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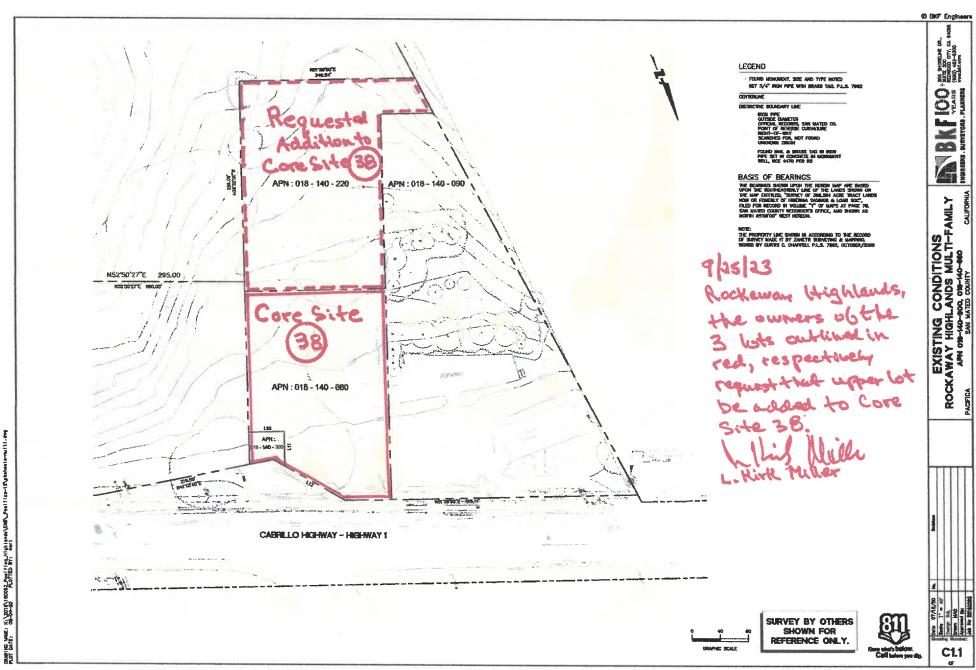
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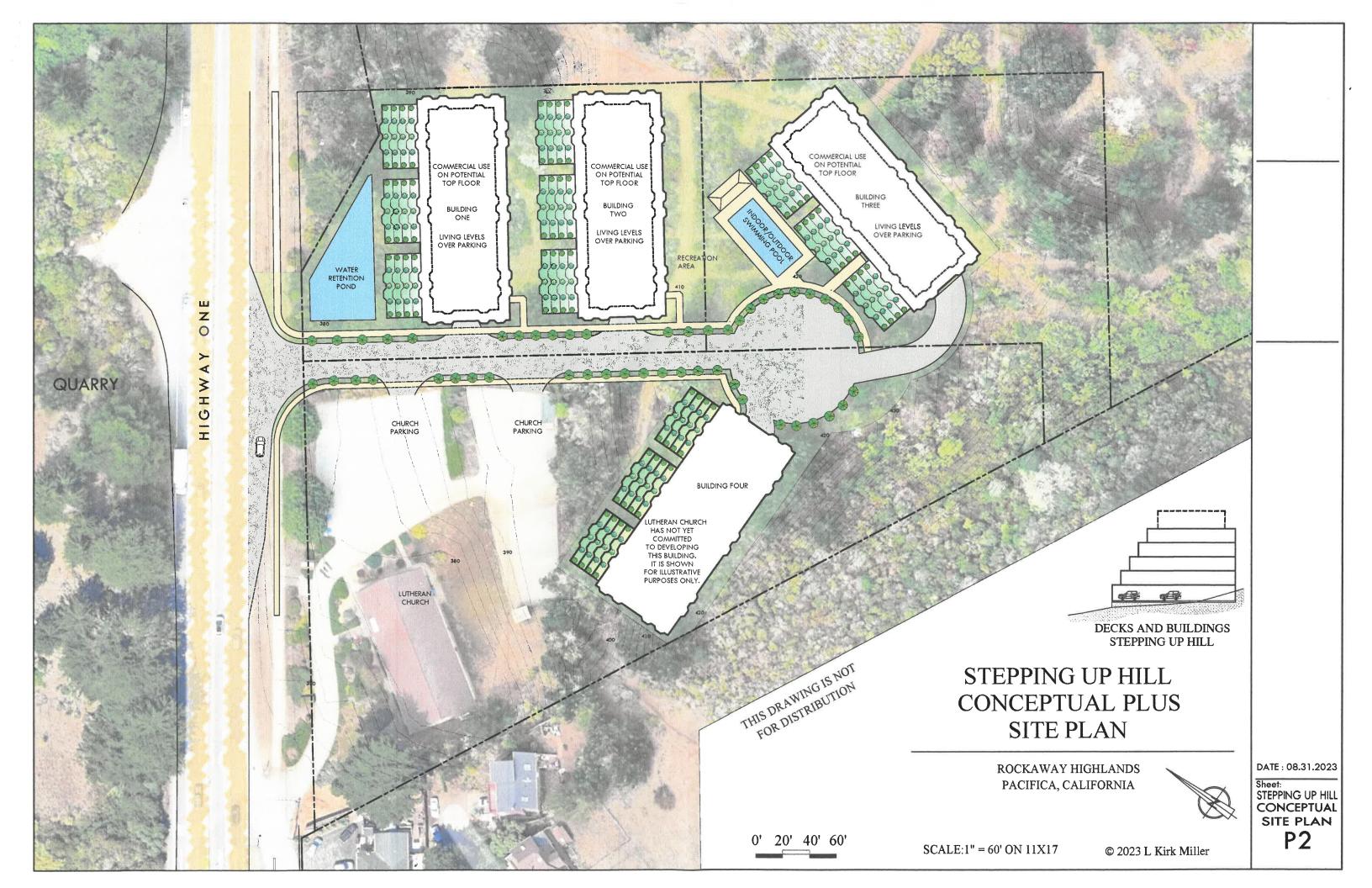


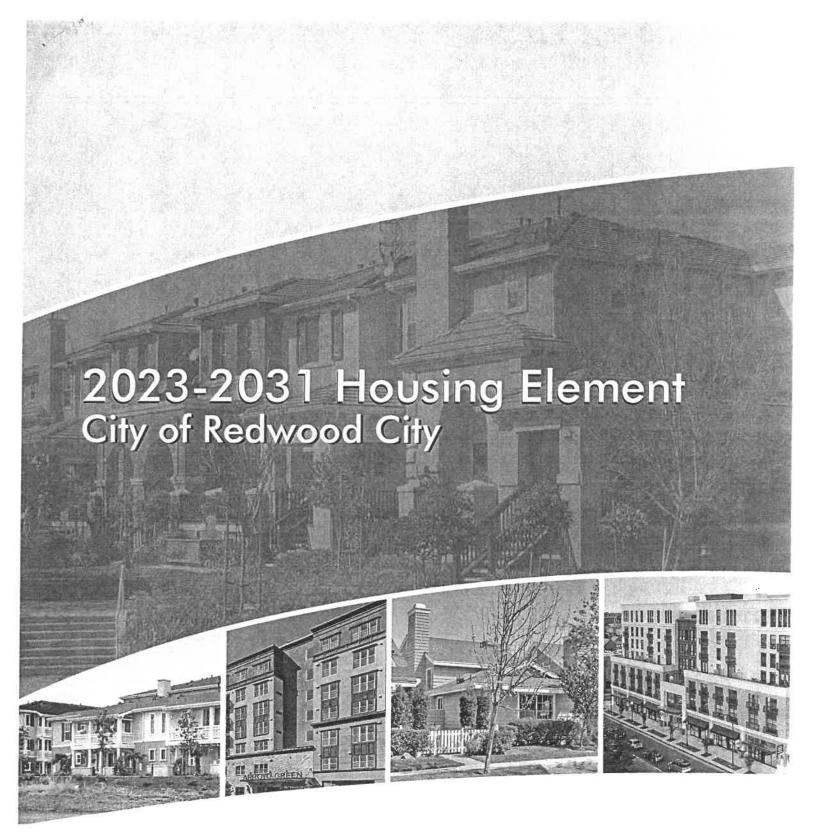
This figure shows the parcels on which housing is intended to be developed on all or a portion of the parcel. Where the entire parcel is not intended to be developed with housing, the specific areas of the parcel intended for housing development are depicted in Appendix F, Figures F-2 through F-11 "Areas assumed for housing (in blue shading)." The areas of the parcels that are not shown as "Areas assumed for housing (in blue shading)" are not included in the Housing Element site inventory.



27	Pacific Manor Shopping Center, 440 Manor PI*	Retail/ MUN	0-30	60	Yes	9	8	98	115
28	Fairmont Shopping Center, 777 Hickey Blvd*	Retail	Retail 0	50	Yes	3	3	35	41
29	Linda Mar Shopping Ctr, 500 Linda Mar Blvd*	Retail	0	50	Yes	14	13	155	182
30	Builders Exchange, 520 San Pedro Ave	Retail	0	30	Yes		23		23
31	Ace Hardware, 560 San Pedro Ave*	Retail	0	30	Yes		30		30
32	Brentwood Shopping Center, Oceana/Manor*	Retail	0	60	Yes	97			97
33	US Bank, 1655 Oceana Blvd	MUC	30	50	N/A			14	14
37	St Peter's Church 700 Oddstad	Open Space/Ag/Res	30	Same	N/A	24			24
38	Vacant Coast Hwy north of Our Savior Church*	MUN	30	60	N/A	61			61
G	Skyline Blvd	Utilities	0	40	Yes	55			55
			Te	OTAL CORE F	RHNA SITES	687	248	691	1,626

Note: Sites indicated with an asterisk (*) include the more than one parcel. Each APN listed is included in Appendix F. Source: City of Pacifica





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Housing Element



- Introduction, Vision, and Executive Summary
- Housing Plan: Goals, Policies, and Programs
- Technical Background Report:
 - o Needs Assessment
 - Constraints to Housing Development
 - Housing Resources
 - Fair Housing Assessment
 - Details of Public Engagement
 - Evaluation of Previous Accomplishments

Incorporated in 1868, Redwood City has many assets, including diverse geography, frontage on the San Francisco Bay, a pleasant year-round climate, a deep-water port, a well-rounded economic base, an exciting Downtown, and a strategic location midway between San Francisco and San Jose. These features and a diverse local economy make Redwood City an attractive place to live and work. This Housing Element continues the City's commitment to ensuring new opportunities for residential development, particularly in existing high resource opportunity neighborhoods, and providing opportunities for people of all income levels and backgrounds to thrive.

- Goal H-5: Form partnerships with community organizations, San Mateo County and other government entities, neighborhoods, homebuilders, local industries and other groups to provide affordable housing and housing for people with special needs.
- **POLICY H-5.1:** Support housing preservation partnerships, such as Housing Endowment and Regional Trust (HEART) of San Mateo County's efforts to create a housing preservation model.
- **POLICY H-5.2:** Promote home sharing programs, such as those provided by HIP Housing's Home Sharing Programs.
- **POLICY H-5.3:** Pursue and maximize the use of grant funding for the development, preservation, and rehabilitation of affordable housing.
- POLICY H-5.4: Continue to work with the County to provide housing for individuals experiencing homelessness and achieving the goal of Functional Zero Homelessness (where every unsheltered homeless person in San Mateo County who chooses assistance can be sheltered in an emergency shelter or in temporary or permanent housing).
- **POLICY H-5.5:** Form community partnerships with Redwood City businesses and other organizations to find resources and support for residents with disabilities or extremely low-income residents.
- **POLICY H-5.6:** Seek additional funding sources for affordable housing, including local options and collaborative regional approaches.
- **POLICY H-5.7:** Encourage developers and contractors to evaluate hiring local labor, hiring from or contributing to apprenticeship programs, increasing resources for labor compliance, and providing living wages.



Program H5-1:

EJ Focus

Equity and Outreach Plan. Engage with the community on housing programs, policies, and affordable housing opportunities. Follow the City's Equity Plan (originally adopted in 2021) to ensure participation from those that are not often represented in decision-making about housing construction, protection, and preservation.

Objectives:

Following the Equity Plan, apply an Equity Lens to the implementation of projects, programs, and decisions, weighing burdens and benefits of affected parties, engagement of those most impacted by inequities, and considering potential unintended consequences. Consider the Geographic Equity Index as part of identifying potential benefits and burdens, as well as to identify communities in which to focus engagement efforts. Partner with housing



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H-A-5-c **Expand Sources of Funds for the City Affordable Housing Fund.** Provide the necessary legal framework to be able to accept grants and donations to the City Affordable Housing Fund as a qualified trust fund from County, State, or Federal programs; employers; organizations; and individual donors. Evaluate potential sources of reliable funding for affordable housing programs.

Responsible Agency: Community Development Department, City Attorney, City Council

Timeframe: Recommend legal framework to City Council by December 2023 Funding Source: General Fund

- H-A-5-d **Budgeting for Housing Programs.** As part of the annual budget, allocate funds from the City Affordable Housing Fund or other sources to fund programs to address housing needs identified in the Housing Element and based on timing commitments specified for each program, that may include but are not limited to:
 - (1) Staffing and other resources to administer housing programs.
 - (2) H-B-2-a: Lower Income Homeowner Rehabilitation.
 - (3) H-B-2-b: Facilitate Non-Profit Rehabilitation and Maintenance Assistance.
 - (4) H-D-4-b: ADU Financial Incentive Program.
 - (5) H-F-2-a: Emergency Housing Assistance.
 - (6) H-G-2-b: Fair Housing Training for Landlords and Tenants.
 Responsible Agency: City Council, Community Development Department Timeframe: Implement funding for programs as part of the budget process Performance Metric(s): Amount of funding allocated annually Funding Source: Affordable Housing Fund¹
- H-A-6 Encourage Local Hiring. Encourage developers and contractors to evaluate hiring local labor, hiring from, or contributing to apprenticeship programs, increasing resources for labor compliance, and providing living wages.
 - H-B-6-a Local Labor Program List. Establish and post a list of local labor unions and apprenticeship programs on City's website and encourage the developers and contractors to hire local labor.

Responsible Agency: Community Development Department, City Attorney Timeframe: Establish the list by December 31, 2023. Bi-annually update the list or upon requests from the local unions to be added to the list.

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¹ Affordable Housing Fund is used to reference all City funds that are restricted to affordable housing purposes, including but not limited to: Fund 122 Los and Moderate-Income Housing Fund, Fund 124 City Affordable Housing Fund, and Fund 137 Commercial Linkage Fee.

Task	Task Summary	Responsible Agency	Quantitative Objective	Timeframe	Funding Source
	zones that permit residential uses of the same type, in accordance with the City's definition of family.			Management in the control of the particular properties of the control of the cont	<u> </u>
Policy I	HE.18: Address the range of needs and encourage the production of additional description of additional description and the control of the con	onal housing oppo	dunities for extremely low-income	(EU) households.	
18.1	Amend the Zoning Ordinance to reduce the required parking on one parking space per unit to 0.5 parking spaces per unit to any housing development that is willing to deed-restrict at least 20 percent of units for extremely low-income households.	Pianning Division	Facilitate the development at 668 units of housing to accommodate extremely low-moome households.	lanuary 2025	General Fund
18.2	For any new housing development using public lunding or publicly owned land, the City and project developer shall explore the inclusion of units specifically targeted to and restricted for extremely low-income households.	Planning Division		Ongoing/as needed	General Fund
18.3	Define and permit single-room occupancy (SRO) units, which are after more affordable to those with extremely low incomes. To further support the development or rehabilitation of SRO units and/or other units affordable to extremely low-income households such as supportive and multifamily units, the City will continue to seek and pursue state and federal tunds to other a vanety of incentives or concessions.	Planning Division		January 2025	General Funa
Policy I compli	HE, 19: Encourage developers and contractors to evaluate hiring local fabo iance, and providing living wages.	or, hiring from or co	ontributing to apprenticeship progr	dms, increasing resource	s for labor
19.1	Establish and post a list of local labor, unions and apprenticeship programs on City's website and encourage developers and contractors to hire local labor.	Economic and Community Development Department City Altorney		Establish the list by December 31, 2023, biannually update the list for ar upon request from focal labor games to be added to the list.	General Fund
Incom	HE.19: Refer residents to home-sharing programs as part of a collection of pe e levels, including seniors, those living with disabilities, those at risk of home			housing needs of those a	the lowest
	HE.20: Encourage voluntary housing rehabilitation and reconstruction.	And the state of t			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
20.1	Amend the Zoning Ordinance non-conforming building regulations to allow the voluntary reconstruction, restoration, or reautiding of any multifamity residential building with three or more units. Examples of non-conformity may include unit count, parking provision, and building selback and height. Such reconstruction, restoration, or rebuilding shall be limited for both single-family and multiple-tamily buildings in the ways described by California Government Cade Section 65852-25.	Planning Division	Allow for voluntary reconstruction, restoration, or rebuilding of 20 units.	January 2025	General Fund

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REFERENCE	GOAL/POLICY/PR	OGRAM CONTROL OF THE				
Program H6.F	Transit Incentives					
	Integrate transit de vehicle trips and pa	mand management strategies for all residential development to increase access to transit and reduce rking demand.				
	Responsibility:	Planning Division				
	Financing:	General Fund				
	Objectives:	Reduce vehicle trips and parking demand and increase use of alternative forms of mobility				
	Timeframe:	Ongoing on a project-by-project basis				
Program H6.G	Neighborhood Co	nnectivity.				
	resource neighborh	nood connectivity, walkability, and access to services, healthy food, and recreation, particularly in low- noods east of US-101, to improve access and reduce the division of the urban form produced by the te and prioritize activities with consideration of the City's capital improvement projects list.				
	Responsibility:	Planning Division; Public Works; Planning Commission; City Council				
	Financing:	State Cap and Trade; General Fund; State and Federal grants; project impact fees				
	Objectives:	Reduce disparities in access to opportunities				
	Timeframe:	Identify project priorities annually through coordination with the City's capital improvement projects list; implementation of the projects shall be ongoing throughout the planning period				
Goal H7	DESIGN OF HOUSING.					
	Ensure new housing is well-designed and addresses the housing needs of the city.					
Policy H7.1	Housing Design.					
	infill development on new construction a	new housing to achieve excellence in development design through an efficient process, and encourage on vacant and underutilized sites that meet the community's needs. The City will encourage innovative and universal housing design that enhances mobility and independence of the elderly and those living with an eighborhoods, enhancing neighborhood identity and sense of community.				
Policy 7.2	Local Labor.					
	Encourage developers and contractors to evaluate hiring local labor, hiring from or contributing to apprenticeship programs, increasing resources for labor compliance, and providing living wages.					
Program H7.A	objective design a eligible for minister	al Design Standards. Solicit input from the development community in the creation and adoption of an development standards to be applied to all residential and residential mixed-use projects that are ial review (refer to Program H4.E)				
	Responsibility:	City Commissions; Planning Division; City Attorney; City Council				
	Financing:	General Fund				
	Objectives:	Adopt objective design standards for multifamily developments, mixed-use housing developments,				



NEW POLICIES

Labor Standards:

"Encourage developers and contractors to evaluate hiring local labor, hiring from or contributing to apprenticeship programs, increasing resources for labor compliance, and providing living wages."

