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Introductions and introduction to planning	15 minutes
Transition to small groups (Grab your 🔲 🕽)	5 minutes
Activity Part 1: What's it like to live in Arlington?	10 minutes
Levels of planning	5 minutes
Activity Part 2: How should Arlington grow?	15 minutes
Wrap up	10 minutes





The Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) develops policies and coordinates decisions about regional growth, transportation and economic development planning within King, Pierce, Snohomish and Kitsap counties. PSRC is composed of over 80 jurisdictions, including all four counties, cities and towns, ports, state and local transportation agencies and tribal governments within the region.

In Washington State, planning is done a little differently than other places. The Growth Management Act requires that cities, counties, and regional planning agencies coordinate and plan for expected growth. PSRC works with local counties and cities, and other partners, to create a regional plan that describes how the region can grow.



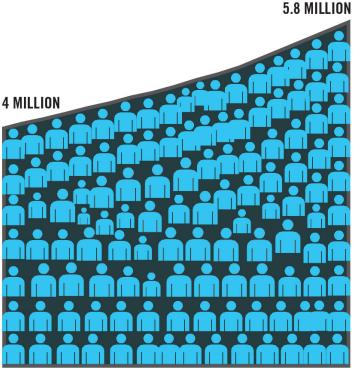
VISION 2050

VISION 2050 is a shared and integrated strategy for how and where the central Puget Sound region should grow. Population in the region has grown to 4.1 million, with more than 376,000 new residents added since 2010. More growth is coming. Forecasts show the region needs to plan for 1.8 million additional people and 1.2 million new jobs by 2050.



3.4 MILLION

1.8 million more people



2017

2.2 MILLION 2050 2050



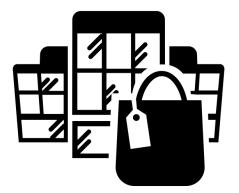


What do you like BEST about living here?

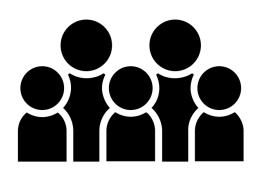


Natural Environment & Outdoor Recreation





Shopping, Restaurants & Entertainment



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The People

Most common response when PSRC asked residents



Planning is about people and making places where people want to live.







Live

Where do people live? In houses or apartments? Close to work or school?

Work

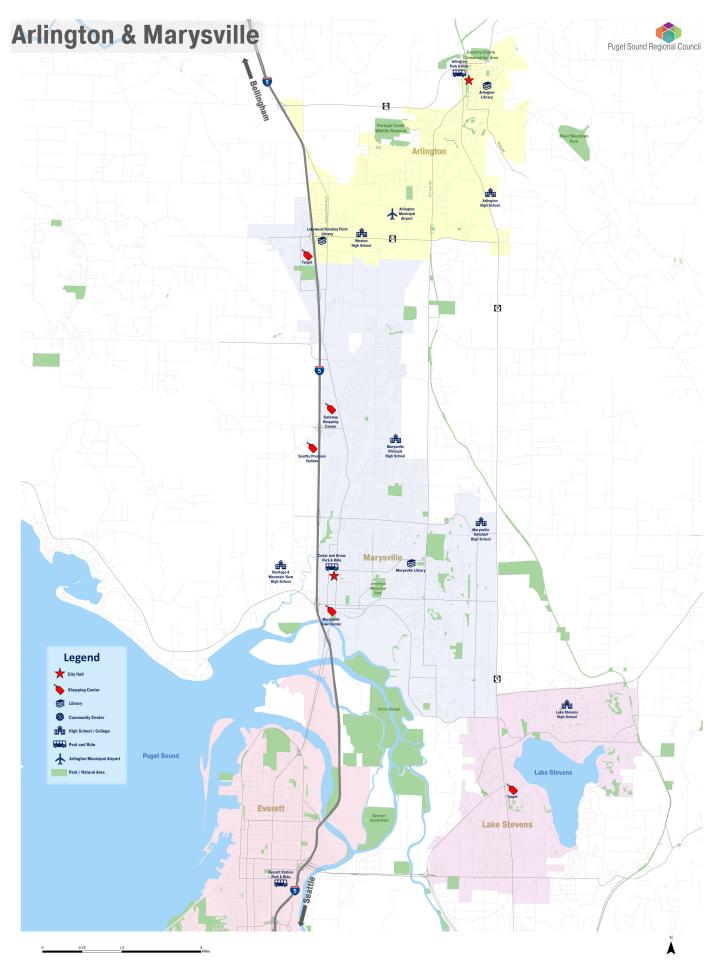
Where do people work? What are their jobs? Where do students go to school?

Play What do people do for fun?



Working in small groups, use the poster-size map, stickers, post-it notes, and markers provided to let us know what you think of your city! Mark things you love, dislike and want to see changed on the map.

•	What do you LOVE about Arlington?
	What do you DISLIKE about Arlington?
	What would you like to see CHANGED?



Levels of Planning



Site

Site planning focuses on the layout of one project or development location. The plan outlines where buildings, trees and open space will be placed, and how the area is accessed by cars, bikes and pedestrians.

Neighborhood

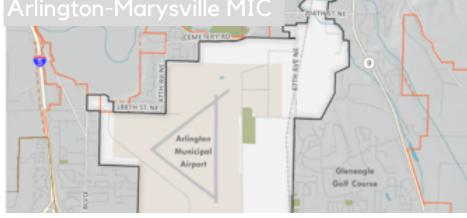
Neighborhood planning focuses on small areas within a city like neighborhoods, corridors, downtowns or station areas. These plans outline a vision for the future of the neighborhood.

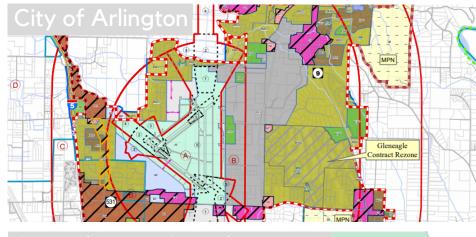
Municipal

Municipal planning focuses on a whole city. It establishes city-wide goals and policies, and determines how housing, office, retail and other uses are spread throughout the city.

Regional

Regional planning focuses on an entire region, spanning multiple cities and counties. It establishes policies and goals that are shared among cities and counties. Regional plans also coordinate large scale projects like regional transit systems.





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By 2050 an additional 1.8 million people and 1.2 million jobs will be added to the region. We want to hear where you think this growth should occur! Place Lego pieces on the map according to where you think new people and housing, jobs, and parks and open space should go.

How should Arlington grow?

Where should development occur?				
What should be changed or added?				
-	People + Housing			
	Jobs (offices, restaurants, shops)			
	Parks + Open Space			

Stay Engaged



VISION 2050 Work Program

2017	2018	2019	2020
Early work	Scoping, research, planning	 SEPA review, draft plan 	Adoption



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