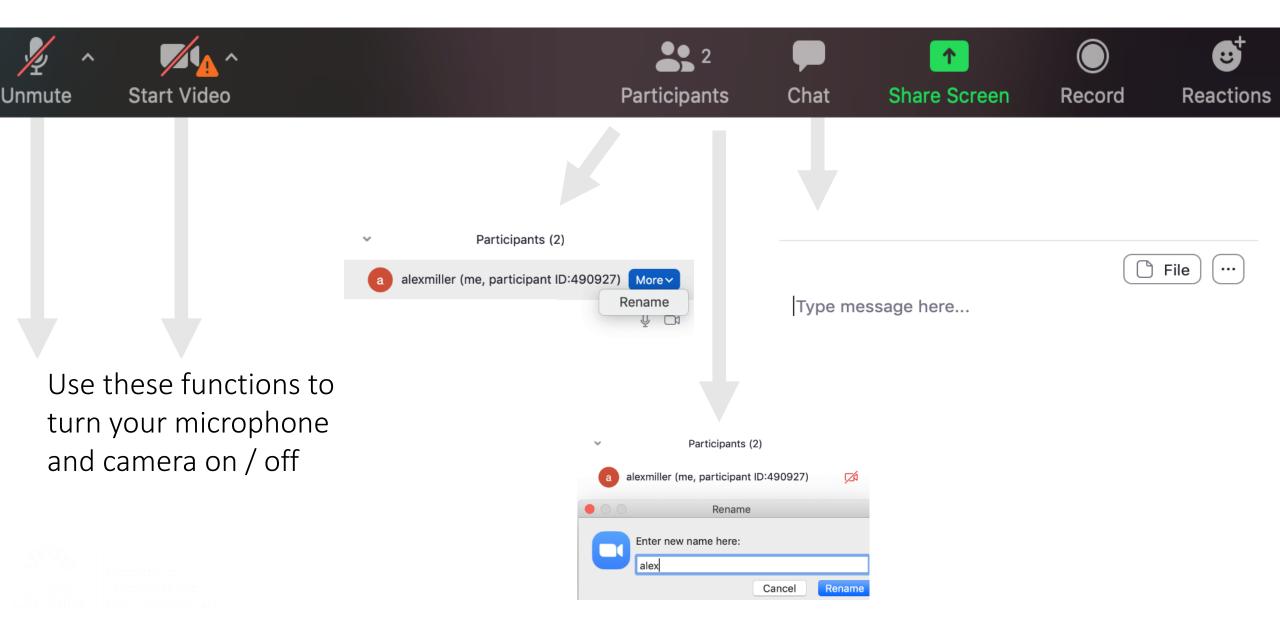
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VILLAGE OF BELCARRA OCP REVIEW

VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

URBAN SYSTEMS



LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We wish to acknowledge that this meeting is taking place on the unceded territory of the Coast Salish Peoples. Tum-tumay-wheton, or Belcarra, is home to an ancestral village of the Tsleil-Waututh Nation. We are thankful to conduct our work within their territory.







AGENDA

MAY 25, 2022 | 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Ground Rules
- 3. Engagement Objectives
- 4. Presentation What We Heard Phase 1 Engagement
- 5. Polling Exercise Draft Vision & Strategic Goals
- 6. Presentation Draft Plan Overview
- 7. Next Steps
- 8. Question & Answer Session
- 9. Adjournment





GROUND RULES

- · Identify yourself by including your first and last name on your Zoom profile
- Turn your camera on so everyone knows who is in the room
- Use respectful language when posing questions in the chat
- Focus your comments on the topic being discussed
- Have fun and enjoy the planning process



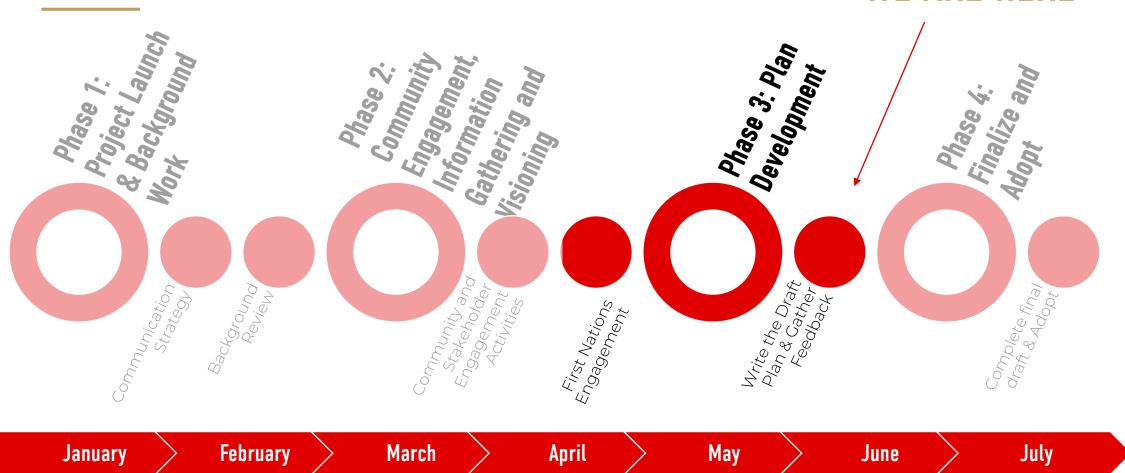
ENGAGEMENT OBJECTIVES

- To report back what we heard in the first phase of public engagement
- To inform participants about the OCP planning process
- To consult the public on the draft vision and strategic goals
- To provide an overview of the new OCP's structure and character
- To provide an overview of the Draft OCP and Land Use Maps.
- To inform participants how the policies will be implemented
- To inform participants how they can provide input into the planning process
- To provide participants with an opportunity to ask questions



TIMELINE

WE ARE HERE







STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT UPDATE

STAKEHOLDERS WE HAVE MET WITH:

- Metro Vancouver Planning Department
- Metro Vancouver Parks Department
- Vancouver Fraser Port Authority
- Tri Cities Chamber of Commerce
- TransLink
- Hydro
- Public Works and Engineering
- Sasamat Outdoor Centre
- City of Port Moody
- Sasamat Fire Department

4 OCP REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETINGS

2 MEETINGS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE



TSLEIL-WAUTUTH NATION OUTREACH

Outreach to Date

- A letter was sent (government-to-government) to Chief Jennifer Thomas in February
- Follow-up correspondence was sent to staff and representatives in March
- An initial meeting was held with the Nation's application review team
- · A formal request for review will be submitted once the Draft Plan is complete

Goals

- To advance truth and reconciliation in the Belcarra community
- To include Tsleil-Waututh's perspective on Belcarra's past, present, and future
- To identify places of cultural and historical significance within the community



- Available online between February 21 and March 15
- 111 total responses out of 643 residents (2016 Census) 17.2% participation rate!
- Age of Respondents:
 - 34% of respondents are 65 to 74 years of age
 - 29% of respondents are between 55 and 64 years of age
- Years in Belcarra:
 - 27% of respondents have lived in Belcarra for over 40 years
 - 34% of respondents have lived in Belcarra between 20 and 30 years

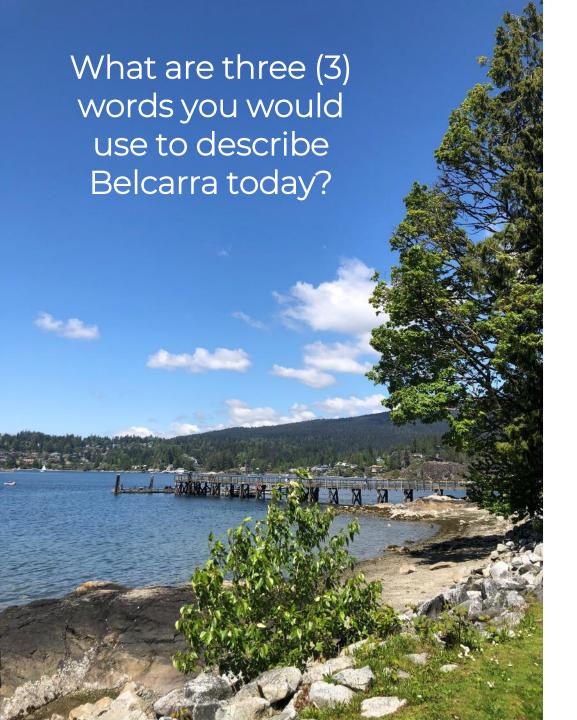


HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE WHERE YOU LIVE?

- Bedwell Bay (37%)
- Belcarra Bay (14%)
- Main Ave (10%)
- Coombe Lane (6%)
- Whiskey Cove (6%)
- Belcarra Bay Road (5%)
- Farrer Cove (4%)
- Turtlehead (4%)

- Other or N/A (8%)
- Belcarra (2%)
- Robson Rd (2%)
- Marine Ave (1%)
- Midden Rd (1%)
- Twin Islands (1%)





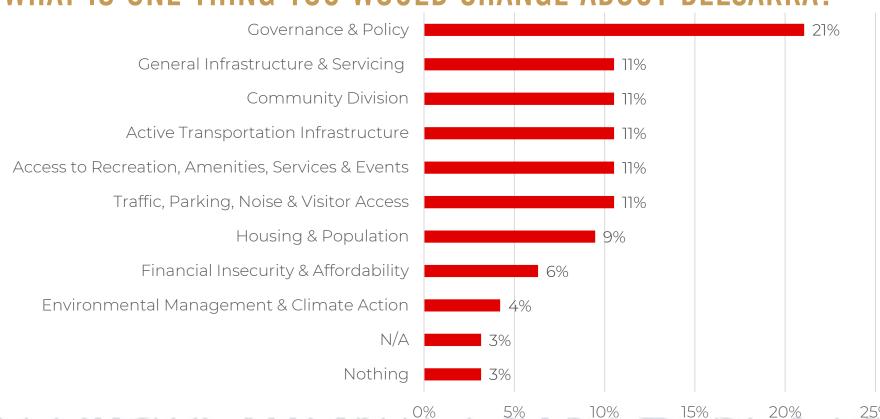


WHAT DO YOU LOVE MOST ABOUT YOUR COMMUNITY?

Natural Surroundings (37%)	Rural Setting (18%)	Sense of Community (16%)	Peaceful Environment (16%)	Access to Nature (13%)
OceanForestWildlifeScenery/views	 Remote location Quaint Small-town feel Country atmosphere 	FriendlySafeSmall population	 Quiet Tranquil Private	 Parks and trails Waterfront access Outdoor recreation

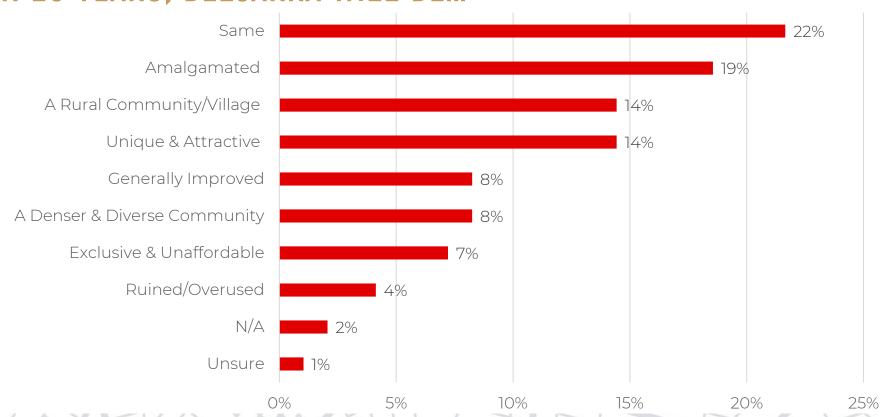


WHAT IS ONE THING YOU WOULD CHANGE ABOUT BELCARRA?



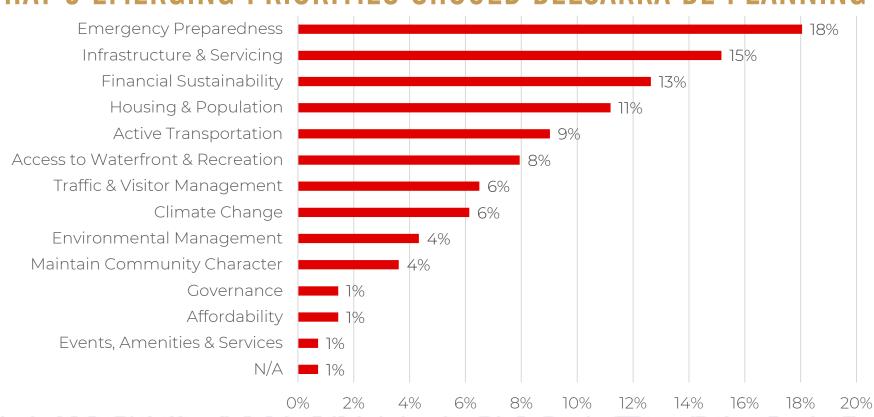


IN 20 YEARS, BELCARRA WILL BE...



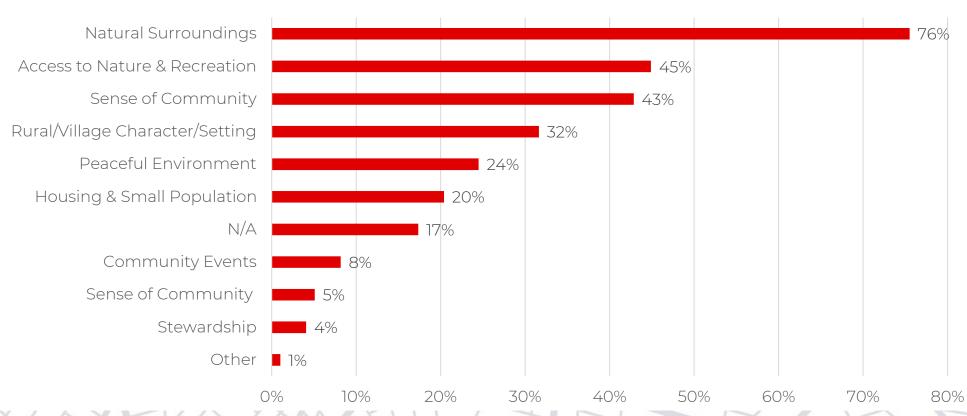


WHAT 3 EMERGING PRIORITIES SHOULD BELCARRA BE PLANNING FOR?



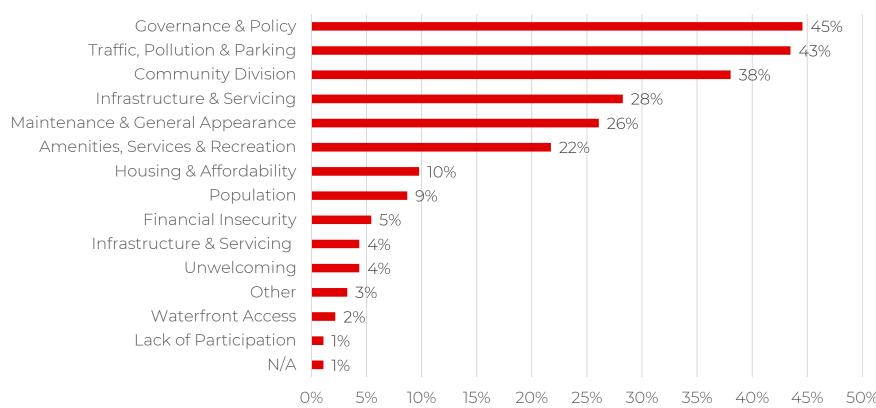


WHAT SPECIFIC ATTRIBUTES MAKE UP BELCARRA'S COMMUNITY CHARACTER?





IS THERE ANYTHING THAT DETRACTS FROM BELCARRA'S COMMUNITY CHARACTER?







VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

- Held on March 10 (6 8 pm)
- 51 participants in attendance including Councillors, Committee members, members of staff, and community residents
- Overview presentation on the OCP planning process and Belcarra's existing OCP
- Small breakout room discussions on the following questions:
 - 1. When you think about Belcarra 20 years from now, what does your ideal community look like?
 - 2. What needs to change about Belcarra today for your ideal to become a reality? Why?
 - 3. What emerging priorities should the OCP address? Why?



KEY TAKEAWAYS

1. When you think about Belcarra 20 years from now, what does your ideal community look like?

Community Ideal	Comments
Housing & Affordability	 Housing variety for different income levels and demographic needs Some densification through subdivision of larger properties
Infrastructure, Servicing & Emergency Preparedness	 Improved community access Upgraded services and utilities Adequate water supply and stormwater drainage
Diverse & Equitable Community	 Diverse population Cohesive community Community events and activities
Recreation & Commercial Investments	 Upgraded recreational facility Improved waterfront and parkland access More commercial uses
Active Transportation	Improved trail networkImproved pedestrian and cyclist safety
Protected Environment & Climate Change Action	 Forested Carbon neutral community Environmentally sensitive development
Rural	Maintain rural character, avoid densification
Financial Sustainability	Local employment opportunitiesVaried revenue generation



KEY TAKEAWAYS

2. What needs to change about Belcarra today for your ideal to become a reality? Why?

Areas of Change	Comments
Subdivision & Housing Options	 Housing diversity to support different demographic groups and improve affordability Zoning changes to permit subdivision of large properties
Environmental Management & Climate Change Preparedness	 Increase awareness and education Protect natural habitat and wildlife Support environmental programs Reduce community's carbon footprint
Local Transportation & Community Access	 Road safety improvements and connection to Farrer Cove Pedestrian and cycling network improvements Better community access for emergency preparedness and fire evacuation
Community Amenities, Services & Recreation	 Improve community access to waterfront Partnerships with local businesses to provide amenities and services Invest in community facilities (tennis court, indoor gym)
Governance, Citizen Involvement & Community-Building	 More opportunities for community engagement Support for referendums for big decisions Address community divide
Financial Sustainability	Increase tax baseExplore alternatives for revenue generation
Cross-jurisdictional Collaboration	 Partnerships and collaboration with other communities, First Nations, park authority, etc. Explore options for ecotourism
Community Character	 Protect existing community character Maintain a quiet, rural, small-town atmosphere
Infrastructure & Servicing	 Water supply for fire protection Waste management Fire hall upgrades

KEY TAKEAWAYS

3. What emerging priorities should the OCP address? Why?

Emerging Priority	Comments
Infrastructure & Servicing	 Road maintenance and safety Improved community access Water supply for fire protection General infrastructure upgrades
Emergency Preparedness	Fire prevention planning, wildfire response planEvacuation plan
Community Building & Engagement	 More community events and engagement opportunities Address community divide
Financial Sustainability	 Funding for projects Increase revenue generation, tax base Improve affordability
Active Transportation	 Pedestrian safety Sidewalk and walking route improvements Multi-use pathways, separated bicycle lanes
Subdivision & Housing Options	 Reduce minimum lot size requirements to permit subdivision Increase density and diversity of housing options Housing for aging population (e.g., apartments)
Commercial Opportunities	 Commercial services: general store, café, restaurants, community centre Potential locations near Village Hall and recreational facilities
Waterfront Access	Shared docks for community members
Cross-jurisdictional Collaboration	Partnerships with neighbouring communities
Environmental Management & Climate Action	Manage invasive speciesProtect riparian habitat



DRAFT VISION STATEMENT

Belcarra is a peaceful village between the forest and the sea.

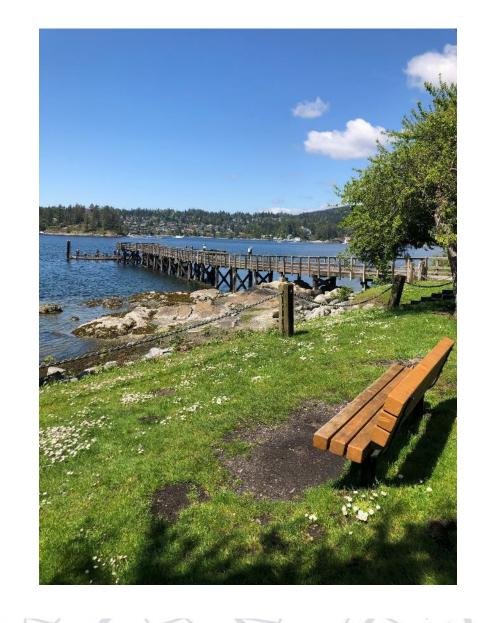
In 2040, Belcarra will be a safe, sustainable, and welcoming community surrounded by natural beauty.





DRAFT STRATEGIC GOALS

- 1. To be a steward of the natural environment.
- 2. To be prepared for emergencies.
- To meet (or exceed) the regional greenhouse gas reduction target.
- 4. To be a safe place for residents and visitors to explore.
- 5. To be a village that offers a range of housing options.





DRAFT STRATEGIC GOALS

- 6. To be a municipality that evolves progressively and sustainably.
- 7. To be a community where residents feel engaged, informed, and heard.
- 8. To be a connected neighbour with strong inter-governmental relationships.
- 9. To advance truth and reconciliation in the Belcarra community.
- 10. To monitor and report on progress being made on the Official Community Plan annually.





DRAFT OCP - KEY DIFFERENCES

- Incorporates Tsleil-Waututh's voice and identifies places of cultural/historical significance
- Stronger links to regional planning, transportation, and transit planning initiatives
- Greater emphasis on communication, collaboration, and reconciliation
- Introduces a new commercial land use designation
- Updated GIS base mapping for all of the draft maps
- Includes a robust implementation policy framework
- SMART policies, photographs, infographics







NEW COMMERCIAL LANDUSE DESIGNATION







Official Community Plan Context Map

Legend

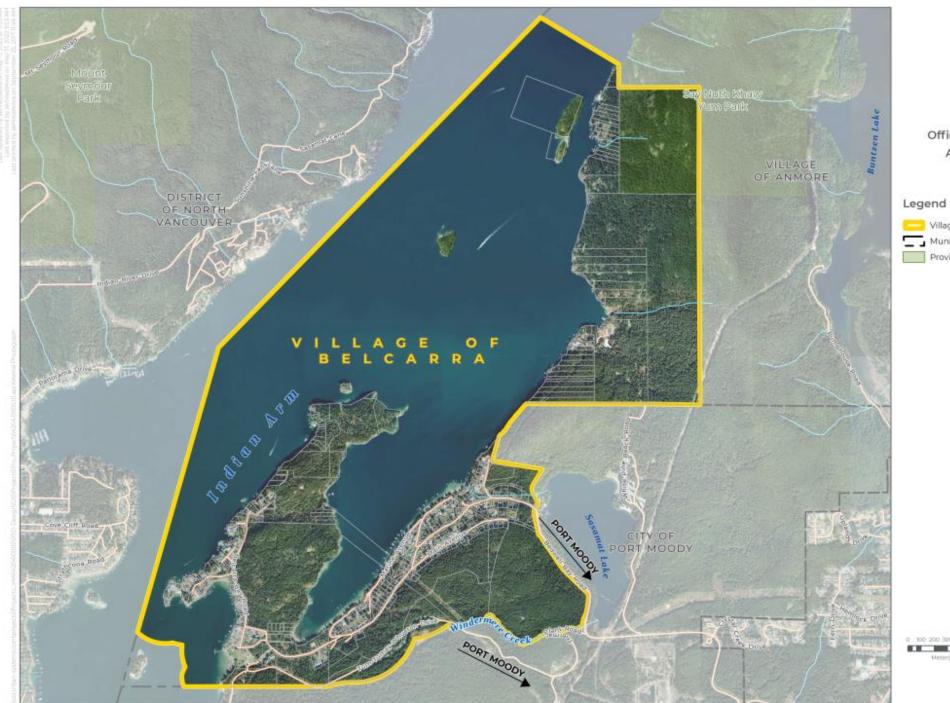
Village of Belcarra Municipal Boundary













Official Community Plan Aerial Photograph

Village of Belcarra Municipal Boundary

Municipal Boundaries

Provincial Parks



DRAFT OCP - 8 KEY POLICY AREAS

- Natural Environment
- 2. Hazard Lands
- 3. Climate Change
- 4. Mobility
- 5. Municipal Infrastructure
- 6. Land Use Designations
- 7. Communication, Collaboration, and Reconciliation
- 8. Implementation



NATURAL ENVIRONMENT

- Vancouver Fraser Port Authority Areas
- 2. Regional Conservation and Recreation Areas
- 3. Environmentally Sensitive Areas
- 4. Tree Canopy
- 5. Invasive Species Management
- 6. Wildfire Management
- 7. Water Quality
- 8. Air Quality



NATURAL ENVIRONMENT - AN EXAMPLE

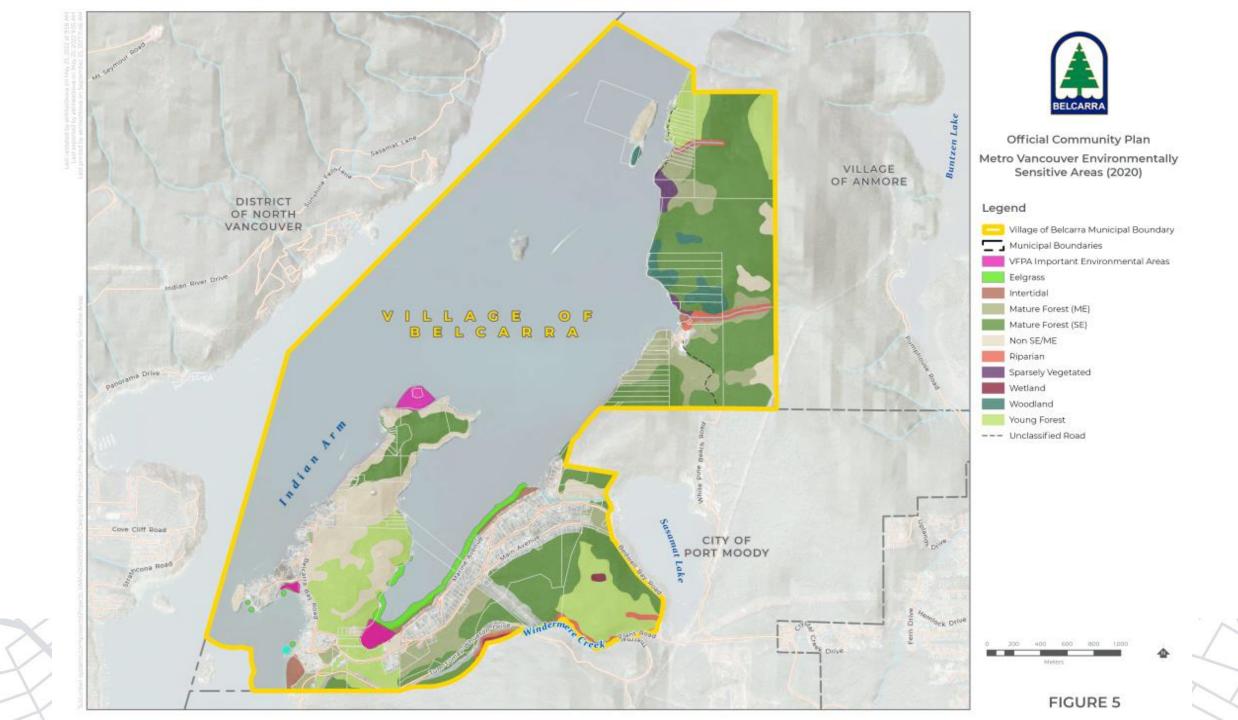
Regional Conservation and Recreation Areas

Seventy percent of Belcarra is designated Conservation and Recreation by Metro Vancouver. The Conservation and Recreation land use designation is intended to help protect significant ecological and recreation assets like wildlife management areas, ecological reserves, forests, wetlands, riparian areas, major parks and outdoor areas, and other ecosystems that may be vulnerable to climate change and natural hazard impacts. Lands designated Conservation and Recreation are shown on **Figure 5** and include places like təmtəmíxwtən (Belcarra Regional Park), Jug Island, and Say Nuth Khaw Yum Provincial Park.

It is a policy of Council to:

- 1. Protect and enhance conservation and recreation areas by buffering them from adjacent uses.
- 2. Permit uses that are consistent with the intent of Metro Vancouver's conservation and recreation designation.
- 3. Strive for no net ecosystem loss when developing and operating utility and transportation infrastructure in regional conservation and recreation areas.
- 4. Invite Tsleil-Waututh Nation to share their knowledge and history of the regional conservation and recreation areas.





HAZARD LANDS

- Emergency Response Planning
- 2. Steep Slopes
- 3. Flood and Sea Level Rise Hazards
- 4. Wildfire Management



CLIMATE CHANGE

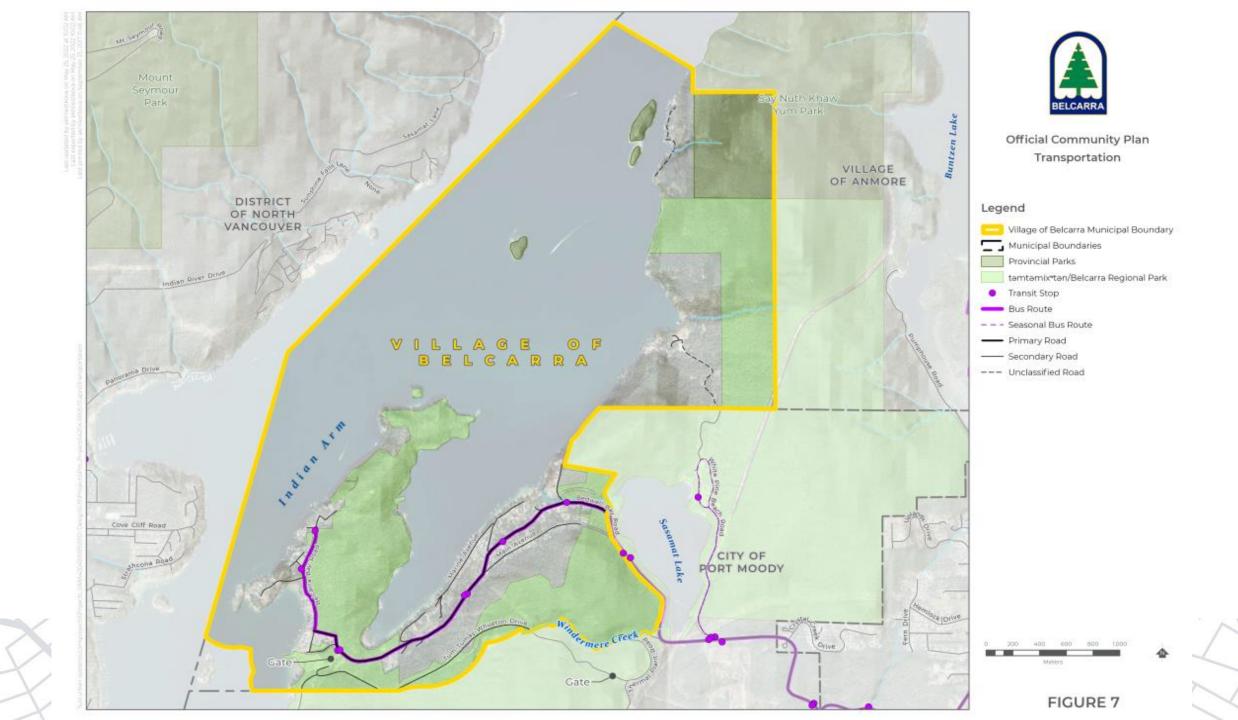
- Climate Action Planning
- Greenhouse Gas Reductions
 - Building Improvements
 - Vehicle Energy Efficiencies
 - Low Carbon Energy Sources
 - Other Greenhouse Gas Reduction Initiatives

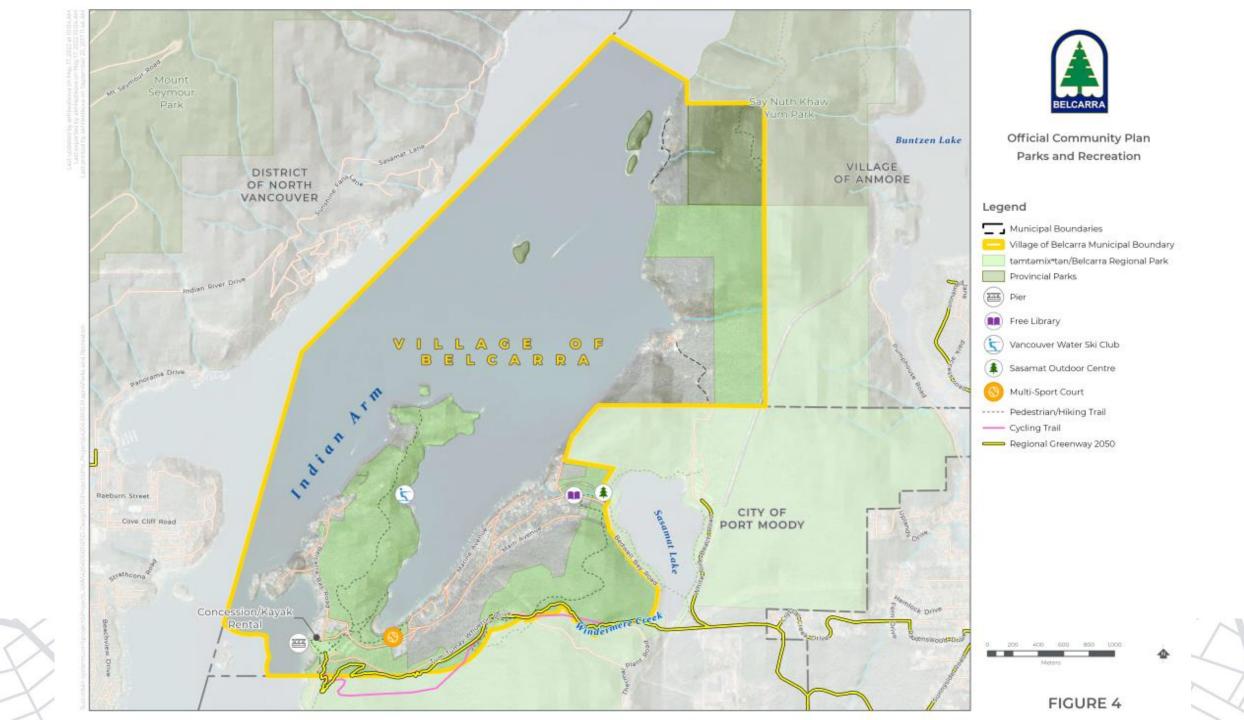


MOBILITY

- Active Transportation and Trails
- 2. Road Network, Parking, and Transit
- 3. Water Access



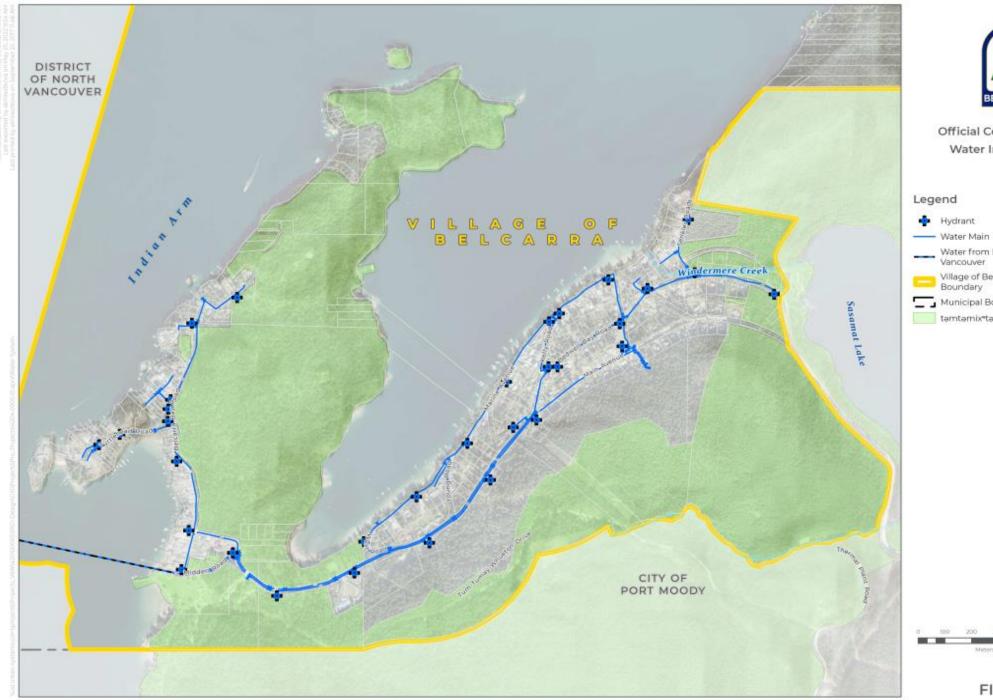




MUNICIPAL INFRASTRUCTURE

- Asset Management and Infrastructure Planning
- 2. Water
- 3. Stormwater
- 4. Liquid Waste
- 5. Solid Waste and Recycling
- 6. Unserviced Properties







Official Community Plan Water Infrastructure

Hydrant

Water from District of North Vancouver

Village of Belcarra Municipal Boundary

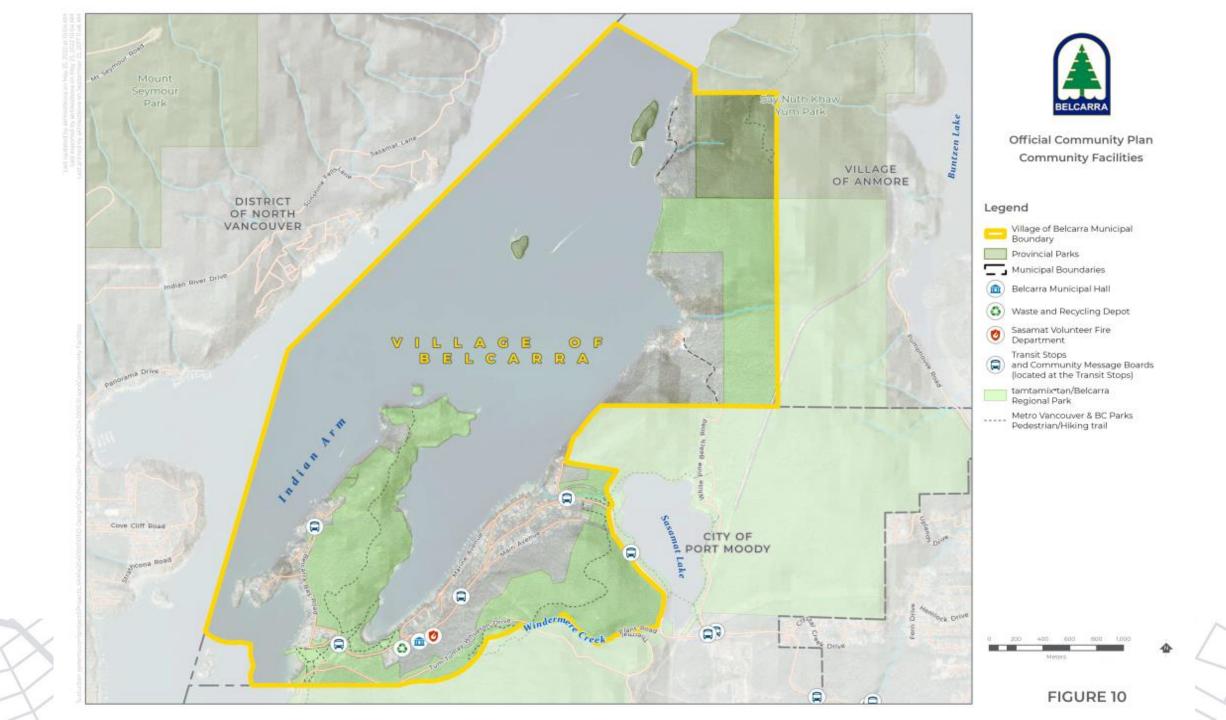
Municipal Boundaries

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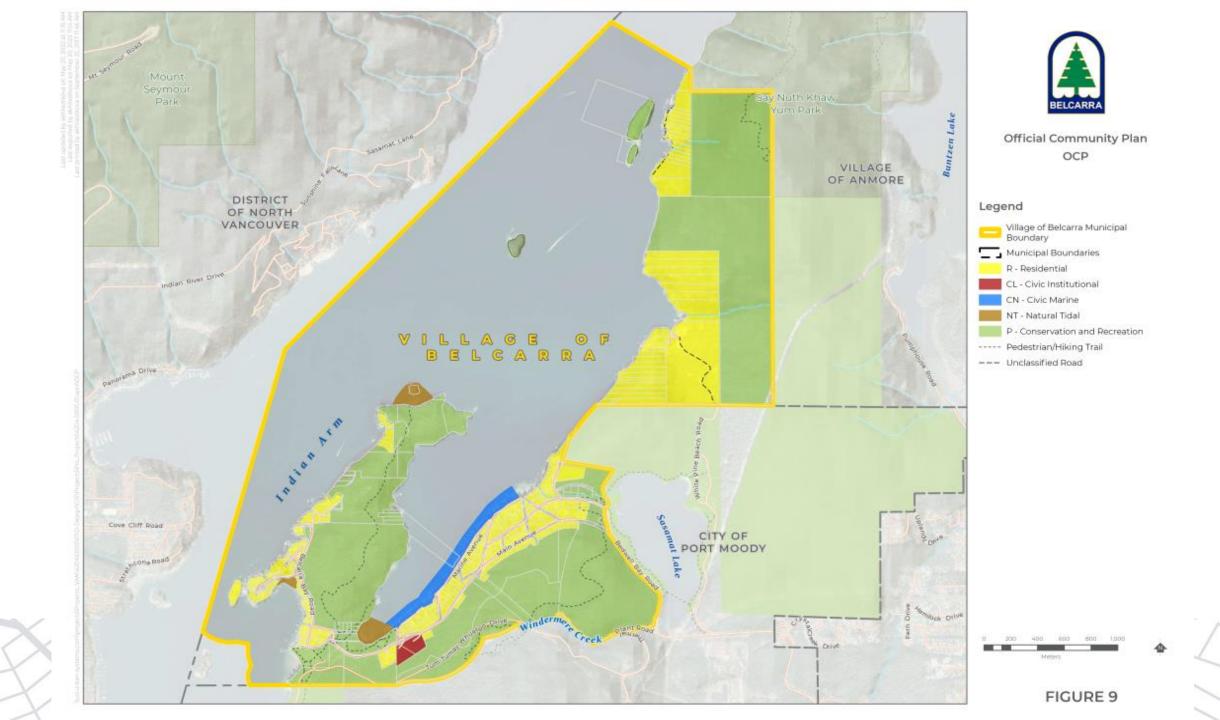




LAND USE DESIGNATIONS

- Residential
- 2. Commercial
- 3. Conservation and Recreation
- 4. Civic Institutional
- 5. Civic Marine
- 6. Natural Tidal





COMMUNICATION, COLLABORATION, AND RECONCILIATION

- 1. Relationship to Tsleil-Waututh Nation
- 2. Relationships with Neighbouring Jurisdictions and Government Agencies
- 3. Relationship with the Belcarra Community



IMPLEMENTATION

- The OCP is a living and working document
- Learn from implementation successes and failures
- · Continuous cycle of monitoring, evaluating, adjusting, and reporting
- Repeat this cycle on annual basis and link it to Strategic Plan and Budget processes
- Council to adopt an annual progress report that is published for transparency



MONITORING

- Develop an OCP Monitoring and Evaluation Program
- Identify data that is already being collected and analyzed
- Establish Performance Indicators (specific, quantifiable targets)
- Develop Tracking Targets (qualitative in nature)
- Develop a consistent process for capturing community storey telling and anecdotes
- Recommend amendments to the performance indicators and tracking targets



EVALUATING

- Evaluate progress based on performance indicators and tracking targets
- Assess new information that may be relevant to the OCP
- Recommend amendments to realize the vision and strategic goals of the OCP

REPORTING

 Publish an annual report for transparency, accountability, and community engagement in the decision making process.



ADJUSTING

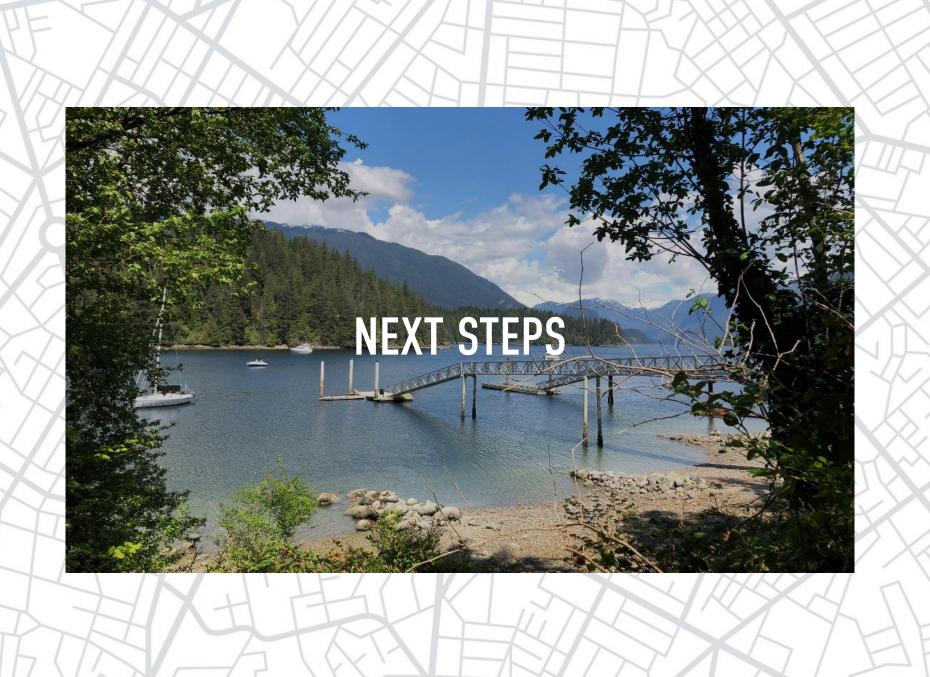
- OCPs are generally reviewed every five (5) years
- Reviews tend to follow Housing Needs Report updates
- Opportunity exists to make strategic amendments to OCPs outside the regular 5-year window
- · Respond to new opportunities, unforeseen events, results of the annual evaluation etc.



IMPLEMENTATION MATRIX

- The following will be identified for every OCP policy:
 - Level of Priority: Low, Medium, High
 - Timeline: Short (0-2 years), Medium (2-4 years), Long (5+ years), Ongoing
 - Responsibility
 - Partner Agency
 - Funding Source
 - Performance Indicator/Tracking Target





NEXT STEPS

- Presentation and Draft Maps posted on the Village webpage for your review
- Invite you to complete a Community Feedback Form
 - Ask you for feedback on the Draft Vision, Strategic Goals, and select Policies
 - To what degree do you agree or disagree with the draft policies?
 - To what degree do you think the policies are ambitious enough?
 - Opportunity to provide other comments as well
- Community Feedback Form will be available until Wednesday June 1 @ 11:59 pm



NEXT STEPS

- Present the Draft OCP document to the OCP Review Committee on June 1
- Draft OCP document will be circulated to stakeholders on June 3
- Draft OCP document will be referred to Tsleil-Waututh Nation on June 3
- Draft OCP document will be posted on the Village webpage on June 3
- Analyze the results of the Community Feedback Forms June 2 onward
- Review feedback from OCP Review Committee and stakeholders late June
- Revise the Draft OCP as required
- Incorporate Tsleil-Waututh contributions upon receipt





