



CITY OF VACAVILLE GENERAL PLAN  
STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING #2

City Council Chambers, Vacaville City Hall  
650 Merchant Street, Vacaville  
Monday, September 27

## DOT EXERCISE RESULTS

During Steering Committee Meeting #2, Committee members identified issues that should be addressed as part of the General Plan Update. At the end of the meeting, these issues were posted around the room. Committee members and members of the public identified those issues that they believe are the most important issues to address by affixing dots to their top twelve issues. The results of this dot exercise are provided below.

	Number of Dots
<b>Population, Housing &amp; Economic Development</b>	
Job creation	7
Mixed use	6
Transportation network between housing/jobs/retail	3
Wider spectrum of housing choices	3
Coordinate land use and economic development with County	3
Low income housing	2
Starter housing	2
Downtown	2
Executive housing	2
Identify demographics	1
Prioritize retail centers for redevelopment	1
Vacaville's identity on I-80	1
Senior housing	1
Parking requirements (relax?)	1
Workforce Housing Program	0
Incentives for business location	0
Infrastructure assessment to serve housing	0
Opportunity Hill	0

	Number of Dots
<b>Public Services, Parks &amp; Recreation</b>	
Park repair and maintenance	6
City-wide lighting/landscape maintenance district	5
Lines of communication between City and School Districts	5
Improve curbside recycling (more materials)	5
Expansion of Centennial Park for larger sport events	4
Police/fire staffing	3
Quimby Act Ordinance	3
Waste management	3
Park safety/overnight use	3
Increase parklands	2
Maintain fire/police response times	2
Localized impacts on schools/parks	2
Green schools/parks (reduce chemical use)	2
Additional space for youth recreation programs	2
City/District collaboration on school design (access)	2
Library funding (Measure I & B)	2
Measure I theater funding	2
Park restrooms	2
Food-producing landscape	1
Creeks and SID canals as recreation corridors and habitat	1
"Park-Ettes" / mini-parks	1
More gymnasiums	1
School capacity by neighborhood	1
Parks as visitor attractors	1
Joint use/development (school/city)	0
Community gardens	0
Plan for emergency shelter	0
Youth safety	0
School funding	0
"Neighborhood School Park" designation	0

	Number of Dots
Non-traditional schools (i.e. charters)	0
Using private facilities for school recreation programs	0
Revisit 4.5 ac/1000 people park standard	0
Facility access	0
More creative/diverse park design	0
<b>Cultural, Biological, Agricultural Resources</b>	
Solar and wind as compatible agricultural uses	4
Not all prime land is farmed – if not farmed, how best to use it?	3
Preservation/use of Lagoon Valley	3
Work with schools on historic and cultural issues	3
Preserve greenbelts	3
Work with County to look at alternative uses for agricultural land (e.g. corn maze)	2
Conservation incentives	2
Local control of determining value of habitat	2
Promote agriculture tourism	2
Marketing strategy to promote cultural sites	1
Collaborate on historic preservation	1
Collaborate on habitat conservation	1
Identify additional historic sites	0
Promote history	0
<b>Transportation, Air Quality, Noise</b>	
Parking structures Downtown	4
Complete bike network	4
Aircraft noise – Travis AFB is not noise... ensure Travis viability	3
More roundabouts	3
Improve public transit	3
Shading Ordinance	2
Address traffic deficiencies	2
Jepson Parkway	2
Minimize GHG emissions	1
Code review for noise	1

	Number of Dots
Maintain viability of Nut Tree Airport	1
Enhance pedestrian amenities	1
Promote low emission vehicles	1
Mass transit (BART?)	1
Lighter colored paving	1
Peak generators	0
Comply with GHG regulations	0
Reduce congestion/pollution on I-80	0
Loop Road – close in NW area	0
Conservation incentives	0
<b>Utilities and Infrastructure</b>	
Non-potable water for landscape	3
Joint use of detention basins	3
Consider gas lines	2
Wireless towers/support	2
Industrial infrastructure needs	2
Prison infrastructure needs	2
Stormwater management	2
Supply of water	2
Conservation incentives	2
Residential wind turbines	2
Solar	2
Sewer deficiencies	1
Use of natural waterways	1
Impact of new development on creeks	1
Greywater use	1
Turf replacement program	0
Drought-tolerant landscape	0
Continued flow of Putah Creek	0