

# Information Item

Land Use Advisory Committee



**Meeting Date:** November 21, 2024

## Topic

Imagine 2050 Outcomes Measurement – Land Use Policy

<b>District(s), Member(s):</b>	All
<b>Policy/Legal Reference:</b>	Bylaws of the Metropolitan Council Land Use Advisory Committee, Art. I. B.1(a).
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## Proposed Action

At its meeting on November 21, 2024, the Land Use Advisory Committee (LUAC) will discuss an overview of proposed measures related to the Land Use Policy Chapter of Imagine 2050. No action is needed. This is for informational purposes only.

## Background

The Metropolitan Council has continued its commitment to accountability by identifying it as one of four values in the next regional development guide, Imagine 2050 (accountability was also one of three principles in Thrive MSP 2040). An essential and explicit component of accountability is developing and regularly sharing measures and indicators that describe Met Council's work to advance policy objectives, including the eight objectives in the Land Use Policy chapter.

## 2050 Outcomes Measurement for Land Use Policy Summary

Community Development research staff initiated an outcomes measurement development process with Imagine 2050 policy writers and other technical staff following the release of 60% draft versions in July 2024. So far, we have

- synthesized ideas that speak to the desired outcomes at the objective level from Met Council staff, 2050 engagement efforts, and public comments
- completed an inventory of existing data sources and potential data development projects
- held cross-divisional workshops to explore further integration opportunities for measures and indicators

This information was summarized in proposals for each policy area in October 2024; further engagement and refinement is needed to develop a set of measures to be adopted in an Imagine 2050 amendment in 2025.

This presentation will introduce the 2050 outcomes measurement program overall and present a subset of the proposed measures for land use policy for discussion.