

Employment Lands & Economy Review

External Advisory Group Meeting #3 October 17, 2019







Agenda



9am	Welcome!
9:10-9:20am	Presentation: "Project Update & Purpose of Today" Matthew Bourke, Senior Planner, City of Vancouver
9:20-10:05am	Presentation: "Forecast Demand for Space & Gap Analysis" <i>Russell Mathew, Partner, Hemson Consulting</i>
10:05-10:20am	Break
10:20-11am	Exercise #1: Gap Analysis + Types of Job Space
11-11:55am	Exercise #2: Gap Analysis + Key Job Areas
11:55am	Closing & Next Steps

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Purpose

• A land use policy plan to ensure an appropriate supply of land to support the future growth of our economy

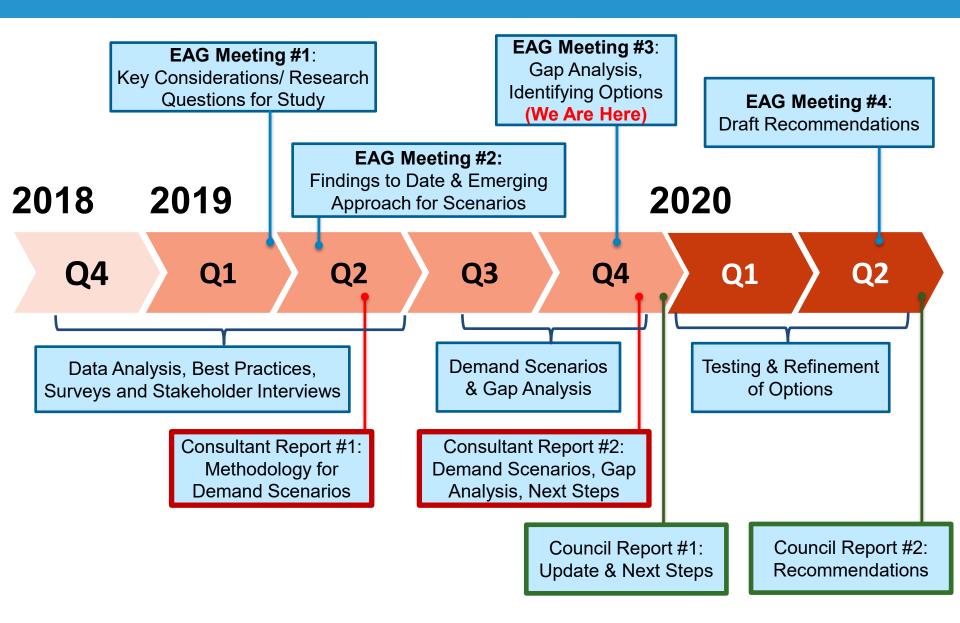
Involves

- Providing a city-wide overview 'snapshot' of Vancouver's economy and employment lands
- Reviewing existing policies, plans and initiatives – looking at capacity, forecasts and fit
- Establishing policy directions and actions for the future consistent with City goals





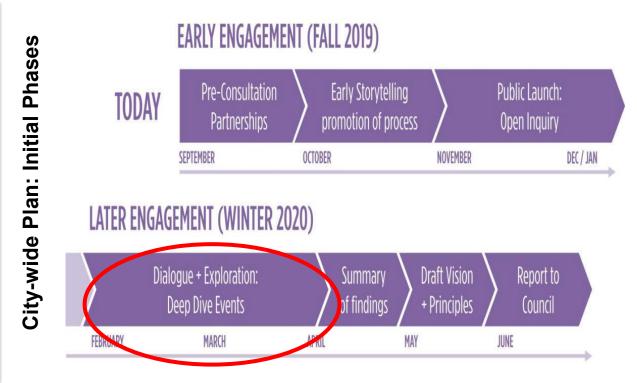




Integration with Citywide Plan



ELER Phase 1: Foundational information to help shape the trade-offs that the city is facing





What are We Hearing



Over 6500 Engagement Contacts So Far





1. Present and Discuss Supply and Demand Scenarios and Gap Analysis

2. Initiate Discussion of Key Sub-Areas and Future Roles





Exercise #1:

Gap Analysis + Types of Job Space

- Discuss at your table
 - \rightarrow Do the demand scenarios seem reasonable?
 - \rightarrow Does the supply model seem reasonable?
 - → What are the potential implications for each type of job space? What can the City do?





Exercise #2:

Gap Analysis + Key Job Areas

- Review the presentation boards & post comments
 - → Provide feedback on the desired role of the areas, considering opportunities & challenges
 - → Provide feedback for the area overall and for the floor space types





On-Going Opportunities for Input:

- Follow-Up Email(s) with Summary and Feedback Questionnaire
- Staff Available for Meetings and Presentations to Discuss Policy Ideas

