



North Highline Subarea Plan and Community Needs List Engagement Pledge

King County and the residents and businesses of the North Highline community will work together to develop a Subarea Plan and Community Needs List between August 2020 and early 2022. The King County Council will then work with the community to review, refine, and adopt the subarea plan and community needs list later that year. Participating areas will include White Center, Top Hat, Glendale, and the South Park “Sliver by the River.”

The subarea plan will...

Establish a 20-year vision for North Highline and policies to support that vision. It will incorporate the results of the public engagement on the North Highline Land Use Subarea Plan from July 2019 to March 2020.

A community needs list is...

A community-identified list of services, programs, and capital improvement projects that support the community’s vision. It will inform King County’s budget decisions for future investments in North Highline.

The community’s voice will be heard

For the Subarea Plan and Community Needs List to reflect the diversity of voices and collective priorities of the community, it’s important for the community and the county to have a two-way conversation and work together. Equity and racial justice are at the heart of this effort, so we want to include the voices of historically underrepresented residents and groups.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and restriction on in-person gatherings, most of this collaboration will take place through virtual meetings, by telephone, through online surveys, and through mailings to residents who cannot access materials electronically. Most of the written materials will be translated into Vietnamese, Spanish, and Somali. Translation into other languages is available on request. Language interpreters will be provided at the larger community meetings or as needed.

A website has been created to help the community collaborate on the vision, policies, and the needs list. This website will be updated throughout the process:

<https://publicinput.com/NorthHighline>

Please let us know if you would like to participate. Please share this information with your neighbors.