

ACHESON AREA STRUCTURE PLAN UPDATE

PRESENTED FOR INFORMATION SEPTEMBER 1, 2020

PRESENTATION OVERVIEW

- Progress To Date
- Items of Interest
- Upcoming Stakeholder Engagement





PROJECT STATUS UPDATE

PROJECT TIMELINE



We are here

as of August 2020



PROGRESS TO DATE

policy review + gap analysis

2 internal review

preliminary engagement



PROGRESS TO DATE policy review + gap analysis

- Administration Reviewed:
 - Municipal Development Plan
 - Engineering Master Plans (Water, Wastewater, Stormwater and Transportation)
 - Edmonton Metropolitan Region Growth Plan
 - Industrial ASPs within the region



PROGRESS TO DATE internal review

- Review of existing ASP conducted by Steering Committee
 - Engineering Services
 - Current Planning
 - Fire Services
 - Economic Diversification
 - Community Sustainability
- Conducted one-on-one meetings with affected departments



PROGRESS TO DATE preliminary engagement

- Met with municipal and regional partners
 - City of Edmonton
 - City of Spruce Grove
 - Enoch Cree First Nation
 - Alberta Transportation
 - Edmonton Metropolitan Region Board (EMRB)
- Preliminary email notification to external stakeholders
- Project webpage available on County website.



ITEMS OF INTEREST

- 1 New ASP Document Layout
- 2 Infill Development
- 3 Local Plans



ITEMS OF INTEREST New ASP Document Layout

- New ASP document layout has been developed
- Acheson Industrial ASP will be the first ASP in new layout
- Intended to:
 - be more accessible to all audiences
 - Standardize graphics and mapping
 - Use best practices in graphic design



ITEMS OF INTEREST Infill Development

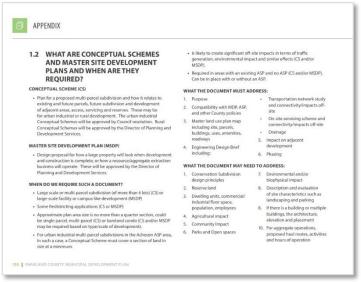
- Review identified greater opportunity for infill development
- Could include:
 - Subdivision of underutilized or larger lots
 - Redevelopment or expansion of existing buildings
- Policy Direction may include:
 - Incentivization
 - Local Plan policies
 - Direct Administration to further study underutilized lands



ITEMS OF INTEREST Local Plans

- Municipal Development Plan requires completion of Conceptual Schemes (CS) and/or Master Site Development Plans (MDSP)
- Local Plan = Reference to CS and MSDP
- ASP will refine existing terms of reference







UPCOMING STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

FOCUSED STAKEHOLDER SESSIONS

- Meet with developers, local resident association, business associations and relevant interest groups
- Engage on emergent topics such as infill development and local plans

OPEN HOUSE SERIES

- Tentative Dates:
 - In-person Open Houses: Sept. 23 and 24, 2020
 - Virtual Open House: Sept. 21-25, 2020
- NOTE: Engagement options will be subject to provincial public health requirements



QUESTIONS?

