor compliance with City requirements for energy conservation upgrades upon resale of homes and improve public awareness of the requirements.	BDS	ongoing



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SUS-5.2.1 (Integration of Energy Efficiency Technology)	Utilize City incentives identified in Action LU-2.3.1 to encourage the integration of energy efficiency measures and renewable energy devices, in addition to those required by the state, during early project review.	PSD, BDSD	ongoing
SUS-5.2.2 (Educational Material)	Provide builders and homeowners with resources and information about energy efficiency and renewable energy technologies at the Municipal Hall Planning and Building counters and on the City's website.	BDSB, PSD	Phase II, then ongoing
SUS-5.2.3 (Passive Solar)	Incorporate passive solar design principles (e.g., building materials, high-albedo roofs, eaves, window placement, landscaping, and building orientation) into the Design Guidelines Manual.	PSD	Phase II
SUS-5.2.4 (Remove Barriers to Renewable Energy)	Revise the Municipal Code to allow deviations from normal development standards such as height limits, setbacks, or screening when doing so is necessary to allow the efficient use of renewable energy devices.	PSD	Phase I
SUS-6.2.1 (Emission Reduction Actions)	Use the Climate Action Plan to guide the City's actions to meet the City's greenhouse gas emissions reduction goal.	GSD, Citywide	Phase I, then ongoing
SUS-6.2.2 (Greenhouse Gas Inventory)	Update the Citywide Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory at least every five years, and compare the results with previous inventories to evaluate progress towards the City's greenhouse gas emissions reduction goal.	GSD	ongoing
SUS-6.2.3 (Climate Action Plan)	Review and revise as necessary the Climate Action Plan to reduce greenhouse gas emissions consistent with the City's 2020 emission reduction goal, and revisit the need for new goals beyond 2020	GSD	ongoing
SUS-7.1.1 (Farmers Markets)	Allow farmers markets to operate on City-owned properties, where consistent with other municipal uses.	PSD, CM, BDSB	Phase I, then ongoing
SUS-7.1.2 (Local Food Sales)	Amend the Municipal Code to allow farmers markets and other local food distribution centers as a permitted use in appropriate zoning districts, and establish standards for their use.	PSD	Phase I
SUS-7.1.3 (Small Animals)	Amend the Municipal Code to reduce barriers to small animal keeping in	PSD	Phase I

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	residential districts, with consideration for neighborhood compatibility.		
SUS-7.2.1 (Community Gardens)	Amend the Municipal Code to allow community gardens as a permitted use in appropriate zoning districts, including multi-family residential, and establish standards for their use.	PSD	Phase I
SUS-7.2.2 (Identify Community Garden Locations)	Conduct an inventory of existing community gardens, and identify opportunities for community gardens on public properties.	PSD, HNSD	Phase II
SUS-7.2.3 (Gardening as Recreation)	Request that the Chico Area Recreation and Parks District and other local gardening or agricultural organizations promote community gardens by offering classes such as gardening and composting and by allowing community gardens at their facilities.	PSD	Phase II
3. – LAND USE			
LU-1.1.1 (Sphere of Influence)	Update the City’s Sphere of Influence as depicted in the General Plan Land Use Diagram.	PSD	Phase II
LU-1.1.2 (Coordinated Planning)	Consult with Butte County and other entities, as appropriate, to facilitate a coordinated approach to land use planning within the Planning Area.	PSD	ongoing
LU-1.1.3 (Shared Responsibility Agreements)	Consider agreements for critical planning topics and activities with Butte County and other agencies and special districts	PSD	ongoing
LU-1.1.4 (Electronic Permitting)	Fully implement an electronic permitting program for processing and record keeping of building, planning, and engineering projects.	BDS, PSD, IS	Phase II
LU-1.2.1 (Greenline)	Retain the Greenline.	PSD	ongoing
LU-1.2.2 (Foothill Development)	Apply the City’s Foothill Development Standards to projects in foothill areas.	PSD	ongoing
LU-1.3.1 (Public Investment in Infrastructure)	When setting priorities for public infrastructure spending, give particular attention to improvements that will support development and redevelopment of the designated Opportunity Sites	CPSD, CM, BDS, PSD, HNSD	ongoing



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LU-1.3.2 (Special Planning Area Studies)	Require public facility financing plans, infrastructure phasing plans, and other studies as applicable in connection with development applications for Special Planning Areas.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
LU-1.3.3 (LAFCo Coordination)	Require that applications for sphere of influence updates and annexations are consistent with Local Agency Formation Commission requirements and include a conceptual plan for the affected territory, including pre-zoning and a plan for infrastructure financing and phasing.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
LU-2.2.1 (Annual Report)	Provide an annual report to the Planning Commission and City Council on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of the General Plan and progress in its implementation • Status of Sustainability Indicators • General Plan amendments 	PSD, GSD	ongoing
LU-2.2.2 (Five-Year Review)	Provide a comprehensive General Plan Review to the Planning Commission and City Council every five years, that addresses the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of the General Plan and progress in its implementation • Status of Sustainability Indicators • General Plan amendments • An evaluation of development trends, current land supply (projected vs. actual), market conditions, and the ability to meet future needs • The need for any policy changes to address the conclusions of the above evaluation 	PSD, GSD	ongoing
LU-2.3.1 (Provide Incentives)	To support desired development patterns and economic development opportunities, continue the use of, and expand as appropriate, City incentives, including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priority project processing • Deferral of development impact or permit fees • Flexibility in development standards such as parking, setbacks, and landscaping requirements 	CM, PSD, BDS	ongoing

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Density and intensity bonuses Support for infrastructure upgrades 		
LU-2.3.2 (Allowed Uses)	Amend the Municipal Code to reflect and implement the General Plan's land use designations.	PSD, CA	Phase I
LU-2.3.3 (Encourage Mixed-Use Development)	Allow horizontal and vertical mixed uses in the following land use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Residential Mixed Use Neighborhood Commercial Commercial Mixed Use Regional Commercial Office Mixed Use Industrial Office Mixed Use 	PSD	ongoing
LU-2.3.4 (Require Mixed-Use)	Require horizontal or vertical mixed-use in the following land use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Special Mixed Use Mixed Use Neighborhood Core Special Planning Areas (with the exception of the Bell-Muir SPA) 	PSD	ongoing
LU-2.3.5 (Incentives for Vertical Mixed-Use)	Utilize City incentives identified in Action LU-2.3.1 to support vertical mixed-use projects.	PSD, BDS, CM	ongoing
LU-2.3.6 (Increase Discretion of Large Format Retail)	Consider mechanisms to increase City discretion regarding new or expanded large-format retail uses.	PSD, CA	Phase II
LU-2.4.1 (Update Zoning Ordinance)	Establish zoning districts, use regulations, development standards, and performance requirements in the Municipal Code consistent with the General Plan.	PSD, CA	Phase I
LU-2.4.2 (Update Zoning Map)	Amend the Zoning Map to be consistent with the General Plan Land Use Diagram.	PSD	Phase I



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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
LU-2.4.3 (Best Practices Manual)	Update the City's Best Practices Manual.	PSD	Phase II
LU-2.4.4 (Design Guidelines)	Maintain and update, as necessary, the City's Design Guidelines Manual.	PSD	ongoing
LU-2.5.1 (Resource Constraint Overlay)	For development proposals on properties with the Resource Constraint Overlay, which highlights known sensitive resource areas, land owners must conduct detailed environmental studies, adhere to CEQA requirements, and coordinate with resource agencies to determine actual development potential. Development proposals for a density or intensity of use above that assumed for the purposes of General Plan projections and the General Plan EIR will need to address impacts not evaluated as part of the General Plan	PSD	ongoing
LU-2.7.1 (General Plan Consistency Review)	Conduct a General Plan review in conjunction with adoption of policy and regulatory documents to ensure consistency with relevant provisions of the General Plan.	PSD	ongoing
LU-3.3.1 (Development of Neighborhood Plans)	Facilitate and encourage the participation of neighborhood groups and associations in the preparation of neighborhood plans that articulate a vision for the neighborhood, identify neighborhood priorities for future public improvements and capital projects, and serve as a focal point for neighborhood involvement in improvement projects.	HNSD	ongoing
LU-3.4.1 (Rehabilitation)	Provide flexibility in development standards for building retrofits when doing so will advance Policy LU-4.2	PSD	Phase I
LU-3.4.2 (Improve Substandard Properties)	Continue the Housing Rehabilitation Program to provide deferred-payment loans and grants to low-income homeowners to improve their properties.	HNSD	ongoing
LU-3.4.3 (Code Enforcement)	Continue the City's Code Enforcement efforts to preserve existing neighborhoods through the elimination of blight and improvement of substandard housing.	HNSD	ongoing
LU-3.4.4 (Provision of Infrastructure)	Upgrade and provide infrastructure in existing neighborhoods consistent with adopted neighborhood plans as funding is available.	CPSD, HNSD	ongoing
LU-4.1.1 (Education about the	Provide community education regarding the benefits of infill through the	HNSD, PSD,	ongoing

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Benefits of Infill)	neighborhood planning process and in the analysis, recommendations, and findings for infill development projects and capital expenditures that support infill and redevelopment.	CPSD	
LU-4.1.2 (Tiered Fee Structure)	Adopt a tiered development fee program that varies fees by development type and location in recognition of the different impacts that various types of development have on City services and infrastructure costs	BDS, PSD	Phase II
LU-4.2.1 (Residential Infill Guidelines)	Amend the Design Guidelines Manual to include residential infill guidelines that address compatibility between new and existing development such as visual intrusion and massing within a transition zone.	PSD	Phase II
LU-4.2.2 (Mix of Dwelling Types)	Allow a mix of dwelling types within all residential land use designations consistent with density requirements and applicable design criteria.	PSD	ongoing
LU-4.2.3 (Pre-Application Meetings)	For projects proposed on or adjacent to residentially zoned property, which require a discretionary approval by the Planning Commission or City Council, require applicants to have a pre-application neighborhood meeting with interested parties in the respective neighborhood to hear issues and consider input.	PSD	ongoing
LU-5.1.1 (Incentives for Opportunity Site Development)	Utilize City incentives identified in Action LU-2.3.1 to promote infill development, redevelopment, rehabilitation, and mixed-use projects in the designated Opportunity Sites.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
LU-5.1.2 (Midpoint Density for Corridor Opportunity Sites)	<p>Require that projects within Corridor Opportunity Sites be developed at or above the midpoint of the allowable density range unless one or more of the following findings are made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The proposed project does not include residential development because the land use designation does not require (but rather allows) residential development. • Site considerations such as parcel size, configuration, environmental resources, or other features make achieving the midpoint infeasible or undesirable. • Infrastructure constraints make achieving the midpoint impractical. 	PSD	ongoing



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LU-5.1.3 (Flexible Parking)	Amend the Municipal Code to allow flexibility for parking reductions and parking in shared lots.	PSD, CA	Phase I
LU-5.1.4 (Streetscape Enhancement)	As part of future roadway improvement projects in the Corridor Opportunity Sites, incorporate streetscape enhancements such as bulb-outs, benches, wide and separated sidewalks, on-street parking, public art, and street trees to improve the pedestrian environment and serve as a catalyst for revitalization.	CPSD	ongoing
LU-5.1.5 (Redevelopment Partnerships)	Actively seek and support partnerships between the City, property owners, and developers for redevelopment in the Regional Center Opportunity Sites.	PSD, CM	ongoing
LU-6.1.1 (Designation of Future Special Planning Areas)	Require an amendment to the General Plan for a designation of a new Special Planning Area.	PSD	ongoing
LU-6.1.2 (Amendment to Existing Special Planning Areas)	Require an amendment to the General Plan Land Use Diagram and corresponding conceptual land use plan for any significant change to a Special Planning Area boundary.	PSD	ongoing
LU-6.2.1 (SPA Planning Requirements)	<p>Require more detailed land use planning in the form of a specific plan, planned development, or other comprehensive plan for each Special Planning Area (SPA) prior to development occurring on vacant land within a SPA. In addition to the Actions specific to each SPA, subsequent land use planning shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a parcel-specific land use plan based on site, infrastructure, and environmental analysis. • Include the range of uses identified on the SPA conceptual land use plan (a conceptual land use plan is not intended to direct specific acreage or organization of land uses, but is intended to depict the general mix of desired land uses within the project area). • Have no significantly greater traffic, air quality, or noise impacts than those analyzed in the General Plan environmental analysis (residential and non-residential development assumptions for each SPA are provided in Appendix C). • Be consistent with the corresponding text for the SPA found in 	PSD	ongoing

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	Appendix C.		
LU-6.2.2 (Bell Muir SPA Planning)	<p>Plan the Bell Muir SPA with primarily low density housing compatible with existing residential development and ongoing agricultural uses in the area. Subsequent planning will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify locations for community gardens or small-scale farms and develop design guidelines and buffering requirements to address potential incompatibilities. • Address infrastructure needs with particular attention to storm drainage and circulation, including north-south connections to East Avenue and improved access to State Route 32. • Develop special lighting and street standards appropriate for the rural character of the area. 	PSD, BDS	ongoing
LU-6.2.3 (Barber Yard SPA Planning)	<p>Plan the Barber Yard SPA with a mix of low, medium and high residential densities, a neighborhood core or commercial mixed-use center, office and light industrial uses, and parks and open space. Subsequent planning will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address circulation with a focus on extending and improving existing streets into the site that will distribute traffic on multiple streets, and improving connectivity to the south in order to reduce traffic impacts on the existing residential neighborhood. • Incorporate adaptive reuse of existing buildings, where feasible. 	PSD, BDS	ongoing
LU-6.2.4 (Doe Mill/Honey Run SPA Planning)	<p>Plan the Doe Mill/Honey Run SPA with a broad range of housing types and densities integrated with significant open space and recreational areas, supporting commercial services, and public facilities. Subsequent planning will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address circulation with primary connections to the site via Skyway and E. 20th Street. • Incorporate accessible open space on the eastern portion of the SPA, a community park, as well as neighborhood and mini parks. • Maintain open space by clustering development and providing open space buffers on the northern, eastern, and southern edges of the SPA. 	PSD, BDS	ongoing



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include visual simulations to ensure that development is not visually intrusive as viewed from lower elevations. • Incorporate special lighting standards to reduce impacts on the nighttime sky. • Address wildland fire considerations. 		
LU-6.2.5 (North Chico SPA Planning)	<p>Plan the North Chico SPA with a combination of residential densities and supporting commercial uses along with industrial and office uses. Subsequent planning will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address the Hicks Lane/Eaton Road/SR 99 intersection and include an arterial roadway originating at Hicks Lane, extending to State Route 99. • Address Chico Municipal Airport overflight zone compatibility. • Avoid FEMA-designated flood zones, or incorporate strategies that allow development to occur in flood zones. 	PSD, BDSD	ongoing
LU-6.2.6 (South Entler SPA Planning)	<p>Plan the South Entler SPA with regional and community commercial uses integrated with office and industrial uses, a mix of residential densities, and open space. Subsequent planning will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address circulation with a focus on the intersection at Southgate Avenue and State Route 99 and providing multiple access points to the site. • Ensure that the SPA serves as a visually attractive “landmark” gateway at the south end of the City with freeway visibility. • Preserve and/or provide trees along the borders of the SPA to provide a buffer to adjacent agricultural uses and open space. • Avoid FEMA-designated flood zones, or incorporate strategies that allow development to occur in flood zones. 	PSD, BDSD	ongoing
LU-7.1.1 (Airport Compatibility)	<p>Amend the City’s Municipal Code and Zoning Map to implement airport overflight zoning district overlays, consistent with the boundaries and general policy direction contained within the Butte County Airport Land Use Compatibility Plan, which address the following:</p>	PSD	Phase I

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Airport noise-related compatibility issues and noise-resistant construction techniques. • Height limitations for both structures and landscaping. • Lighting, electrical interference, glare, or other issues which may endanger the landing, takeoff, or maneuvering of aircraft. • Prohibition of incompatible land uses and limitations on the density and/or intensity of land uses. • Infill compatibility criteria consistent with the 2005 agreement between the City and the Butte County Airport Land Use Commission. 		
LU-7.1.2 (Avigation Easements)	Continue to require avigation easements and deed notices for new development within the Airport Land Use Compatibility Plan area.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
LU-7.1.3 (Airport Certification)	Maintain Federal Aviation Agency Airport Certification of the Chico Municipal Airport for commercial passenger traffic.	CM	ongoing
4. – CIRCULATION			
CIRC-1.1.1 (Road Network)	Enhance existing roadways and intersections and develop the roadway system shown in Figure CIRC-1 over the life of the General Plan as needed to accommodate development.	BDS, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-1.5.1 (Traffic Analysis)	Monitor the development of MMLOS standards by the Transportation Research Board and other jurisdictions. When a valid methodology for Chico is identified, develop and adopt Transportation Impact Analysis Guidelines that include MMLOS standards specific to Chico to supersede the LOS standards. The MMLOS standards will apply to City-maintained roadways and will allow for flexibility as necessary to recognize site specific constraints, such as protecting sensitive resources, or ensuring pedestrian and bicycle safety.	BDS, PSD	Within 5 years of TRB development of MMLOS standards
CIRC 1.6.1 (Collect Multimodal Data)	Collect and analyze multimodal data for the City's intersections and roadway segments, paying particular attention to higher traffic volume intersections. Use this information on multimodal travel behavior to update, refine, and recalibrate, if necessary, the City's Travel Demand Forecasting	CPSD, BDS	Phase III, then ongoing



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	Model, which projects future traffic volumes.		
CIRC 1.6.2 (Travel Demand Model)	Enhance the City’s Travel Demand Forecasting Model to include the effects of smart growth on travel behavior and measure how changes in land uses and transportation facilities can reduce vehicle miles traveled and greenhouse gas emissions.	BDS, PSD	Phase III
CIRC-1.7.1 (Truck Routes)	In consultation with Butte County, the Butte County Association of Governments, and Caltrans, continue to designate and provide signed truck routes through the City, and ensure that City roadways are maintained.	BDS	ongoing
CIRC-1.8.1 (BCAG Collaboration)	Consult with BCAG on the development of the Regional Transportation Plan, and provide all information necessary for the Countywide traffic model to accurately reflect City development	BDS, PSD	ongoing
CIRC-1.8.2 (Sustainable Communities Strategy)	Participate in BCAG’s effort to prepare the regional Sustainable Communities Strategy.	PSD, BDS	Phase II, then ongoing
CIRC-1.8.3 (Caltrans Highway Improvements)	Consult with BCAG and Caltrans regarding the prioritization and timely construction of programmed freeway and interchange improvements on the state highway system.	BDS, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-2.1.1 (Complete Street Standards)	With consideration of street classification and function, design new streets to accommodate all modes of travel, including transit, bicycles, pedestrians, vehicles and parking.	CPSD, BDS	ongoing
CIRC-2.1.2 (Retrofitting Existing Streets)	Retrofit and upgrade existing streets, as funding allows, to include complete street amenities where appropriate, prioritizing improvements in locations that will improve the overall connectivity of the City’s network of bicycle and pedestrian facilities or result in increased safety.	CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-2.1.3 (Multimodal Connections)	Provide connections between and within existing and new neighborhoods for bicycles, pedestrians, and automobiles.	PSD, BDS, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-2.2.1 (Connectivity in Project Review)	New development shall include the following internal circulation features: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A grid or modified grid-based primary street system. Cul-de-sacs 	BDS, PSD, CPSD	ongoing

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	<p>are discouraged, but may be approved in situations where difficult site planning issues, such as odd lot size, topography, or physical constraints exist or where their use results in a more efficient use of land, however in all cases the overall grid pattern of streets should be maintained;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traffic-calming measures, where appropriate; • Roundabouts as alternative intersection controls, where appropriate; • Bicycle and pedestrian connections to adjacent streets, trails, public-spaces, and bicycle paths; and • Short block lengths consistent with City design standards. 		
CIRC 2.2.2 (Traffic Management)	Perform routine, ongoing evaluation of the street traffic control system, with emphasis on traffic management, such as signal timing and coordination or the use of roundabouts, to optimize traffic flow along arterial corridors and reduce vehicle emissions.	BDSB	ongoing
CIRC-2.2.3 (Traffic-Calming Measures)	Install appropriate traffic-calming devices, such as bulbing and reduced street widths, to discourage speeding and “cut-through” traffic on existing local streets.	CPSD, HNSD	ongoing
CIRC-2.2.4 (Safe Routes to Schools)	Work with the Chico Unified School District to identify, promote, and improve safe routes to schools.	BDSB, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-2.3.1 (Flexibility in Street Design)	<p>Update the Municipal Code to allow innovative and unique modifications to roadway standards under the following circumstances:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extraordinary construction requirements due to terrain, roadside development, or unusual right-of-way needs. • Significant environmental constraints. • As specified by Community Design policies regarding Chico’s scenic roadways and foothill locations. 	BDSB, CPSD, PSD	Phase II
CIRC-3.1.1 (Add Bicycle Facilities)	Incorporate bicycle facilities identified in the CUABP into public road construction projects and private development projects.	CPSD, BDSB, PSD	ongoing



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CIRC-3.1.2 (Bikeway Connections)	Increase connectivity of existing bike facilities to enhance bikeway network completeness.	BDSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.1.3 (Bicycle Crossings)	Identify and pursue funding to construct crossings at creeks, railroads, and roadways consistent with the Chico Urban Area Bicycle Plan to improve bicycle and pedestrian connectivity.	BDSD, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.1.4 (Regional Bicycle Trail Coordination)	Consult with Butte County, Butte County Association of Governments, and other agencies regarding implementation of a regional bikeway system	BDSD, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.1.5 (Bikeway Map)	Promote bicycle use by providing an updated map of Chico's bikeways to bicycle stores, CSU Chico, and other key meeting places for bicyclists.	BDSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.3.1 (Bikeway Requirements)	Require pedestrian and bicycle connections to the Citywide bikeway system every 500 feet, where feasible, as part of project approval and as identified in the Chico Urban Area Bicycle Plan.	BDSD, PSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.4.1 (Construction and Maintenance)	Continue to ensure that all new and improved streets have bicycle-safe drainage grates and are free of hazards such as uneven pavement and gravel. Maintain a program for the sweeping and repair of bikeways.	BDSD, CPSD, GSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.4.2 (Signage, Markings, and Lighting)	Continue to provide signage and markings to warn vehicular traffic of the existence of merging or crossing bicycle traffic where bikeways make transitions into or across roadways. Delineate and sign bikeways in accordance with Caltrans' standards and install, where feasible, lighting for safety and comfort.	CPSD, BDSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.4.3 (Bike Safety in Schools)	Consult with the Chico Unified School District, CSU Chico, and Butte College regarding development of an educational campaign promoting bicycle safety and Safe Routes to School programs.	BDSD, CPSD, PSD	Phase III
CIRC-3.4.4 (Bicycle Detection at Traffic Signals)	Continue to install bicycle detector loops at high volume bicycle/automobile intersections that have actuated signals.	BDSD, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-3.5.1 (Other Funding Sources)	Continue to pursue funding sources, including state and federal grants, for new bicycle facilities.	BDSD, CPSD	ongoing

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CIRC-3.6.1 (Bicycle Parking and Facilities)	Update the Municipal Code requirements for bicycle parking, and include where appropriate, requirements for bicycle-support facilities, such as personal lockers and showers.	PSD, CA	Phase I
CIRC-4.2.1 (Housing or Destination Connections)	Amend the Municipal Code to require new subdivisions and large-scale developments to include safe pedestrian walkways that provide direct links between streets and major destinations such as transit stops, schools, parks, shopping centers, and jobs.	BDSB, PSD, CA	Phase II
CIRC-4.2.2 (Neighborhood Planning of Street Improvements)	Continue to use the neighborhood planning process to identify neighborhood priorities for the improvement of existing streets, including pedestrian facilities.	HNSD, BDSB, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-4.3.1 (Safe Pedestrian Crossings)	As funding allows, improve pedestrian safety at intersections and other crossing locations by providing safe, well-marked pedestrian crossings, bulb-outs, on-street parking, audible warnings, or median refuges that reduce crossing widths.	CPSD, BDSB	ongoing
CIRC-4.3.2 (Expand Sidewalk Infrastructure)	As funding allows, continue installation of sidewalk and pedestrian-related infrastructure in areas not currently served	CPSD, BDSB, GSD	ongoing
CIRC-5.1.1 (Transit Master Plan)	Participate in BCAG's transit master planning efforts to help ensure that transit routes coincide with Chico's major destinations for employment and shopping, concentrations of housing, key institutions, and other land uses likely to supply riders for public transit.	BDSB, PSD, CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-5.1.2 (Intercity Bus Service)	In consultation with BCAG, Greyhound, and Amtrak, monitor demand for intercity bus transit service.	BDSB, PSD	ongoing
CIRC-5.1.3 (Transit Center)	Maintain the Downtown Transit Center as the key hub for intra-city public transportation.	BDSB	ongoing
CIRC-5.1.4 (Enhanced B-Line)	In consultation with BCAG, pursue funding sources and partnerships to support an enhanced B-Line with more frequent headways.	BDSB, PSD	Phase IV
CIRC-5.2.1 (Transit Oriented Development)	Support new development and redevelopment within the Central City and Corridor Opportunity Sites to support ridership.	PSD, BDSB	ongoing



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CIRC-5.2.2 (Central City Route Marketing)	Bolster community support, awareness, and ridership of a central city transit route by encouraging BCAG to solicit public input on the naming and exterior design of its transit vehicles.	PSD, BDS	Phase II
CIRC-5.3.1 (Roadway Transit Facilities)	When planning or retrofitting roadways, consult with BCAG regarding the inclusion of transit stops, shelters, bus turnouts, and other transit improvements.	BDS, CPSD, PSD	ongoing
CIRC-5.3.2 (Transit Improvements for New Development)	During project review, consult with BCAG to determine appropriate requirements for the installation of stops and streetscape improvements, if needed to accommodate transit.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
CIRC-6.1.1 (Land Use in Airport Vicinity)	Ensure that development in the area adjacent to the airport is compatible with airport operations.	PSD	ongoing
CIRC-6.2.1 (Routing Alternatives)	Continue to pursue additional passenger flights to and from Chico with varied origins and destinations.	CM	ongoing
CIRC-7.1.1 (Passenger Rail Service)	Investigate opportunities to partner with other agencies to explore the feasibility of expanding passenger rail service to Chico as part of a statewide system.	CM, BDS, PSD	Phase IV
CIRC-7.1.2 (Existing Railroad Crossings)	Continue ongoing partnerships to improve the condition and safety of railroad crossings by upgrading surface conditions and providing adequate signs and signals.	CPSD	ongoing
CIRC-7.1.3 (New Grade-Separated Crossings)	<p>Explore the feasibility of constructing new grade-separated crossings based on state criteria and funding availability at the following locations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State Route 32 at 8th and 9th streets (included in the Regional Transportation Plan); • West 8th Avenue; • West East Avenue; and • West Second Street. 	CPSD, BDS	Phase III
CIRC-8.1.1 (Parking)	Amend the Municipal Code to establish parking standards that support trip	PSD, BDS,	Phase I

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Standards)	reduction goals by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allowing parking reductions for projects that implement trip reduction methods (such as vehicle loan program and transit passes), for mixed-use developments; and for shared parking; and • Requiring new office projects with more than 25 employees to provide preferential on-site parking for carpools. 	CA	
CIRC-8.1.2 (Parking Requirements)	Amend the Municipal Code to include minimum and maximum parking requirements that reduce surface parking area and ensure areas are not over-parked based on development intensity, proximity to transit stations, and availability of nearby on-street parking and parking facilities.	PSD, BDS, CA	Phase I
CIRC-8.2.1 (Parking Facility Design)	Require that parking facilities are designed with convenient connections to adjoining businesses and the public right-of-way and, where possible, shared access between adjacent development. This may include reducing barriers between existing parking lots to facilitate shared parking and providing pedestrian connections between adjacent developments.	CPSD, BDS, PSD	ongoing
CIRC-8.2.2 (Public Parking Facilities)	When designing new public parking facilities, incorporate preferred parking for renewable energy vehicles and assess the need for electric vehicle charging stations.	CPSD, BDS	ongoing
CIRC-9.1.1 (City Travel Demand Management)	Implement a City of Chico Travel Demand Management Plan that provides incentives for City employees to commute in modes other than single-occupant vehicles.	HR, BDS, PSD	Phase II
CIRC-9.1.2 (Existing Employer Trip Reduction Programs)	Encourage employers to provide transit subsidies, bicycle facilities, alternative work schedules, ridesharing, telecommuting and work-at-home programs, and preferential parking for carpools/vanpools.	CM, PSD, BDS	Phase III
CIRC-9.1.3 (New Employer Trip Reduction Programs)	As a condition of project approval, require new non-residential projects that will employ more than 100 people to submit a Travel Demand Management Plan that identifies strategies, such as those listed in Action CIRC-9.1.2, to reduce single-occupancy vehicle trips.	PSD, BDS	ongoing



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5. – COMMUNITY DESIGN			
CD-1.1.1 (Highlight Features and Resources)	Incorporate and highlight natural features such as scenic vistas, creeks, and trees, as well as cultural resources such as rock walls, into project design	PSD	ongoing
CD-1.1.2 (Landscape Improvement)	Emphasize landscaping as a fundamental design component, retaining mature landscaping when appropriate, to reinforce a sense of the natural environment and to maintain an established appearance.	PSD	ongoing
CD-1.2.1 (Design Considerations)	Review the Community Design Concepts for neighborhoods, corridors, and centers from this element during project review.	PSD	ongoing
CD 1.2.2 (Pride of Ownership)	Create a program to recognize property owners for exemplary property care and maintenance along key streets, gateways, and neighborhoods such as the Eastwood Park Subdivision along E. 8 th and 9 th Streets, the south Esplanade, Mansion Park, and along Woodland Avenue.	HNSD, PSD	Phase III
CD-2.1.1 (Circulation and Access)	As part of project review, integrate a predominately grid-based street pattern into new development to enhance walkability and public health.	BDS D, PSD	ongoing
CD-2.1.2 (Bike Trails, Paths and Medians)	Establish linkages and an improved sense of place through enhanced bike trails, pedestrian paths, landscaped medians and parkways.	CPSD, BDS D, PSD	ongoing
CD-2.1.3 (Greenways)	Continue the City’s existing program to expand creekside corridors by acquiring properties along creek edges for creekside greenways.	CM, GSD, PSD	ongoing
CD-2.1.4 (Creek Views and Access)	As part of the design review of development and capital projects, improve visual and recreational public access to creeks.	PSD, BDS D, CPSD	ongoing
CD-2.2.1 (Update Design Guidelines)	Update the City Design Guidelines Manual to incorporate desired edge treatment solutions for a variety of conditions.	PSD	Phase II
CD-2.3.1 (Screen State Route 99)	Minimize the visual impact of State Route 99 to new adjacent development through screening and buffering.	PSD, BDS D	ongoing
CD-2.3.2 (Specialized)	Incorporate context sensitive roadway improvements on Chico’s scenic roads, including Vallombrosa Avenue, E. 8 th Street, the Esplanade, Chico	CPSD	ongoing

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Treatment for Scenic Roads)	Canyon Road, Centennial Avenue, Manzanita Avenue, Humboldt Road, and Bidwell Avenue.		
CD-2.3.3 (Commercial Corridor Improvements)	Update the Design Guidelines Manual to incorporate concepts from the Park Avenue Visioning Study to apply to future roadway improvements along the City's commercial corridors.	PSD, CPSD, BSDS	Phase II
CD-2.4.1 (Protection of Foothill Viewshed)	Design and blend foothill development with the surrounding landscape and topography to diminish its visual prominence from the valley floor.	PSD, BSDS	ongoing
CD-2.4.2 (Foothill Light Levels)	Design low light levels in foothill settings to optimize views of dark skies and minimize light pollution.	PSD, CPSD, BSDS	ongoing
CD-2.4.3 (Foothill Streets)	In order to minimize cut and fill grading operations in foothill areas, design new streets at the minimum dimension necessary for access and parking.	BSDS, CPSD, PSD	ongoing
CD-2.4.4 (Block Lengths)	Minimize the length of street blocks in foothill development.	BSDS, PSD	ongoing
CD-2.4.5 (Contours of Natural Slope)	Limit the extent and amount of grading in foothill areas, and where grading occurs, emulate the contours of the natural slope.	CPSD, BSDS, PSD	ongoing
CD-3.1.1 (Design Guidelines)	Utilize the City Design Guidelines Manual for architectural review of discretionary projects.	PSD	ongoing
CD-3.1.2 (Update Design Guidelines)	Update the City Design Guidelines Manual as necessary to maintain consistency with the General Plan, the City's Land Use and Development Regulations, and current architectural solutions.	PSD	Phase II
CD-3.2.1 (Pedestrian-Scale Site Planning)	Utilize design techniques provided in the City's Design Guidelines Manual that support pedestrian- and bicycle-friendly site planning.	PSD	ongoing
CD-3.3.1 (Public Spaces)	Amend the Municipal Code to establish a required minimum outdoor area dedicated to public (employee and customer) gathering as part of new non-residential development.	PSD, CA	Phase I
CD-3.4.1 (Crime Prevention)	Incorporate appropriate crime prevention principles in new development projects to enhance community safety. Consider Crime Prevention Through	PSD, PD, CA	ongoing



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Design)	Environmental Design (CPTED) principles when amending development standards.		
CD-3.4.2 (Public Safety Project Review)	During design review, consult with the Police Department to avoid physical conditions such as dark parking lots or alleys, enclosed stairwells, and dark entrances that are susceptible to criminal activity.	PSD, PD	ongoing
CD-3.4.3 (Safe Parking Lot Design)	Require that commercial parking lots be designed with adequate opportunities for surveillance by police.	PSD, PD, BDS	ongoing
CD-4.1.1 (Neighborhood Design Details)	Develop and implement neighborhood plans that identify neighborhood design qualities and characteristics.	HNSD, BDS	ongoing
CD-4.1.2 (Urban Forest)	Protect and enhance the urban forest that characterizes the community and particularly its older neighborhoods.	GSD	ongoing
CD-4.1.3 (Sense of Place)	As part of the design review of development and capital projects, encourage the integration of civic, cultural, natural, art, and other themes that create a sense of place for each neighborhood and contribute to the overall character of the community.	PSD, CPSD, HNSD, CM	ongoing
CD-5.1.1 (Residential Infill Design Guidelines)	Update the City's Design Guidelines Manual to specifically address residential infill design in terms of building scale, height and setbacks, parking and access, transitions, and landscaping.	PSD	Phase II
CD-5.3.1 (Adaptive Reuse)	Continue the City's Façade Improvement Program to support redevelopment and adaptive reuse of transitioning or aging commercial developments.	CM, HNSD, BDS	ongoing
CD-6.1.1 (Gateway Integration)	<p>As part of roadway improvement projects, integrate artistic gateway features at the following locations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State Route 99 near Southgate and Entler Avenues • Park Avenue near 20th Street • East 8th and 9th Streets between State Route 99 and Main Street • State Route 99 near Garner Lane • Highway 32 between W. East Avenue and Lindo Channel 	CPSD, CM, PSD	ongoing

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Highway 32 near Yosemite Drive 		
CD-6.1.2 (Landmarks)	Construct landmarks to support wayfinding at key locations throughout the City such as entries to historic neighborhoods, points of interest, significant buildings, and natural features.	CPSD, CM, PSD, BDS	Phase IV
CD-7.1.1 (Art in Public Places)	Include art in public projects and in all private development projects that use public funding by continuing implementation of the City's Art in Public Places Program Policy and Procedures Manual.	CPSD, CM, PSD, BDS	ongoing
CD-7.1.2 (Funding for Public Art)	Continue the City's program of allocating a percentage of capital improvement project budgets to fund the development and installation of public art projects	CPSD, CM	ongoing
CD-7.2.1 (Public Art Plan)	Develop and maintain a Public Art Strategic Plan to guide comprehensive integration of public art throughout the community.	CM	Phase II
CD-7.3.1 (Update Arts Master Plan)	Update, as necessary, the Arts Master Plan which guides the design and development of the City's cultural and arts programs.	CM	ongoing
6. – DOWNTOWN			
DT-1.1.1 (Support Downtown Business)	Support Downtown business and property owners by developing and funding public/private partnerships, such as business improvement districts, to provide for increased maintenance, cleanliness, security, marketing, business retention and recruitment.	HNSD, CM, BDS	Phase III
DT-1.3.1 (City Attention to Downtown Issues)	Continue to allocate staff resources to address current and future Downtown issues.	HNSD, CM	ongoing
DT-1.3.2 (Downtown Working Group)	Meet with Downtown property owners, businesses, residents, CSU Chico, and others interested in Downtown to discuss solutions to key Downtown policy issues and support implementation of the Downtown Element.	HNSD, PSD, CPSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-1.3.3 (CSU Chico and CUSD)	Consult with CSU Chico and Chico Unified School District to address mutual interests in Downtown.	CM, HNSD, CPSD, BDS	ongoing



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DT-1.5.1 (Plaza Park)	Reinforce the role of the Plaza as the cultural heart of Downtown by continuing to sponsor and allow cultural activities, and events that bring residents and visitors to Downtown such as concerts, and cycling, art and seasonal events.	CM, GSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-1.5.2 (Farmers Markets)	Support the operation and enhancement of farmers markets within Downtown.	CM, BDS	ongoing
DT-1.5.3 (Art in Downtown)	Continue to provide locations and funding to support the installation of art in public places Downtown	CM, CPS	ongoing
DT-2.1.1 (Incentives for Vertical Mixed Use)	Utilize City incentives identified in Action LU-2.3.1 to support developers who construct vertical mixed-use projects within Downtown.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-2.2.1 (Incentives for Housing above Non-Residential Uses)	Utilize City incentives identified in Action LU-2.3.1 to support developers who build housing above non-residential ground-floor uses in Downtown	PSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-2.3.1 (Allowed Uses)	Amend the Municipal Code to allow frequently visited, resident-serving uses by right in Downtown.	PSD, CA	Phase I
DT-2.3.2 (Residential Parking)	Consider the inclusion of dedicated residential parking spaces in new parking facilities.	CPSD, BDS, PSD	ongoing
DT-2.4.1 (Reuse Upstairs)	Promote intensified use and reuse of existing suites above ground floors.	PSD, HNSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-2.5.1 (Downtown Utilities)	Work with local utility providers to assess and improve infrastructure to meet the needs of the development projected for Downtown.	PSD, BDS, HNSD, CPS	Phase III
DT-2.5.2 (Public/Private Development Partnerships)	Investigate the use of City-owned properties in public/private partnerships as an incentive for new development Downtown.	CM, HNSD, PSD	Phase II
DT-2.5.3 (Incentive for Land Assembly)	Utilize City incentives identified in Action LU-2.3.1 to support assemblage of multiple properties Downtown for larger integrated development projects.	CM, HNSD, PSD	ongoing

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DT-3.1.1 (Downtown Design Guidelines)	Maintain and apply the Design Guidelines Manual for Downtown building rehabilitation, new construction, parking, signs, streetscape, pedestrian pathways, and sidewalks.	PSD, CPSD	ongoing
DT-3.1.2 (Common Spaces)	Modify standards and building fees to allow and encourage the incorporation of architectural features that create welcoming outdoor places for residents, employees and visitors.	PSD, BDS	Phase II
DT-3.2.1 (Ground-floor Uses)	Amend the Municipal Code to establish a retail zoning district in North Downtown that requires development to incorporate retail or other uses that contribute to increased pedestrian activity on the ground-floor and requires use permit approval for other ground-floor uses.	PSD, CA	Phase I
DT-3.2.2 (Mixed-use Parking Structures)	Ensure that new parking structures in Downtown are ringed primarily with ground-floor retail suites, other pedestrian-oriented uses, or will be otherwise integrated into larger mixed-use development projects.	CPSD, PSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-3.3.1 (Sidewalk Uses)	Encourage the active use of sidewalks by expanding their allowed uses to include outdoor seating and dining, streetscape and landscape furnishings, and other pedestrian features, while maintaining space for a path of travel.	PSD, BDS, CPSD	Phase II
DT-3.3.2 (Enhance Downtown Open Space)	Increase the use of public open space by providing well-maintained and well-lit pedestrian pathways, landscaping, street furniture, courtyards, shade, and other amenities.	CPSD, GSD	ongoing
DT-3.5.1 (Enhance Sidewalks)	Enhance pedestrian facilities with features such as wide sidewalks, bulb-out corners, and street furniture, placing an emphasis on extending sidewalk features to South Downtown.	CPSD	ongoing
DT-3.5.2 (Bicycling and Skateboarding on Sidewalks)	Enforce regulations prohibiting bicycling and skateboarding on sidewalks to maintain pedestrian safety, and promote alternate routes for bicyclists.	PD, HNSD	ongoing
DT-3.5.3 (Highway 32)	Consult with Caltrans to identify ways to improve pedestrian access and safety where Highway 32 crosses Downtown.	CPSD, BDS	Phase II
DT-3.7.1 (Number of Travel Lanes)	Giving special consideration for north-south circulation patterns and the delivery needs of Downtown businesses, identify options to reduce the number of travel lanes on Downtown streets to accommodate additional	CPSD, BDS, HNSD	Phase III



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	diagonal parking or an enhanced pedestrian environment.		
DT-3.7.2 (Truck Deliveries)	Facilitate an effort among Downtown businesses and delivery companies to develop Downtown loading and unloading guidelines with the objective of reducing vehicle congestion that can discourage pedestrian and bicycling activity.	BDSB, HNSD, CPSD	Phase II
DT-4.1.1 (Coordinate Development Design Features)	Work with property owners who desire to coordinate development activities over multiple sites to create projects with complementary design features and shared facilities.	PSD	ongoing
DT 4.2.1 (New Construction)	New construction in Downtown will have a minimum building height of two-stories, or no less than the average height of the existing buildings on both sides of the block in which the building is located, whichever is greater.	PSD	ongoing
DT-4.2.2 (Downtown Edges)	Require new development at the edges of Downtown to be designed with transitions in building height and mass, where appropriate, to complement the physical character of the adjoining development.	PSD	ongoing
DT-4.3.1 (South Downtown Zoning)	Amend the Municipal Code to allow uses that attract pedestrian activity and limit uses that could detract from the pedestrian-oriented character of South Downtown.	PSD, CA	Phase I
DT-5.1.1 (Downtown as Transportation Hub)	Promote Downtown as a key transportation hub, emphasizing the Downtown Transit Center.	BDSB	ongoing
DT-5.1.2 (Expand Bicycle Amenities)	Create additional bicycle lanes and safe, convenient, and attractive bicycle parking, including covered spaces.	CPSD, BDSB, PSD	ongoing
DT-5.1.3 (Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety)	Identify and address hazards for pedestrians and bicyclists.	CPSD, BDSB	Phase IV
DT-5.1.4 (Transit Passes)	Subsidize transit passes for Downtown residents and employees to encourage increased transit use.	F	ongoing
DT-6.2.1 (Downtown Gateways)	Establish gateway landmarks that create a sense of entry and a welcoming first impression for residents and visitors at major entry points to Downtown	CPSD, CM, PSD	Phase IV

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	from the south, east and west.		
DT-6.2.2 (Creek Path)	Create a pedestrian/bicycle path along Big Chico Creek to improve circulation through Downtown and provide public access to the creek.	CPSD, BDS	Phase III
DT-6.2.3 (Creek Access)	Maintain public access to Big and Little Chico Creeks through adjacent development.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-6.2.4 (Creekside Development)	Require development and redevelopment along Downtown creeks to incorporate design features fronting the creek such as outdoor seating or dining, public open spaces, and creekside façade improvements.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-6.3.1 (Design of Signs)	Install signs and landmarks throughout Downtown with graphics that reflect the character and history of Downtown to reinforce a uniform, recognizable Downtown “brand” and to help residents and visitors navigate and find key destinations and parking.	CPSD, CM, HNSD, PSD, GSD	Phase III
DT-7.1.1 (Parking Strategy)	Implement a comprehensive Downtown parking strategy that addresses the needs of customers, visitors, employees, and residents.	CPSD, BDS, HNSD	Phase IV
DT-7.1.2 (Parking Facilities)	Develop and charge for publicly-owned, well-lit, and safe parking facilities that allow 24-hour access to Downtown.	CPSD, BDS	ongoing
DT-7.2.1 (Downtown Parking Requirements)	Amend the Municipal Code to eliminate minimum parking requirements in North Downtown, and reduce or eliminate minimum parking requirements in South Downtown.	PSD, CA	Phase I
DT-7.2.2 (On-Street Parking)	Preserve existing on-street parking along main traffic corridors to support street-level activities, and convert parallel parking to diagonal parking where possible to increase parking supply.	BDS, CPSD	Phase III
DT-8.1.1 (Facade Improvements)	Provide incentives for façade improvement projects in Downtown.	HNSD, CM	ongoing
DT-8.1.2 (Historic Building Preservation)	Preserve and protect buildings of special historic or architectural interest within a Downtown Historic Overlay Zoning District.	PSD, BDS	Phase I, then ongoing



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7. – ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT			
ED-1.1.1 (Monitoring and Reporting)	Track implementation of the Economic Development Strategy and report on its status to the City Council.	CM	ongoing
ED-1.1.2 (Periodic Updates)	Update the Economic Development Strategy as necessary to ensure that it is current and relevant to meeting the City’s short and long term economic development needs	CM	ongoing
ED-1.2.1 (Land and Buildings)	Monitor conditions in regard to the City’s supply of land and buildings to support economic growth and identify factors which may be inhibiting their development or redevelopment. Address any identified issues through appropriate zoning, infrastructure planning, and coordination with landowners and developers.	CM, PSD, CPSD, BDS	ongoing
ED-1.2.2 (Infrastructure Availability)	Monitor the availability of infrastructure and identify infrastructure needs that hinder the City’s ability to successfully attract, expand, and retain businesses. Where a lack of infrastructure is found to be a barrier, investigate strategies and develop plans for the provision of needed infrastructure.	CM, CPSD, BDS, PSD	ongoing
ED-1.2.3 (Shovel-Ready Sites)	Work with owners of undeveloped or underdeveloped land to ready and market shovel-ready sites. This process would involve determining landowner willingness to sell or ready sites for different types of business development, providing assistance in organizing or assembling multiple properties under different ownership into larger parcels or coordinated project areas, assisting in the provision of infrastructure, environmental review, and site marketing.	CM, CPSD, BDS, PSD	Phase III, then ongoing
ED-1.2.4 (CUSD Opportunity)	Work with Chico Unified School District to explore relocation of the District’s bus yard and support buildings along State Route 99 in order to provide a strategically located commercial development opportunity.	CM, PSD	ongoing
ED-1.2.5 (Strategic Partnerships)	Work with CSU Chico, Butte College, non-profit organizations, CARD, businesses, and private developers to pursue public/private partnership opportunities that capitalize on Chico’s skilled workforce and local educational institutions.	CM	ongoing

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ED-1.2.6 (Industrial Preserve)	Limit the expansion of incompatible uses within and surrounding areas where manufacturing and light industrial uses are to be retained, expanded, and attracted, including, but not limited to, the Southwest Industrial Region and the Chico Municipal Airport area.	PSD	ongoing
ED-1.2.7 (Rail, Aviation, and Highway Access)	Explore opportunities to improve access to Chico from other markets via enhancements to the local rail and aviation facilities and services, as well as through improved connections from Chico's business districts to State Route 99 and Interstate 5.	CM, BDS, CPSD	Phase IV
ED-1.2.8 (Agricultural Production and Distribution)	Promote local agricultural production and value-added food products as a base industry by enhancing local food distribution systems and supporting the reuse of agricultural and food wastes.	CM	ongoing
ED-1.3.1 (Fast Tracking Key Opportunities)	For key economic development projects, prioritize project review and permitting by establishing a quick response interdepartmental staff team.	CM, PSD, BDS	ongoing
ED-1.3.2 (Development Standard Enhancements)	Amend the Municipal Code to simplify and streamline the permitting process, including allowing more uses outright subject to development standards.	PSD, CA	Phase I
ED-1.3.3 (Economic Resilience)	Update the Economic Development Strategy to highlight the importance of using renewable, recyclable, and local resources to strengthen the resilience of Chico's economy.	CM	Phase II
ED-1.3.4 (Local Outreach)	Conduct regular outreach to the local business and development community to identify opportunities for greater regulatory efficiency. Share the outreach findings and recommendations with the City Council for consideration.	CM, PSD	ongoing
ED-1.4.1 (Phase and Prioritize Investment)	Prioritize investment in public infrastructure to areas that have the highest potential to retain and add jobs and attract new private investment based on factors such as access, location, compatibility with other uses, and potential to spur revitalization.	CPSD, CM	ongoing
ED-1.4.2 (Pursue Funding)	Identify, pursue, and contribute City funds to help secure state, federal, and other grants in support of economic development efforts.	CM, CPSD	ongoing



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ED-1.4.3 (City-Owned Sites)	Pursue opportunities to sell or lease City-owned lands for uses other than municipal operations.	CM	Phase III
ED-1.4.4 (Land Assembly for Infill/Reuse/Redevelopment)	Where appropriate, request Redevelopment Agency assistance to facilitate infill, reuse, and redevelopment through land banking and land assembly in partnership with private landowners and developers.	CM, PSD	ongoing
ED-1.4.5 (Base Level Employers)	Invest local resources and pursue outside investment and partnerships to retain, expand, and add new base level employers in Chico.	CM	ongoing
ED-1.4.6 (Enhance Technology)	Continue to use technology to support the City's economic development goals.	CM, IS	ongoing
ED-1.4.7 (Sports Marketing for Economic Development)	Invest in the attraction and promotion of regional and other major sporting events to bring economic benefit to businesses located in Chico.	CM	ongoing
ED-1.5.1 (Placemaking)	Support the development and enhancement of "Third Places" (places people go after work or when not at home), including open space, recreation, art, and entertainment venues.	CM, PSD	ongoing
ED-1.5.2 (Business Improvement Districts)	Assist local businesses and property owners in forming business improvement districts to promote economic development through initiatives, including marketing, tourism promotion, special events and programs, physical improvements, clean and safe programs, and activities which benefit the businesses and real property of the districts.	HNSD, CM, BDS, PSD	ongoing
ED-1.8.1 (Economic Development Summit)	Conduct a regional economic development summit to foster improved planning, coordination, and partnerships that benefit the local and regional economy.	CM	Phase II, then ongoing
ED-1.8.2 (Silver Dollar Fairgrounds)	Encourage the State and the Silver Dollar Fair Board to increase utilization of the fairgrounds for uses such as conferences, fairs, concerts, or sporting events that draw residents from the greater region.	CM	Phase II
ED-1.9.1 (Buy Local Campaign)	Promote spending at businesses located in the City of Chico through a "Buy Local" campaign.	CM	Phase III

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ED-2.1.1 (Showcase Events)	Solicit and encourage major events such as professional bicycle races, and cultural and art events, to showcase Chico and increase tourism.	CM	ongoing
ED-2.1.2 (Convention Center and Hotels)	Explore the feasibility of establishing a convention center, either Downtown or in another location, such as the fairgrounds, and monitor the need for and availability of sites to accommodate additional hotels to meet the needs of visitors.	CM, PSD	Phase IV
ED-2.2.1 (Event Marketing)	Collaborate with other groups to market local and regional attractions and events.	CM	ongoing
ED-2.3.1 (Agricultural Tourism)	Promote agricultural tourism in Chico in collaboration with local farmers and food businesses.	CM	ongoing
ED-3.1.1 (Five Year Implementation Plan)	Partner with the Redevelopment Agency to update, adopt, and realize the Redevelopment Agency's Five Year Implementation Plan	CM	ongoing
9. – PARKS, PUBLIC FACILITIES, AND SERVICES			
PPFS-1.1.1 (CARD Leadership)	Convey properties and funding mechanisms to the Chico Area Recreation and Parks District (CARD) for operation, maintenance and programming of parks identified in the City of Chico/CARD Memorandum of Intergovernmental Cooperation, Coordination, and Understanding.	GSD, CM, CA	Phase I
PPFS-1.1.2 (Park Development Fees)	Adopt park development fees that support the goals of the CARD Parks and Recreation Master Plan to fund the acquisition and development of neighborhood and community parks, and community use facilities, such as an aquatic park, needed as a result of new development.	GSD, CM, CA	Phase I
PPFS-1.1.3 (Cooperative Development of Facilities)	Pursue cooperative development of neighborhood, community, and regional parks, as well as facilities that enhance recreational opportunities and economic development, such as sports and aquatic complexes, with the Chico Area Recreation and Parks District.	CA, GSD	ongoing
PPFS-1.1.4 (Park Maintenance Funding)	Aid in the formation of maintenance districts or other funding mechanisms to pay for the cost of ongoing maintenance and operation of parks.	GSD, BDSD	ongoing



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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
PPFS-1.1.5 (CARD Review of City Projects)	Solicit comments from Chico Area Recreation and Parks District staff as part of early project review for Special Planning Areas and larger subdivision proposals.	PSD	ongoing
PPFS-1.1.6 (Multiple Use of School Facilities)	Consult with the Chico Unified School District, CSU Chico, Butte College, and the Chico Area Recreation and Parks District to coordinate the joint use of school facilities for community recreation and other public purposes.	HNSD, GSD	Phase III
PPFS-1.1.7 (Evaluate Progress)	Coordinate with the Chico Area Recreation and Parks District (CARD) to provide periodic reports to the City Council, the Bidwell Park and Playground Commission, and the CARD Board of Directors documenting the status of the City's and District's efforts to develop and improve parks and recreational facilities.	GSD	ongoing
PPFS-1.1.8 (Funding to Develop Recreation Facilities)	Pursue local, state, federal, and other funds for the development of parks and recreation facilities.	GSD, CPSD	ongoing
PPFS-1.1.9 (Bidwell Park Master Management Plan)	Utilize the Bidwell Park Master Management Plan and consider the intent of Annie Bidwell's Deed to direct management and guide decision-making for Bidwell Park.	GSD	ongoing
PPFS-2.1.1 (Greenway Acquisition)	Continue the City's greenway purchase program to acquire properties located adjacent to creeks as they become available in order to expand habitat protection, trail creation, and public recreation opportunities.	CM, GSD	ongoing
PPFS-2.1.2 (Creekside Design)	Continue to use Chico's Design Guidelines Manual for proposed development adjacent to creeks to address setbacks, building orientation, security measures, and lighting to promote public access and use of the City's creeks as amenities without detracting from the natural setting.	PSD, GSD	ongoing
PPFS-2.1.3 (Pathway and Trail Planning)	Design pedestrian and bicycle paths and trails adjacent to and across creeks that protect the riparian environment.	CPSD, GSD, BDS	ongoing
PPFS-2.1.4 (Assess Potential Impacts to Creeks)	Through the development and environmental review process, including consultation with state and federal agencies and non-profit organizations, ensure that natural areas and habitat located in and adjacent to the City's creeks are protected and enhanced.	PSD, CPSD	ongoing

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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
PPFS-3.1.1 (School Sites)	Encourage Chico Unified School District to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locate schools to serve new neighborhoods. • Locate school sites safely away from heavy traffic, excessive noise, and incompatible land uses. • Locate schools in areas where existing or planned circulation infrastructure allows for safe access. • Promote safe student loading and unloading. • Promote walking, biking, riding transit, or carpooling to schools. 	PSD, BDS	ongoing
PPFS-3.1.2 (Plan for School Sites)	Consult with Chico Unified School District staff when planning the Special Planning Areas to ensure that school facilities are in place to meet the needs of development.	PSD	ongoing
PPFS-3.1.3 (School Information)	Provide information to developers and interested parties on school locations and school facility fees during the City’s project review process.	PSD	ongoing
PPFS-3.2.1 (Collaborate with Educational Institutions)	Work with CSU Chico, Butte College, and private educational institutions to meet existing and new student housing, transportation, and facility needs.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
PPFS-3.2.2 (Education/Business Connections)	Support the development of research and business opportunities associated with the City’s institutions of higher learning.	CM	ongoing
PPFS-4.1.1 (Require Connection to Sewer System)	Require all commercial and industrial development, as well as all residential development with lots one acre or smaller, to connect to the City’s sewer system.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-4.1.2 (Sanitary Sewer Master Plan)	Update and maintain the City’s Sanitary Sewer Master Plan, as well as the Sewer System Model, to assure that improvements to the system are identified, planned, and prioritized.	BDS	Phase III, then ongoing
PPFS-4.1.3 (Wastewater System Costs)	Secure financing for the expansion and maintenance of the Water Pollution Control Plant and sewer system through the use of connection fees, special taxes, assessment districts, developer dedications, or other appropriate	BDS, CPS	ongoing



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	mechanisms. Financing should be sufficient to complete all related project-specific sewer trunk and main lines at their full planned capacities in a single phase.		
PPFS-4.2.1 (Septic System Information)	Assist Butte County with their effort to implement a public information campaign aimed at informing homeowners with septic systems of the proper design, use, and care of septic systems, as well as sewer connection opportunities	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-4.2.2 (Implementing the Nitrate Compliance Plan)	Continue collaboration with Butte County to implement the Nitrate Compliance Plan.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-4.2.3 (Funding the Nitrate Compliance Plan)	Continue to seek funding opportunities to assist with the cost of connecting parcels currently relying on septic systems to the City's sewer system.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS- 4.3.1 (Infiltration Program)	Develop and implement an inflow and infiltration program to identify, monitor, and line or replace existing pipes that are the source of excessive wet weather infiltration and reduced system capacity.	CPSD, BDS	Phase III
PPFS-4.4.1 (Wastewater Meters for Industrial Uses)	Require installation of wastewater meters for all new or expansions of existing Significant Industrial User facilities.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-4.4.2 (Emerging Technologies)	Incorporate emerging wastewater treatment technologies to enable wastewater management practices to adapt and be more efficient.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-5.1.1 (Groundwater Protection Advocacy)	Oppose regional sales and transfers of local groundwater, including water export contracts, and actively participate in county-wide and regional discussions and advocacy for the protection of groundwater resources.	CM	ongoing
PPFS-5.1.2 (Groundwater Supplies and Budgeting)	Support periodic evaluation of groundwater availability using the Butte Basin Groundwater Model and Cal Water's work to establish a water supply budget with specific measures to assure sustainable levels of groundwater.	CM, PSD	ongoing
PPFS-5.1.3 (Groundwater Recharge and Quality)	Where feasible given flood control requirements, maintain the natural or existing condition of waterways and floodplains and protect watersheds to ensure groundwater recharge and water quality.	BDS, GSD, CPSD	ongoing

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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
PPFS-5.1.4 (Groundwater Protection Development Standards)	Amend the Municipal Code to include development standards that protect groundwater recharge areas.	PSD, BDS, CA	ongoing
PPFS-5.2.1 (Water Flow and Pressure)	Ensure that new City infrastructure provides for water flow and pressure at sufficient levels to meet domestic, commercial, industrial, institutional, and firefighting needs.	CPSD, BDS, FD	ongoing
PPFS-5.2.2 (Wells and Private Water Systems)	Where public water delivery systems are available, discourage use of wells and private water systems for domestic water use.	BDS, PSD	ongoing
PPFS-5.2.3 (Water Services for New Development)	Work with Cal Water to ensure that water treatment and delivery infrastructure are in place prior to occupancy or assured through the use of bonds or other sureties to the City and Cal Water's satisfaction.	PSD, BDS	ongoing
PPFS-5.3.1 (Treated Wastewater)	Explore the feasibility of using treated wastewater to provide irrigation to landscaped areas and other suitable locations to reduce the demand for groundwater.	CPSD, BDS	Phase III
PPFS-5.3.2 (Water Reuse)	Encourage new development to install water conserving irrigation systems such as grey water systems.	PSD	ongoing
PPFS-5.4.2 (City Water Efficiency)	Develop plans and seek funding to replace water-intensive City landscape and irrigation systems with drought tolerant and water efficient systems.	GSD, CPSD	Phase III
PPFS-6.1.1 (Update the Storm Drainage Master Plan)	Update, adopt and implement an updated Storm Drainage Master Plan that identifies areas with infrastructure deficiencies and establishes a program to address the deficiencies. Address drainage issues on a basin or sub-basin scale. Identify opportunities to increase infiltration, based on factors such as existing infrastructure, geology, the hydrology and hydraulics of the receiving waters, and planned land uses.	BDS	Phase II
PPFS-6.1.2 (Development Fees)	Update the development fee program as needed to ensure that storm water drainage development fees are equitable and adequate to pay for the storm water drainage infrastructure needed for future development.	BDS, PSD	Phase I
PPFS-6.2.1 (Storm Water	Regularly update storm water drainage standards to include all current best	BDS, CPSD	ongoing



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Drainage Standards)	management practices and ensure water quality and quantity standards governing the discharge of storm water drainage to downstream receiving waters conform with State and Federal regulations.		
PPFS-6.2.2 (Expand Storm Water Infrastructure)	As funding allows, continue installation of storm water drainage infrastructure in areas not served.	CPSD, BDS	ongoing
PPFS-6.3.1 (Alternative Storm Water Infrastructure)	Continue to develop engineering standards and guidelines for the use of alternative storm water infrastructure in order to minimize impervious area, runoff and pollution, and to maximize natural storm water infiltration wherever feasible.	BDS, CPSD	ongoing
PPFS-6.4.1 (Storm Water Management Program)	Continue to implement the City's Storm Water Management Program (SWMP) and enforce storm water provisions in the City's Municipal Code.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-6.5.1 (Flood Management)	Consult with Butte County and other flood control agencies to ensure that all possible actions are taken to prevent floodwaters from entering the City.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-6.5.2 (Natural Watercourses)	Utilize natural watercourses and existing developed flood control channels as the City's primary flood control channels when and where feasible.	BDS, GSD	ongoing
PPFS-6.5.3 (Flood Impacts)	Require that new development not increase flood impacts on adjacent properties in either the upstream or downstream direction.	BDS, PSD	ongoing
PPFS-6.5.4 (Flood Zones)	Require new development to fully comply with State and Federal regulations regarding development in flood zones.	BDS, PSD	ongoing
PPFS-7.1.1 (Library Services)	Consult with Butte County regarding strategies to assure the continued operation of the Chico Branch of the Butte County library system.	CM	ongoing
PPFS-7.1.2 (Funding Arts and Cultural Programs)	Seek opportunities to provide financial and governmental assistance which leverages additional funding for arts and cultural programs.	CM, CPSD	ongoing
PPFS-7.1.3 (Partnerships for Cultural Programs)	Encourage partnerships among art and cultural groups, community organizations, and the local business community to develop new and expand existing cultural programs.	CM	ongoing

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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
PPFS-8.1.1 (Green Waste)	Encourage recycling, composting, and organic waste diversion within the City and continue providing green yard waste recycling services, seasonal leaf collection and street sweeping services.	GSD	ongoing
PPFS-8.1.2 (Reduce Municipal Waste)	Establish the City as a role model for businesses and industrial operations through programs designed to encourage recycling, waste diversion, source reduction, and use of renewable resources.	GSD	ongoing
PPFS-8.1.3 (Recycled and Recyclable Products)	Pursue City procurement that emphasizes the use of recycled and recyclable products.	GSD	ongoing
PPFS-8.1.4 (Locations for Waste Management)	Identify safe and convenient locations and hours for the disposal and recycling of hazardous waste, plastics, glass, metals, electronics, food and other organic waste, construction waste, and other special wastes.	GSD	Phase IV
PPFS-8.1.5 (Recycling on Public Land)	Provide recycling bins and collection services wherever waste containers are located on City property and in public parks.	GSD	Phase II, and ongoing
PPFS-8.1.6 (Recyclable Construction Materials)	Use the Green Building Checklist to encourage the use of recyclable materials in new construction.	BDS	ongoing
PPFS-8.1.7 (Commercial and Industrial Recycling)	Amend the sections of the Municipal Code pertaining to solid waste and recycling to apply to commercial and industrial customers.	GSD	Phase II
10. – OPEN SPACE AND ENVIRONMENT			
OS-1.1.1 (Development/Preservation Balance)	Direct development to appropriate locations consistent with the Land Use Diagram, and protect and preserve areas designated Open Space and areas that contain sensitive habitat and species.	PSD, GSD	ongoing
OS-1.1.2 (Regional Conservation Planning)	Actively participate in regional conservation planning efforts, in particular the Butte County Habitat Conservation Plan process, sponsored by the Butte County Association of Governments, which seeks the preservation of habitat areas needed for the ongoing viability of native species	PSD, GSD, CPSD	ongoing
OS-1.1.3 (Sustainable	In support of AB 32, work with the Butte County Association of Governments to implement the Sustainable Community Strategy (SB 375).	PSD, BDS	ongoing



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Community Strategy)	which directs smart-growth development to urbanized areas.		
OS-1.1.4 (Community Collaboration)	Consult with conservation groups to identify sites and projects for fund-raising and volunteer participation in public education, enhancement, maintenance, and protection of natural resources within the City’s Sphere of Influence.	GSD	ongoing
OS-1.1.5 (Control Invasive Species)	Prioritize efforts to remove non-native species within Bidwell Park and other City greenways, and condition new development adjacent to Bidwell Park and greenways to protect native species and habitat from the introduction of invasive species.	GSD, PSD	ongoing
OS-1.2.1 (State and Federal Guidelines)	Ensure that project-related biological impacts are considered and mitigated, and require applicants to obtain all necessary local, state and federal permits for projects that may affect special-status species or their habitat.	PSD	ongoing
OS-1.3.1 (Dark Sky Ordinance)	Consider adoption of a Dark Sky ordinance.	PSD	Phase II
OS-1.3.2 (Reduce Light Pollution)	Seek community cooperation to reduce existing light pollution.	PSD, BDS	Phase III
OS-2.1.1 (Open Space Plan)	Develop an Open Space and Greenways Master Plan that catalogues the City’s open space land holdings, ensures that management and maintenance programs are in place, identifies long-term funding, coordinates with other public and private open space holdings, and prioritizes additional open space acquisitions, dedications, and easements to enhance connectivity, protect resources, and facilitate public access and circulation.	GSD	Phase II
OS-2.1.2 (Funding for Open Space)	Pursue outside funding sources for open space acquisition, management, maintenance, and restoration.	GSD	ongoing
OS-2.2.1 (Creekside Greenway Program)	Continue collecting fees for creekside greenway acquisition, and purchase properties as opportunities arise.	CM, GSD	ongoing
OS-2.2.2 (Greenway Expansion)	Seek easements and dedications along the City’s creeks to expand the greenway system.	PSD, GSD, BDS, CM, CA	ongoing

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OS-2.4.1 (Visual Simulations)	Require visual simulations for foothill development to assess viewshed impacts	PSD	ongoing
OS-2.4.2 (Foothill Design Guidelines)	Update City's Design Guidelines Manual to address viewshed issues associated with foothill development.	PSD	Phase II
OS-2.5.1 (Setbacks from Creeks)	Consistent with the City's Municipal Code, require a minimum 25-foot setback from the top of creek banks to development and associated above ground infrastructure as a part of project review. In addition, require a larger setback where necessary to mitigate environmental impacts.	PSD, BDSD	ongoing
OS-3.1.1 (Comply with State Standards)	Comply with the California Regional Water Quality Control Board's regulations and standards to maintain, protect, and improve water quality.	BDSD, CPSD	ongoing
OS-3.1.2 (Runoff from New Development)	Require the use of pollution management practices and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permits to control, treat, and prevent discharge of polluted runoff from development.	BDSD, CPSD	ongoing
OS-3.1.3 (Discharge Enforcement)	Continue enforcement of illegal discharges to Chico's creeks.	BDSD, HNSD	ongoing
OS-3.1.4 (Clean Creeks Project)	Continue implementation of the Chico USA Clean Creeks Project which provides community-wide education regarding storm water runoff, pollution management practices, and the importance of clean creeks.	BDSD	ongoing
OS-3.1.5 (Water Quality Monitoring)	Monitor water quality in Big Chico Creek (above and below Sycamore Pool) daily between Memorial Day and Labor Day and monthly during the balance of the year.	GSD	ongoing
OS-3.1.6 (Teichert Ponds Restoration)	Seek funding to implement the Teichert Ponds Restoration Habitat Development Plan, which will enhance storm water quality, wildlife habitat, public access, and education at the Teichert Ponds stormwater facility.	CPSD, GSD, PSD	Phase III
OS-3.1.7 (Five-Mile Operation)	Work with the Butte County Public Works Department to improve operation and maintenance of the Five-Mile flood control system to enhance flow and sediment management and thereby enhance water quality, fisheries habitat, and flood capacity.	BDSD	Phase IV



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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
OS-3.2.1 (Protect Recharge Areas)	Avoid impacts to groundwater recharge areas through open space preservation, runoff management, stream setbacks and clustering of development.	PSD, GSD	ongoing
OS-3.2.2 (Map Recharge Areas)	Map groundwater recharge areas.	GSD, BDS, PSD	Phase II
OS-3.2.3 (Nitrate Compliance Plan)	Continue to implement the Nitrate Compliance Plan.	BDS	ongoing
OS-3.2.4 (Monitor Contaminated Sites)	Monitor the status of known groundwater and soil contamination sites within the Planning Area as identified by the California Department of Toxic Substances Control and the Regional Water Quality Control Board.	BDS, PSD	ongoing
OS-3.2.5 (Groundwater Protection)	Oppose regional sales and transfers of local groundwater.	CM	Ongoing
OS-3.3.1 (Water Conservation Program Funding)	Work with the California Water Service Company to implement a water conservation program to reduce per capita water use 20 percent by 2020 pursuant to the requirements of the State Water Plan.	BDS, PSD	Phase II
OS-3.3.2 (Reduce the Use of Turf)	Limit the use of turf on landscape medians, parkways, and other common areas in favor of native and drought tolerant ground cover, mulch, and other landscaping design elements, and support the conversion of existing turf to less water-intensive ground cover types.	GSD, CPSD	ongoing
OS-3.3.3 (Parkway Irrigation)	Design and monitor irrigation systems in medians and parkways to maximize efficiency and minimize nuisance run-off.	GSD, PSD, BDS, CPSD	ongoing
OS-3.3.4 (Reclaimed Water)	Determine the feasibility and costs and benefits of reusing the City's treated wastewater for irrigation.	BDS, CPSD	Phase III
OS-3.3.5 (Water Efficient Landscape Irrigation)	Enforce the requirements of state water conservation legislation when reviewing landscaping plans for new projects.	PSD, CPSD	ongoing
OS-4.1.1 (Air Quality Impact Fee)	Consult with the Butte County Air Quality Management District regarding development by the District or the City of an air quality impact fee as one	PSD, GSD	Phase II

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	method to further mitigate air quality impacts.		
OS-4.1.2 (Air Quality Impact Mitigation)	During project and environmental review, evaluate air quality impacts and incorporate applicable mitigations to reduce impacts consistent with Butte County Air Quality Management District requirements.	PSD, CPSD	ongoing
OS-4.1.3 (Wood Burning)	Implement measures to reduce air pollution from wood burning.	PSD, GSD	Phase II
OS-4.1.4 (Pollution from City Equipment)	As viable alternatives become available, replace City-owned, gas-powered equipment with less polluting models.	GSD, PD, FD	ongoing
OS-4.1.5 (Leaf Removal)	Enforce the City's no burn regulations, encourage composting, and continue the residential leaf pick-up program.	HNSD, GSD	ongoing
OS-4.1.6 (Reduce Traffic Pollution)	Reduce pollution from traffic by providing a well-connected circulation system with complete streets, enhancing bicycle facilities, supporting transit, and implementing traffic calming techniques such as roundabouts, narrowed streets, and chicanes.	CPSD, BDS	ongoing
OS-4.2.1 (Air Quality Education)	In consultation with the Butte County Air Quality Management District, disseminate information to educate the community about how to improve air quality.	PSD, BDS	Phase III
OS-5.2.1 (Agricultural Buffers)	Require buffers for development adjacent to active agricultural operations along the Greenline to reduce incompatibilities, and explore opportunities for public uses within buffers.	PSD	ongoing
OS-6.1.1 (Urban Forest Maintenance)	Maintain and expand the urban forest by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintaining existing city trees through regular, scheduled service • Planting new trees to replace those that require removal and enhance the street tree canopy, where needed • Requiring street and parking lot tree planting in new development • Working with commercial parking lot owners to improve the 	GSD	ongoing



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	shade canopy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementing the Municipal Code’s tree protection regulations • Using volunteer groups and property owners to plant new trees, care for newly planted trees, maintain young trees, and provide information and instructions regarding such care and maintenance 		
OS-6.1.2 (Utility Impacts)	Where feasible, require new underground utilities that are in close proximity to trees to be designed and installed to minimize impacts to trees through consultation with the Urban Forester.	GSD, CPSD, BBSD	ongoing
OS-6.1.3 (Tree Planting Program)	Consider a tree planting program to reduce air quality impacts.	GSD	Phase III
11. – CULTURAL RESOURCES AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION			
CRHP-1.1.1 (Historic Preservation Ordinance)	Maintain and update as necessary the City’s Historic Preservation Ordinance.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.2 (Historic Resources Inventory)	Maintain and update the City’s Historic Resources Inventory.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.3 (Historic Preservation Board)	Appoint members of a new Architectural Review and Historic Preservation Board who meet the qualifications of a Certified Local Government and who serve a dual role in the architectural design review of new development and in the review of historic preservation decisions affecting the City’s Historic Resources Inventory or new Landmark overlay zoning districts.	CC, PSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.4 (Certified Local Government)	Maintain the City’s recognition by the State Historic Preservation Office as a Certified Local Government.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.5 (Financial Assistance Programs)	Pursue grant funding sources available to Certified Local Governments to establish and maintain a Cultural Resources Management Plan and to expand the City’s Historic Preservation Program.	PSD	Phase III

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No.	Action	Responsible Party	Timeframe
CRHP-1.1.6 (Best Management Practices)	Update the City's Best Management Practices Manual to include environmental review protocol, communication with appropriate agencies, and standard conditions of approval for discretionary projects that protect cultural and paleontological resources.	PSD, CPSD	Phase II
CRHP-1.1.7 (Public Resources)	Maintain all City-owned historic and cultural resources in a manner that is consistent with the U.S. Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties.	PSD, GSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.8 (Records Search)	Continue to consult and require record searches for discretionary projects with the Northeast Center of the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) located at CSU Chico.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.9 (Native American Consultation)	Continue to consult with and distribute environmental review documents to the Native American Heritage Commission through the State Clearinghouse.	PSD, CPSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.10 (Architectural Historian Consultations)	Use the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) Consultants List to identify qualified architectural historians for project consultation. Require consultants for City and private development projects to meet the minimum Professional Qualification Standards adopted by the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historical Preservation.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-1.1.11 (Assistance Programs)	Provide assistance to Chico residents who are restoring qualified historic properties by offering development incentives as identified in the City's Historic Preservation Ordinance or additional federal and state support programs.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-2.1.1 (Guidelines for Redevelopment of Historic Resources)	Utilize the City's Design Guidelines Manual for discretionary design review to address exterior alterations proposed to historic buildings in accordance with the Historic Preservation Ordinance.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-2.2.1 (Exterior of Historic Structures)	With discretionary actions or in compliance with the Historic Preservation Ordinance, restore or preserve the original exterior of historic structures at the time of a change in use, whenever feasible.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-2.4.1 – (Heritage	To both educate the public and stimulate the economy, work with public	CM, PSD	ongoing



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Tourism)	agencies, private organizations, property owners, and area businesses to develop and promote Heritage Tourism opportunities throughout Chico.		
CRHP-2.4.2 (Ceremonies and Events)	Participate in the promotion of traditional ceremonies and events from the various cultures, ethnicities and nationalities that make up the Chico community.	CM, PSD	ongoing
CRHP-2.4.3 (Diversity Action Plan)	Implement the Diversity Action Plan to support the various cultures, ethnicities and nationalities that make up the Chico community.	CM	Phase III
CRHP-2.4.4 (Community Awareness and Education)	Participate in the promotion of public tours, viewing, and informational presentations at historic buildings and archaeological sites.	CM, PSD	ongoing
CRHP-2.5.1 (Register Listings of City-owned Properties)	Pursue the listing of City-owned historic properties on the National Register of Historic Places and California Register of Historical Resources.	PSD	Phase II
CRHP-3.1.1 (Mechoopda Consultation)	Establish a Consultation Protocol and a Cultural Resources Management Plan with the Mechoopda Indian Tribe.	PSD	Phase III
CRHP-3.1.2 (Northeast Information Center)	Maintain a Project Review Agreement with the Northeast Information Center (NEIC) and consult with the NEIC in preparation of a Cultural Resources Management Plan.	PSD	ongoing
CRHP-3.1.3 (Archaeologist Consultation)	Use the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) Consultants List to identify qualified archaeologists for project consultation. Require consultants for City and private development projects to meet the minimum Professional Qualification Standards adopted by the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historical Preservation. Consult with the Mechoopda Indian Tribe prior to the selection of archaeologists for City projects.	PSD, CPSD	ongoing
CRHP-3.1.4 (Education for City Staff)	Conduct City and Tribal-sponsored training programs that increase City staff awareness and respect for Tribal Ceremonial Places and artifacts on City-owned land.	PSD, GSD	Phase II, then ongoing
CRHP-3.1.5 (Education for the Public)	Conduct City and Tribal-sponsored training programs, in partnership with the Northeast Information Center, to educate property owners, land	PSD	Phase II, then

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	developers, and construction personnel about the importance of cultural resources and the legal framework for their protection.		ongoing
CRHP-3.1.6 (Public/Private Partnerships)	Explore public and private partnerships that support the City's historic preservation program. Continue to utilize the Chico Heritage Association as a resource for issues and projects.	PSD, CM	ongoing
CRHP-3.1.7 (Educational Conferences)	In partnership with the Office of State Historic Preservation, CSU, Chico, the Chico Heritage Association, and the Northeast Information Center, continue to support educational conferences on Historic Preservation and Native American Resource Protection.	PSD	ongoing
12. – SAFETY			
S-1.1.1 (Emergency Plan Maintenance)	Maintain, and update as needed, the City's Emergency Plan to guide emergency management in the City.	CM, FD, PD	ongoing
S-1.1.2 (Emergency Response Awareness)	Promote community preparedness for hazards and awareness of emergency notification methods.	FD	ongoing
S-1.1.3 (Incident Training)	Continue to participate in the Federal Emergency Management Agency's National Incident Management System program, which provides a standardized approach to emergency incidents.	Citywide	Ongoing
S-2.1.1 (Flood Hazard Analysis)	As part of project review, analyze potential impacts from flooding and require compliance with appropriate building standards and codes for structures subject to 200-year flood hazards.	BDSB. PSD	ongoing
S-2.1.2 (Flood Hazard Management)	Continue efforts to work with the Federal Emergency Management Agency and state and local agencies to evaluate the potential for flooding, identify areas susceptible to flooding, accredit the flood control levees in the City, and require appropriate measures to mitigate flood related hazards.	BDSB	ongoing
S-2.1.3 (200-year Flood Protection)	Cooperate with local, regional, state, and federal agencies to seek funding for the provision of 200-year flood protection.	BDSB	ongoing
S-2.1.4 (Floodplain Hazard)	Provide materials to the community regarding Federal Emergency Management Agency and California Department of Water Resources flood	BDSB	ongoing



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Materials	mapping.		
S-3.1.1 (California Building Code)	Require all new buildings in the City to be built under the seismic requirements of the California Building Code.	BDS	ongoing
S-3.1.2 (Potential Soil Hazards)	In areas with highly expansive soils, require appropriate studies and structural precautions through project review.	BDS, PSD	ongoing
S-4.1.1 (Fire Response Time)	Strive to obtain an initial response time of five and a half minutes or less for at least 90 percent of fire emergency response calls in urbanized areas.	FD	ongoing
S-4.2.1 (Interagency Programs)	Continue to work with CalFire and the Butte County Fire Department on programs that will enhance fire protection and firefighting capabilities in the Planning Area, including maintaining aid agreements.	FD	Ongoing
S-4.3.1 (Standards to Protect Structures)	Maintain, and update as needed, the standards manual for protecting structures in wildland fire areas.	FD	ongoing
S-4.3.2 (Structural Standards)	Incorporate building construction standards for the Local Resource Area (areas which are provided City fire suppression services) that are consistent with the requirements for the State Responsibility Areas (areas that are provided State and County fire suppression services) designated as Very High, High, and Moderate Fire Hazard Severity Zones	BDS, FD	Phase II
S-4.3.3 (Project Design)	As part of project review process in wildland fire areas, require consideration of emergency evacuation routes and defensible buffer areas.	PSD, FD	ongoing
S-4.3.4 (Development Standards)	Encourage the County to require development in unincorporated areas within the City's Sphere of Influence to conform to the City's development standards.	BDS, PSD	Phase II
S-4.3.5 (Fire Sprinklers, New Structures)	Consider adoption of an ordinance that exceeds state standards requiring automatic fire sprinklers in new non-residential construction.	FD	Phase II
S-5.1.1 (Strategic Plan)	Using community input, develop a Police Department Strategic Plan to help guide priorities and staffing levels for the Department	PD	Phase II

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S-5.1.2 (Police Staffing)	Maintain adequate staffing to meet the needs of the community's service population.	CM, PD	ongoing
S-5.1.3 (Response Time)	Analyze and monitor factors affecting police response times, and make operational adjustments as necessary in order to provide the most expeditious responses.	PD	ongoing
S-5.1.4 (Specialized Resources)	Train, equip, and maintain specialized response teams for extraordinary emergency incidents.	PD, FD	ongoing
S-5.2.1 (Community Needs Assessments)	Assess community needs, expectations, and satisfaction with the police on an ongoing basis.	PD	ongoing
S-5.2.2 (City Council Reports)	Report periodically to the City Council on citizen commendations and citizen complaints received.	PD	ongoing
S-5.3.1 (Neighborhood-Based Programs)	Enhance neighborhood-based crime prevention activities, such as Neighborhood Watch, Town and Gown activities, and community education programs.	PD, HNSD	ongoing
S-5.4.1 (University Police)	Maintain a memorandum of understanding with CSU, Chico University Police to coordinate law enforcement duties and services in the neighborhoods near the campus, such as the South Campus District.	PD	ongoing
S-5.4.2 (Butte County Sheriff's Department)	Strive to maintain the mutual aid agreement, and continue cooperative policing in the greater Chico area with the Butte County Sheriff's Department.	PD	ongoing
S-5.4.3 (Disaster Planning)	Through the Butte County Office of Emergency Services, participate with area public safety and health agencies to plan and train for disaster preparedness.	PD, FD	ongoing
S-5.5.1 (Crime Detering Design)	Consider the incorporation of design features such as strategic window placement, lighting techniques, and landscaping into development projects to discourage criminal activity.	PSD, PD	ongoing
S-7.1.1 (Coordinate with UPRR)	Request Union Pacific Railroad to verify that relevant safety measures for at-grade crossings are implemented and maintained, and assess the	PD, CM	Phase II



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	feasibility of improving safety features, including enhanced crossing gate practices and warning devices.		
S-7.1.2 (Education on Railroad Crossings)	Continue working with CSU Chico, UPPR, and student housing providers to develop and disseminate educational materials on the hazards of unauthorized railroad crossings, and regularly monitor and enforce crossing laws.	PD, HNSD	ongoing
S-7.1.3 (Grade-Separated Crossings)	For improved emergency response and traffic circulation, support interagency studies to identify the best possible locations and feasibility for funding and developing grade-separated (vehicle and pedestrian/bicycle) railroad crossings within the City.	BDSO, CPSD, PD, PSD	Phase IV
S-8.1.1 (Planning for Hazardous Materials Safety)	Consult with the State Office of Emergency Services, the State Department of Toxic Substances Control, the California Highway Patrol, Butte County, and other relevant agencies regarding hazardous materials routing and incident response programs.	BDSO, FD	ongoing
13. – NOISE			
N-1.4.1 (Roadway Project Significance Criteria)	<p>For roadway improvement projects where an acoustical analysis demonstrates that it is not practical to reduce traffic noise levels to be consistent with Table N-1, the following criteria will be used as a test of significance for the environmental review:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where existing traffic noise levels are less than 65 dB Ldn in the outdoor activity areas of noise-sensitive uses, a +8 dB Ldn increase in noise levels due to a roadway improvement project will be considered significant. • Where existing traffic noise levels range between 65 and 70 dB Ldn in the outdoor activity areas of noise-sensitive uses, a +5 dB Ldn increase in noise levels due to a roadway improvement project will be considered significant. Where existing traffic noise levels range between 65 and 70 dB Ldn in the outdoor activity areas of noise-sensitive uses, a +5 dB Ldn increase in noise levels due to a roadway improvement project will be considered significant. 	CPSD, PSD, BDSO	ongoing

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Where existing traffic noise levels are greater than 70 dB Ldn in the outdoor activity areas of noise-sensitive uses, a 3+ dB Ldn increase in noise levels due to a roadway improvement project will be considered significant. 		
N-2.1.1 (Noise Control Measures)	Limit noise exposure through the use of insulation, building design and orientation, staggered operating hours, and other techniques. Utilize physical barriers such as landscaped sound walls only when other solutions are unable to achieve the desired level of mitigation.	BDS, CPSD, PSD	ongoing
N-2.2.1 (Railroad Warning Systems)	Consult with Union Pacific Railroad (and Amtrak as applicable) to investigate the cost, safety, and feasibility of implementing alternative railroad warning systems and safety measures that reduce the use of train horns near residential areas while still meeting public safety objectives.	PSD	Phase III
N-2.2.2 (Silver Dollar Speedway)	Seek support of the State and the Silver Dollar Fair Board to reduce the noise levels associated with events at the Silver Dollar Speedway.	PSD	Phase II
N-2.2.3 (Noise from State Highways)	Request that Caltrans provide freeway sound walls with aesthetic design features, noise-reducing pavement, and speed reductions along state highways adjacent to residential areas where existing noise levels exceed 67 dBA.	CPSD, BDS	ongoing
N-3.1.1 (Noise Program Duties)	Enforce the City's Noise Ordinance by processing complaints, conducting on-site testing of noise sources, and sharing information on the effects of noise issues in the community.	HNSD, PD	Ongoing
N-3.1.2 (Street Noise Environment)	Periodically assess the noise levels associated with city streets by reviewing traffic count data as an indication of increasing traffic noise.	BDS	ongoing