

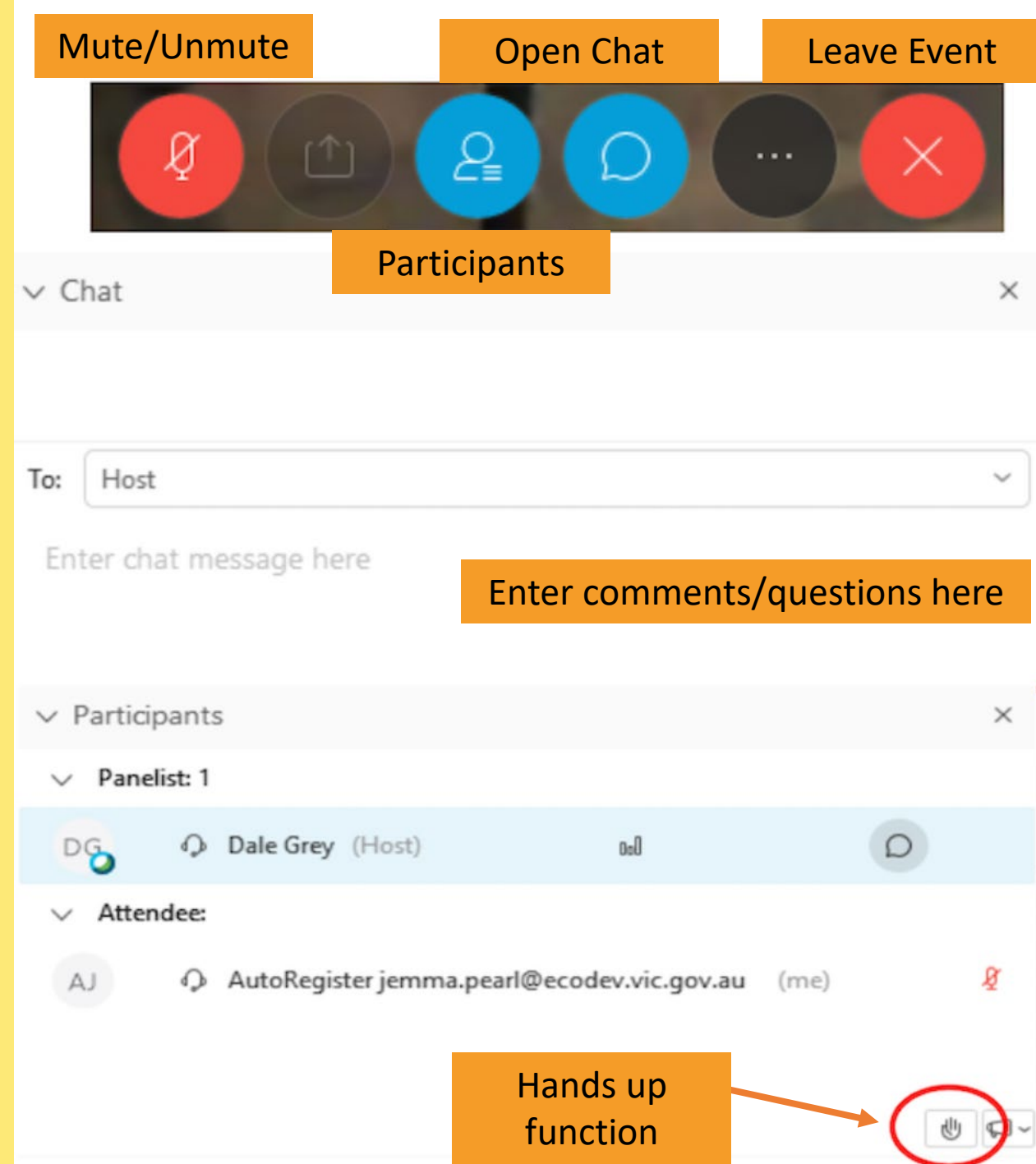
WELCOME TO THE PlanQAC 2021 COMMUNITY FACILITIES WORKSHOP!

We'll begin in just a few minutes!

All participants are muted, so if you want to comment, please use the hands up or chat function.

To find the hands up and chat function, hover your mouse over the bottom of the window. These circles should appear. The chat function is the speech bubble and the person with is the participant function where you'll find the hands up.

The hands up function is under participants. There's a little hand in the bottom right corner. Use this function to be unmuted by the host to comment or ask a question.





PlanQAC 2021

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY 2021 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN



SPECIAL TOPIC WORKSHOP

COMMUNITY FACILITIES

FEBRUARY 10, 2021 1:30-3:00PM



WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS & ICEBREAKERS



POLL #1

Where do you live?

- Barclay (town)
- Centreville (town)
- Chester (community)
- Church Hill (town)
- Grasonville (community)
- Kent Narrows (community)
- Millington (town)
- Queen Anne (town)
- Queenstown (town)
- Stevensville (community)
- Sudlersville (town)
- Templeville (town)
- Queen Anne's County (not in a listed town/community)
- I only work in Queen Anne's County
- I live and work outside Queen Anne's County



POLL #2

How long have you lived (or worked) in QAC?

- Less than 1 year
- 1-5 years
- 6-10 years
- More than 10 years
- I don't live (or work) in Queen Anne's County



Ground Rules

- Start and end on time
 - Stay on topic
 - Focus on issues, not personalities
 - Speak up – everyone contributes
 - Be open to new ideas
 - Workshop will be recorded and posted online (along with chat comments)
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- **All participants are muted to reduce background noise. Raise your hand to be unmuted!**



TODAY'S AGENDA

- Overview of Comprehensive Planning
- Comprehensive Plan Update Process
- Group Discussions
- Next Steps
- Q&A



What is a Comprehensive Plan?

Project Purpose

- Community-guided vision for growth and preservation over the next 20 years
- Showcase of assets and areas for improvements
- Practical roadmap to achieve identified vision and goals
- Coordinates local planning efforts
- Fulfills State of Maryland requirement



What is in a Comprehensive Plan?

Topics to be explored in PlanQAC

Community Vision



Demographics



Community Facilities
& Services



Land Use



Environmental
Resources



Transportation



Historic & Cultural
Resources



Economic
Development



Housing



Town Planning



Community Plans



How are Elements Addressed/Updated?



Update Existing Plan &
Conditions

Incorporate New Vision,
Goals & Objectives

Create New Implementation
Strategies



Why Update the Comprehensive Plan?

Project Purpose

- Things in the natural and built environment change
- Local priorities and vision changes with time
- Strategies to achieve identified vision and goals have to be adjusted
- Required by the State of Maryland



Project Scope

What is the process of updating a comprehensive plan?





How are you involved?

Community Engagement + Input = Success



Community
Survey



Visioning
Workshops



Special Topic
Workshops



Questions of
the Week



Public
Comment





COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISCUSSIONS



Community Facilities & Services

What's included?

- Vision
- Guiding Principles
- Best Practices, Tools & Techniques
- Goals, Strategies & Actions
- Governance & Administration
- Public Safety
- Utilities
- Education
- Libraries
- Open Space & Recreation



POLL #3

Thinking about community facilities & services:

I really wish that QAC had _____.

If QAC had _____,
I wouldn't want to live anywhere else.



Discussion #1

Community Facilities & Services Assets & Needs

What are QAC's greatest community facilities and services assets?

What are QAC's greatest community facilities and services needs?



Discussion #2

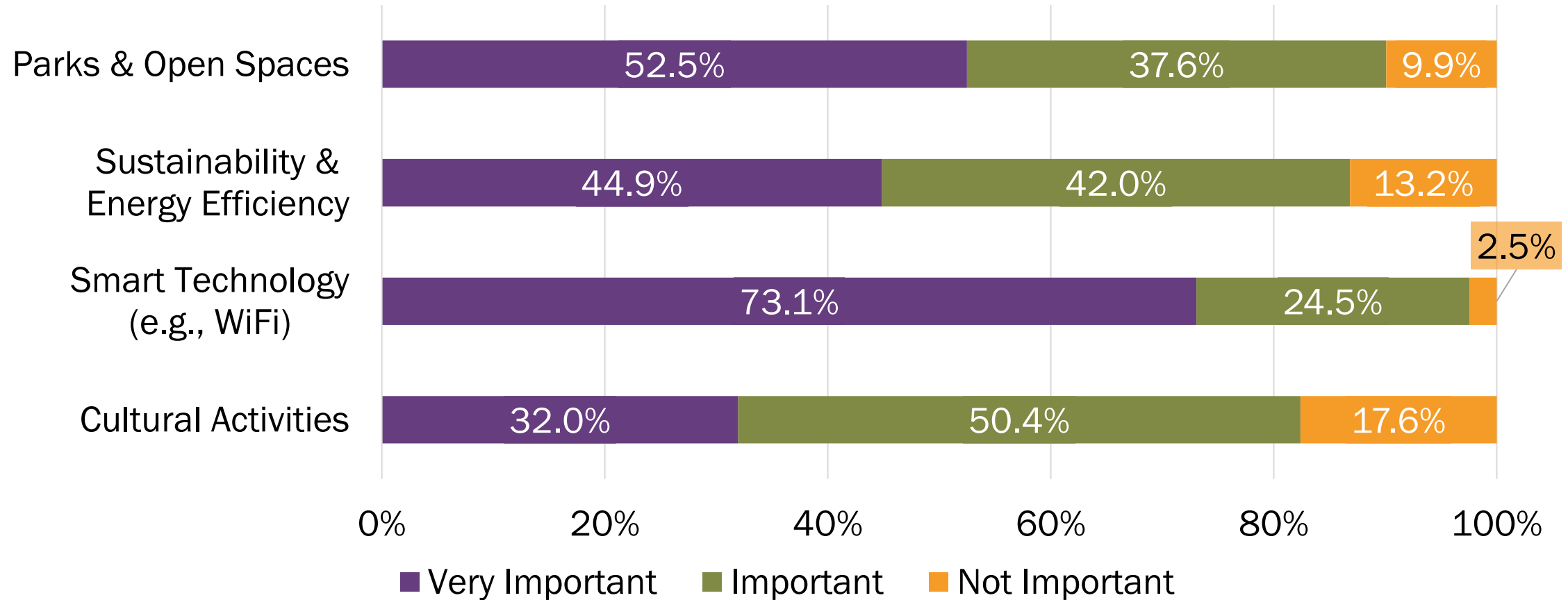
Community Facilities & Services Vision

The vision for community facilities is to plan, maintain, and enhance community infrastructure that enables the County to maintain present functions (e.g., quality of life, mobility, public safety, employment, environment, services), while accommodating future growth. New growth areas are planned, as needed, to accommodate future growth requirements supported by adequate public facilities designed and improved to the highest standards.



What We've Heard

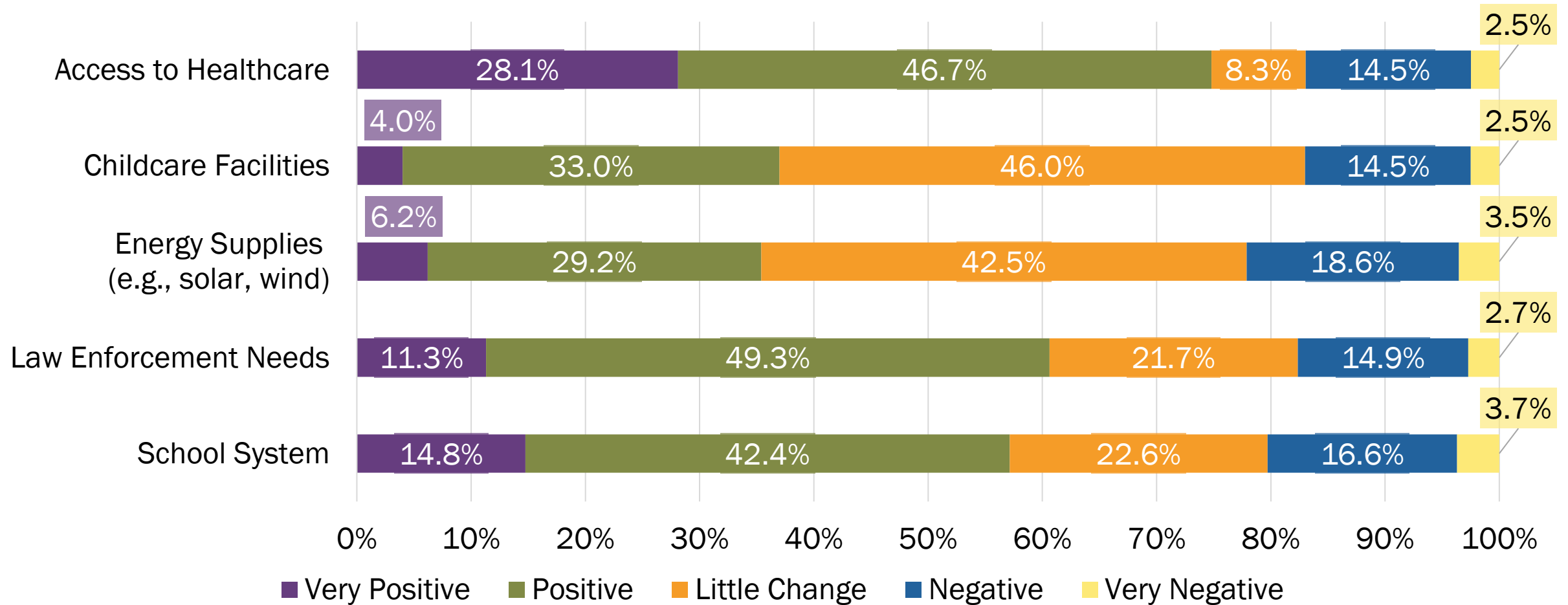
Importance of Public Services to Future Development





What We've Heard

Local Impacts of Development





PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITIES & SERVICES

Components

- Law Enforcement
- Volunteer Fire Departments
- Emergency Medical Services
- Emergency Management
- Communications
- Animal Control
- Detention Center

Discussion

What goals should be accomplished within the next 10 years?

What projects or actions should take place?



EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES & SERVICES

Components

- Public Schools
- Private & Parochial Schools
- Higher Education
- Libraries

Discussion

What goals should be accomplished within the next 10 years?

What projects or actions should take place?



OPEN SPACE/RECREATION FACILITIES & SERVICES

Components

- Parks
- Open Spaces
- Trails
- Public Landings & Marinas
- Recreation Programs

Discussion

What goals should be accomplished within the next 10 years?

What projects or actions should take place?



NEXT STEPS



Next Steps

- Check out PlanQAC website
- Sign up for project updates
- Respond to Questions of the Week
- Attend future workshops and meetings
- Provide comments on document drafts through the website
- Tell your friends and family!
- **Continue to send us comments or questions!**

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SCHEDULE

■	Jan 14	PC #2	8:45-Unk. AM	Introduction, County Profile, Plan Reorganization
■	Jan 27	VIS #1	5:30-7:00 PM	Countywide & North County
■	Jan 28	VIS #2	5:30-7:00 PM	Countywide & Chester/Stevensville
■	Feb 03	VIS #3	5:30-7:00 PM	Countywide & Grasonville
■	Feb 04	VIS #4	5:30-7:00 PM	Countywide & Kent Narrows
■	Feb 10	ST #1	1:30-3:00 PM	Community Facilities (incl. Open Space & Recreation)
■	Feb 11	PC #3	8:45-Unk. AM	Community Facilities (incl. Open Space & Recreation)
■	Feb 11	VIS #5	5:30-7:00 PM	Countywide & North County
■	Feb 24	ST #2	9:00-10:30 AM	Environment, Transportation
■	Mar 04	ST #3	1:30-3:00 PM	Historic & Cultural Resources
■	Mar 11	PC #4	8:45-Unk. AM	Environment (incl. Water Resources), Transportation
■	Mar 17	ST #4	1:30-3:00 PM	Housing
■	Apr 01	ST #5	1:30-3:00 PM	Economic Development & Tourism, Town Planning
■	Apr 08	PC #5	8:45-Unk. AM	Housing, Historic & Cultural Resources
■	Apr 29	ST #6	9:00-10:30 AM	KNDF/Kent Narrows Community Plan
■	May 05	ST #7	1:30-3:00 PM	Community Plans
■	May 13	PC #6	8:45-Unk. AM	Economic Development & Tourism
■	Jun 03	ST #8	1:30-3:00 PM	Land Use (incl. Priority Preservation)
■	Jun 10	PC #7	8:45-Unk. AM	Town Planning, Community Plans
■	Jul 08	PC #8	8:45-Unk. AM	Land Use (incl. Priority Preservation), Implementation
■	Jul 27	PC #9/BCC #2	Tentative/TBD	Draft Presentation
■	Oct 14	PC #10	Tentative/TBD	Public Hearing
■	Oct 26	BCC #3	Tentative/TBD	Public Hearing (or additional review, if needed)
■	Nov 09	PC #11/BCC #4	Tentative/TBD	Additional Meeting, if needed
■	Nov 23	PC #12/BCC #5	Tentative/TBD	Additional Meeting, if needed

■	Planning Commission Workshops	Open to public. Part of regular meeting.
■	Visioning Workshops	All workshops open to public. Being held virtually.
■	Special Topic Workshops	All workshops open to public. Being held virtually.
■	County Commissioners Meetings	Open to public. Specifics TBD.


Technical Committee (working sessions with County Staff) are also being held.


Schedule updated February 8, 2021

Dates may change at the direction of QAC Staff or Planning Commission.





Biweekly schedule updates will be issued noting any changes to the schedule.

https://www.qacplan2021.com

 Latest Plan QAC Events Scheduled

 **QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY**
Comprehensive Plan Update - Plan QAC 2021

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 Upcoming Meetings  Join Mailing List  Question of the Week  Draft Documents

Upcoming Events!

Virtual Special Topic Workshops:
February 10 at 1:30 pm

Virtual Visioning Workshops:
February 11

Planning Commission Workshop:
Status update and review of Community Facilities draft chapter.
February 11th at 8:45 am

[MORE INFO](#)



Q&A



THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING!



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