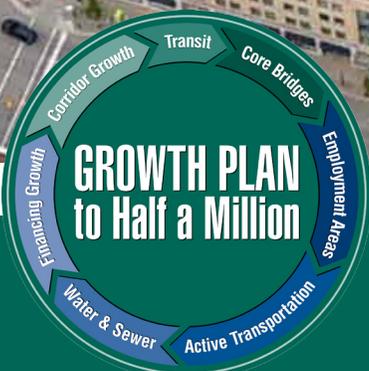


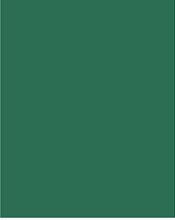
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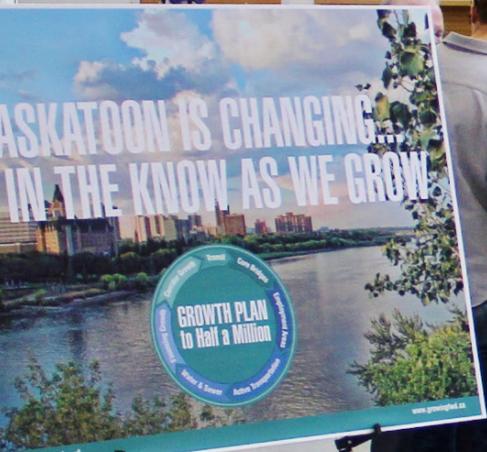
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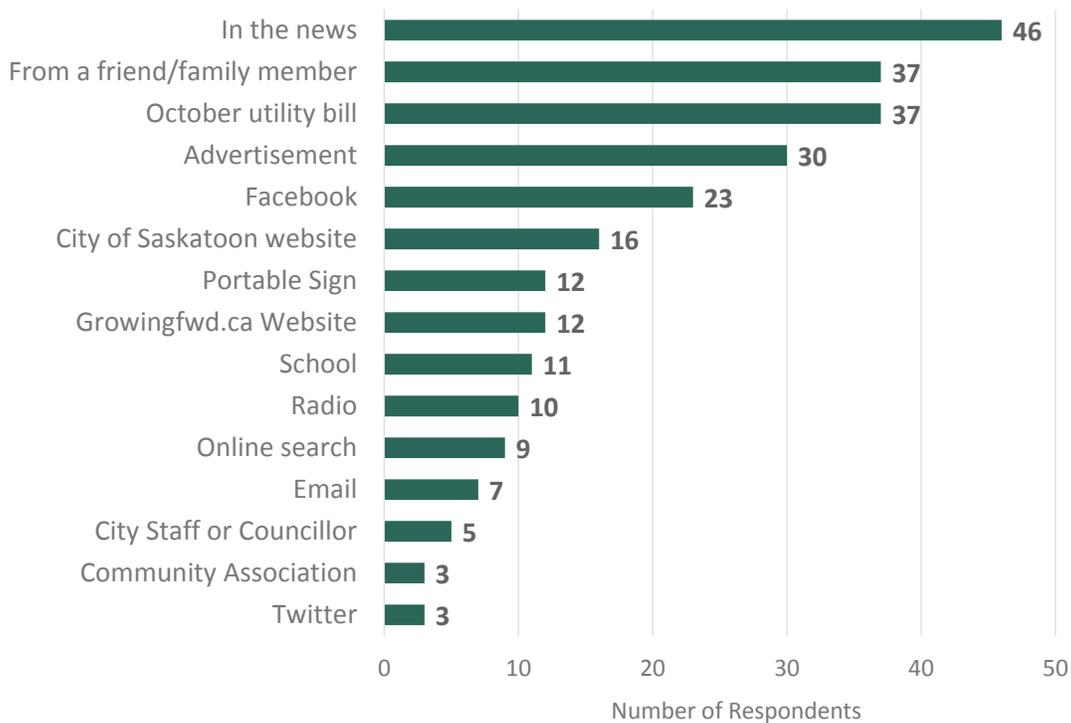


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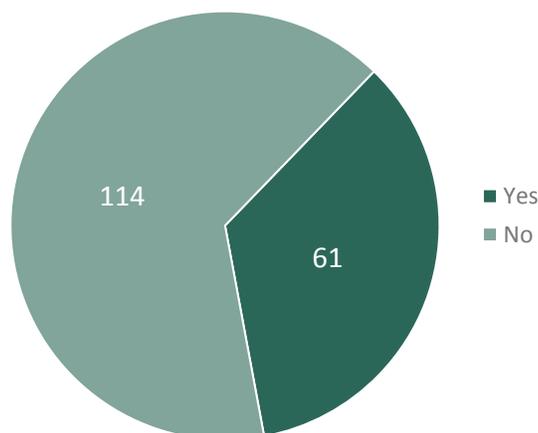
During the come-and-go public events held during the closing round of public engagement for the *Growth Plan*, participants were encouraged to complete exit surveys so the City could better understand how attendees felt about the event, and gather feedback as to how the engagement process could be improved.

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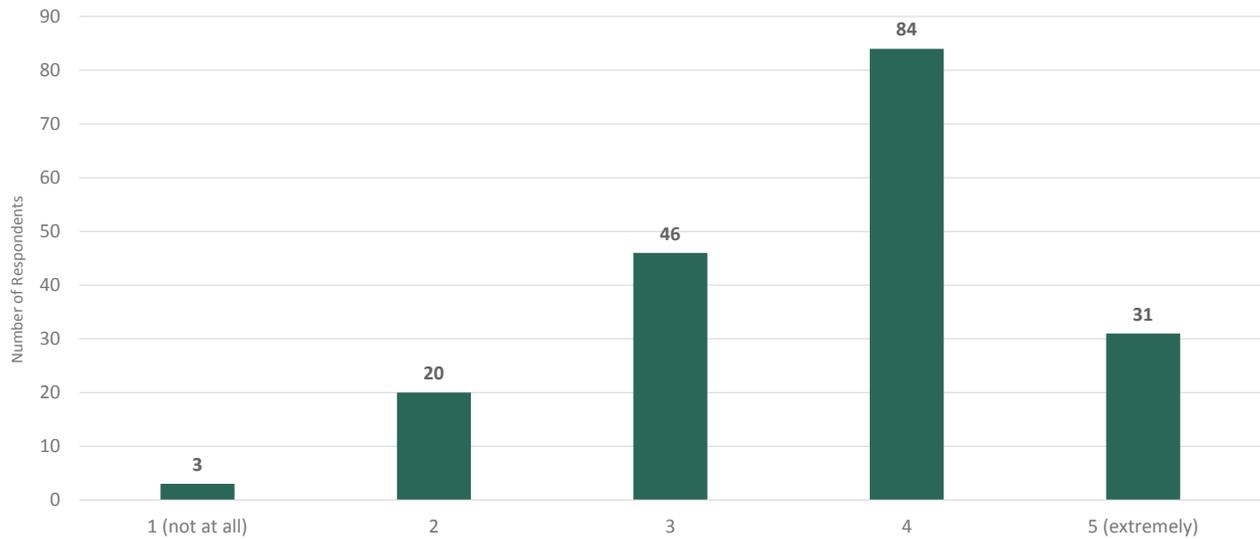
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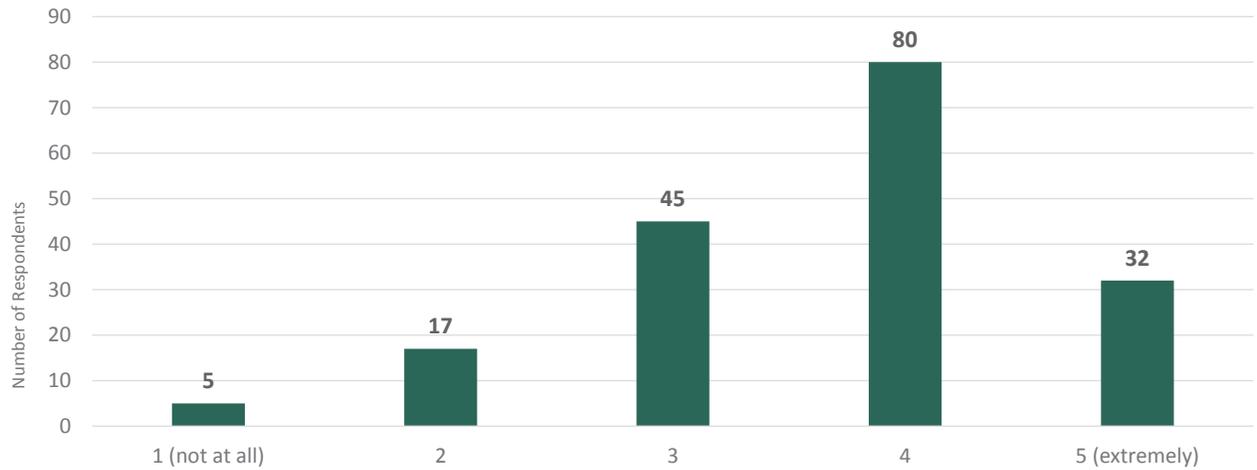
HAVE YOU ATTENDED ANY OTHER GROWTH PLAN EVENTS?



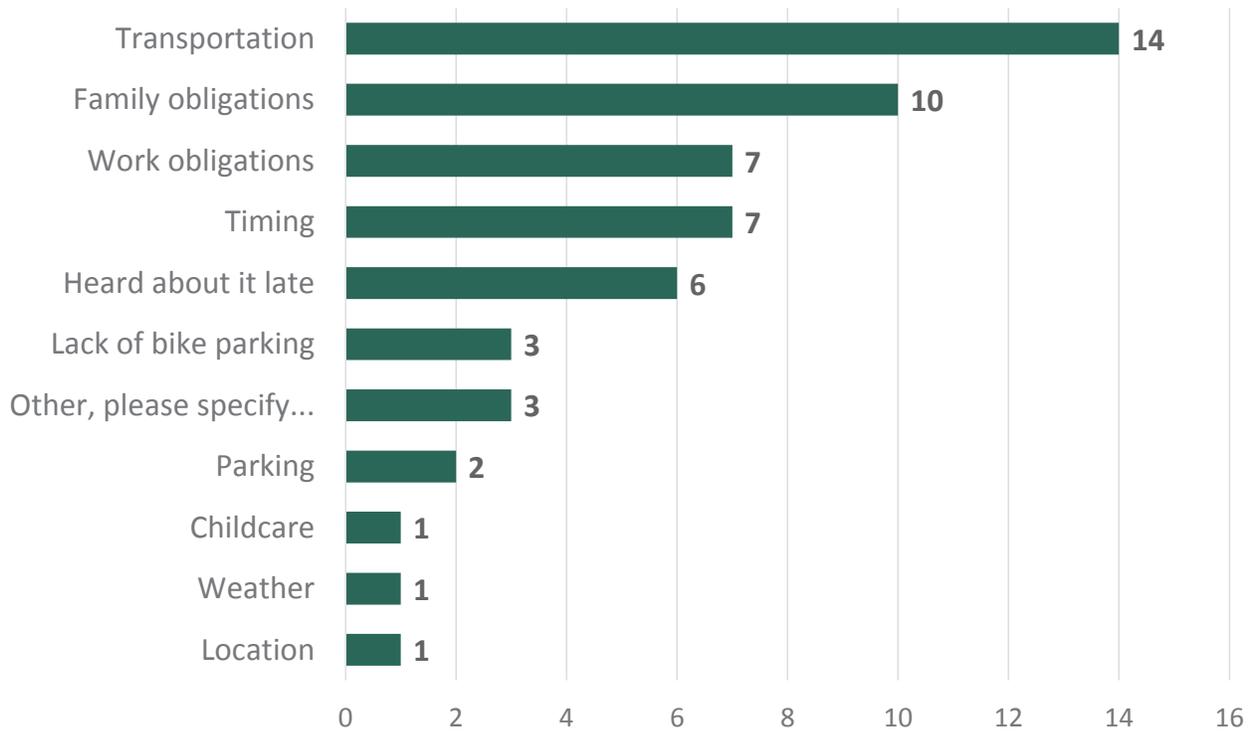
DID YOU FIND THE INFORMATION USEFUL?



DID YOU FEEL YOU WERE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE IDEAS AND/OR EXPRESS ANY CONCERNS?



DID YOU FACE ANY CHALLENGES IN ATTENDING TODAY'S EVENT?



WHAT DID YOU ENJOY ABOUT THE EVENT?

- » Good opportunity to understand future plans and initiatives and impact on our lives.
- » Very interactive, humanizing. Person to person conversations
- » Well laid out info and opportunity to talk to various “experts” in each area.
- » Helpful staff
- » Information
- » Opportunity to hear from City Staff, especially Lesley Anderson and John Steiner (Urban rep). John was very clear about the stages and process allowing me to have a better understanding of the “proposed plan” for a 33rd Street Bridge.
- » The information for the future.
- » Well marketed and clearly laid out event. I liked the come-and-go aspect versus a structured meeting/agenda.
- » Informal - Lots of information on future planning. At my age I may not see much of it.
- » That it was informal but there were lots of staff available to answer questions. I also appreciate the handouts.
- » Visual board presentation. Being able to converse with city transit and urban planning reps.
- » Looks to be well set up.
- » The walk to the event by our 2 lane road!
- » Good presentation.

- » Get to hear the opinion of other people on the general public. Get to meet occasional consultant.
- » Open discussion
- » New ideas
- » Yes, very much.
- » Short
- » Display cards - full of critical information. Maps - clear and informative. Individuals with knowledge were helpful if questions were asked.
- » Being able to share my concerns.
- » The cookies were good.
- » Information was displayed well and easy to read.
- » Being able to vent about a few issues.
- » Chance to discuss work with City managers
- » It's public
- » Not pushy
- » Very simple and concise
- » No one from the City wanted to address the questions honestly and fairly.
- » Informative
- » Informative
- » Talking to Alan Wallace
- » I enjoyed lots of pictures and information about the Growth Plan
- » I learned a lot and am happy to know about the future plan, especially for corridors and transit.
- » Close to where I live. It worked with me having my little guy.
- » The displays were labelled well. The questions I had was addressed on one of the display boards - Thank you. Great job on displaying the vision.
- » Very informative. John Steiner and Jonathan D explained the plan well and answered all our questions.
- » We appreciated John Steiner and Jonathon Derworiz's honesty. All workers were very friendly. It is very stressful and worrisome. It affects our house, neighbourhood and school.
- » High turnout
- » John Steiner and Jonathan Derworiz provided lots of useful honest information.
- » Information and online resources
- » The event was organized very well.
- » I saw many people are interested in this plan and it's nice to know there is a big plan to expand many areas in the city.
- » The amazing information that I got
- » I enjoy being in this event with a lot of people who really like the best for our city.
- » Really interesting - the information was clear
- » Charts (esp) % of people who considered walking or cycling as an alternative to driving. It was very nice for my students (ESL) to be welcomed. Also - to see the people in the video in person.
- » I enjoyed reading the information about the project

- » Projected employment growth.
- » Transportation
- » Everything is good.
- » Displays were well set up. Allen Wallace was approachable and took time to talk about concerns.
- » Let the public know the information for expansion and the results of feedback.
- » Staff were willing to discuss issues at length.
- » Talking to some of the people. I have lived in North Park for 62 years.
- » Information/insights offered by Leslie and John - Helped to clarify concerns.
- » Lots of staff on hand to ask questions - friendly information.
- » Discussion with some of the rep's.
- » Talking to other people that shared my feelings about no bridge at 33 Street.
- » Nicely organized.
- » Informative, easy to navigate, people were helpful.
- » That it occurred. That it was in my neighbourhood.
- » The city officials and employees.
- » Receiving information about the future direction of our city's growth.
- » Chance to ask questions and express opinions. Staff was well informed and friendly. Excellent poster boards.
- » To availability of staff to discuss and the documents provided.
- » Discussing the "why" of some of the decisions.
- » Nice graphics. Lots of city employees for questions. The cookies.
- » Lots of information
- » Several people from the city to discuss and exchange ideas.
- » It was well laid out.
- » I don't enjoy these events. I appreciate the layout and location.
- » It was good to talk to Transit people. I have concerns about water and sewer but because I was late, I missed someone that was more familiar on the topic than other city staff.
- » Interaction
- » To see future development plans, good or not.
- » Lots of admin staff to represent the plan. Saw some neighbours too.
- » I met up with some people I hadn't seen in a long time.
- » Easy to read.
- » Nice to see what's planned.
- » Opportunity to ask questions and speak directly to the project manager.
- » Posters were good.
- » Good poster boards.
- » Information displays.
- » Drinks and information.
- » Seeing some of the thought that have gone into the idea of a 33rd Street bridge. I see holes in the thought process though.

- » Good visual presentation.
- » Information about the plan so far.
- » Posters were easy to understand and helpful. Pictures helped the whole picture come together.
- » Good graphics and support staff were very knowledgeable.
- » The information
- » Friendly atmosphere. Councillors and staff present and will to help. Graphics.
- » The hosts were informative.
- » Advanced information.
- » Hosts speaking near the displays.
- » Getting information.
- » Getting the info
- » Well laid out. Information about the city - workers available to answer questions.
- » I am happy with the way you did present this program. It makes people feel good. When they are asked for their ideas.
- » First I have heard about the project.
- » Information boards.
- » Lots of information presented, opportunities to provide feedback.
- » Clarity of materials.
- » Access to employees.
- » Ability to go through the information independently and at my own pace.
- » Good location - malls would be good too. The display boards and the material to take home. The staff who asked us what we were thinking and the snacks/coffee.
- » It's through, you're accepting input - 33rd bridge is not a done deal.
- » Staff to discuss and explain to personally.
- » So many people are interested!
- » Open access.
- » Good to see how plan has developed.
- » Great ideas and easy to understand, People working answered my questions. I loved everything.
- » Good visual presentation.
- » It was interesting.
- » Ability to make more money.
- » Opportunity to talk to consultants and staff.
- » Good resource people available.
- » The opportunity to speak with the planning consultants.
- » Good visual presentations of outcomes of consultations.
- » Information boards present the plan components in a straightforward way; step by step, topically, colour coded. Particularly enjoyed engaging with staff to expand the information and share interests. Appreciate too that this has been a really large scale coordinated endeavor.
- » Access to public officials.
- » Open, convenient.



- » Venue easy to get tom good space.
- » That city employees were very enthusiastic to share the information and answer questions.
- » If a guy could see if the city actually used our ideas.
- » Key individuals to discuss the process.
- » Frank discussions from well informed and well prepared hosts/hostesses. Very few time constraints.
- » Seeing the future.
- » Friendly, city staff
- » Venting
- » Ability to roll through display boards at my own pace. Staff on hand to answer questions.
- » Freedom to come and go.
- » Well presented, very helpful reception upon entering exhibit.
- » Lots of room, well laid out.
- » Meeting Angela - My son's former coworker.
- » Getting more information.
- » A chance to learn about the city.
- » Finding out there is a long-term plan for public transit.
- » A very engaged staff.
- » Simple format, easy to talk to those running the event, come-and-go is an excellent format for this type of event.
- » Easy to get to - easy to walk around.
- » Lots of boards with information and lots of people to answer questions.
- » It helped give me ideas for what is happening.
- » Good, easy to read boards. Staff available for questions. Coffee and cookies hit the spot.
- » Open concept (in contrast to a presentation) - much more individualized.
- » Seeing all the people come out and have discussions about planning in Saskatoon.
- » Cookies and tea. Come-and-go. People available to answer questions.
- » Come-and-go. People available for questions. Posters were informative.
- » Easy to talk to folks - engaging. Cookies and coffee!
- » Always appreciate an opportunity to receive information and provide some feedback as a taxpayer and resident.
- » Good displays and knowledgeable people to answer questions.
- » Yes - it is almost too much information.
- » Enjoyed all of it.
- » Access to staff for questions. Good display information
- » Yes - very interesting and informative.
- » The ability to actually see what will be happening along with the timelines. Lots of informed people to ask questions.
- » Seeing what is planned.
- » Availability of city staff/consultants to ask and answer questions.

IS THERE ANYTHING WE COULD HAVE DONE TO ENHANCE YOUR EXPERIENCE?

- » While the individuals were well versed in their areas, it would have been beneficial to talk to someone aware of the whole picture.
- » Thank you
- » More personnel
- » I don't think so.
- » No
- » A place where I could sign-up to ensure I am included in future growth discussions.
- » Clearer language
- » No
- » Plan a better city and drop old thinking and city-centric thinking! Will fill in online ideas.
- » replace "will" with "would" - Makes me feel like there is no room for input. It's done.
- » Not sure
- » No - it was very informative.
- » Seems all was good as is - thanks
- » Would have preferred a speaker and Q&A. I use O2 - Nothing about ACCESS transit
- » Better identify employees who can answer questions - didn't know who was public and who were employees.
- » Don't treat peoples opinions like they don't matter
- » Good arrangement
- » Pointed out the goodies when I entered
- » More advertising/communication to the residents of the area.
- » No, I got all the information from the workbook provided.
- » There were many people so if the hall would have been bigger that would be fine. Everything else was good.
- » A bigger place
- » It would be nice if you use a bigger venue
- » Larger venue
- » I like the charts.
- » No idea.
- » Would like more information available on possible effects/results of proposed 33 Street river crossing. How would it affect 33 Street West and Mayfair/Caswell business area?
- » Make it more friendly for low income - hold it at White Buffalo.
- » Good the way it was.
- » More details about the plan. Victoria Bridge crossing and North Bridge were not identified.
- » Put North Park and City Park on the map, after all we are the people who will have in our part of the city. We are two blocks.
- » Efforts to help reduce peoples anxiety, perceptions and fears.
- » Well done. Keep up these type of information sessions throughout the entire process right from today over the next 25-40 years.



- » More community meetings.
- » Would have appreciated an “addendum” to the city-wide picture (i.e. what does this mean in your neighbourhood/in the core?).
- » Make sure there is a bike rack at the venue.
- » More cookies!
- » Make sure all posters have information needed to understand - for example, long-term.
- » Expressed ideas but not listened to in the big scheme of things. Survey of 801 residents of a city of 250,000 tells you that 80% of us like your Growth Plan gives me no confidence in the city’s statistical information. Perhaps let those who attend this event become contributors to this “representation” sample of the city’s population.
- » More people to talk to.
- » More city representation - I only saw two and they were already answering questions. The only ones that seemed interested in what I had to say was CBC News.
- » Better coffee
- » Yes, build the north bridge tomorrow. Most employment is in the north-end.
- » Seems like a done deal. The input opportunities were limited... staff “selling” the plan...
- » Not having people standing by the boards talking about hockey instead of helping.
- » No
- » Nice posters - was surprised by the focus on transit.
- » More cookies and a sketch of what the bridge might look like. Maybe a board showing different opinions about the bridge.
- » I thought it was great!
- » It was very good. Staff was very engaged.
- » No.
- » It is a time that you are able to let others know what you feel needs to be done. It should not be left up just to a group of people to do.
- » Have people check-in and ask.
- » I would like to see what big cities in the USA have done to handle growth in the past when they were our size.
- » I think people should know that it's not just about growth but there is an additional 33rd Street in Pristine residential property bridge planned.
- » Way more information on the 33rd Street bridge.
- » I don't think so.
- » No.
- » Found colours in the pie charts hard to match to the legends.
- » You need to put protected lanes for active transportation in your plan. It is not.
- » No you did enough.
- » Have the Mayor and all Councillors present.
- » Too many people for in-depth conversation with anyone - some way to control the flow of people?
- » Assign a knowledgeable person to each section to explain that section - good guides were too few and too far between.

- » Good - positive experience!
- » More cookies - less cookie monsters.
- » Perhaps brief ppt running to get atmosphere for event/initiative.
- » It was a lot of information to process all at once.
- » Do an oral presentation to present this Growth Plan.
- » Question: what happened to the previous 30-50 year plans?
- » None
- » Oral presentation by city employees
- » Good job.
- » No
- » Short presentation to highlight key plans.
- » Given more notice and in more varied ways.
- » All okay.
- » Run it for more days - very crowded. Don't use green background for barriers to be read.
- » More cookies!! More information on how this expansion will impact current residents.
- » Use more defined colours on charts.
- » Perhaps the use of audio visual presentation.
- » City employee walked away from me when I asked a question. Appeared she had someone more important she wanted to speak with. Provide information beyond which is already on the Growing Forward website.
- » I do not understand why there is such a promotion to convert to a walking society in this geographic region. I also do not understand why there is such a strong emphasis on the British model of urban planning as opposed to the American model.
- » Better advertised.
- » More complex venue that offers more variation - video (short) presentations and comparative models.
- » More opportunity for questions.
- » This is not going to happen in my lifetime.
- » Have some plans that actually address other models of transportation - cycling, rapid transit are not going to solve the issues. People will say what they think is the right thing to say not what they will do.

APPENDIX B PROMOTION OF ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES



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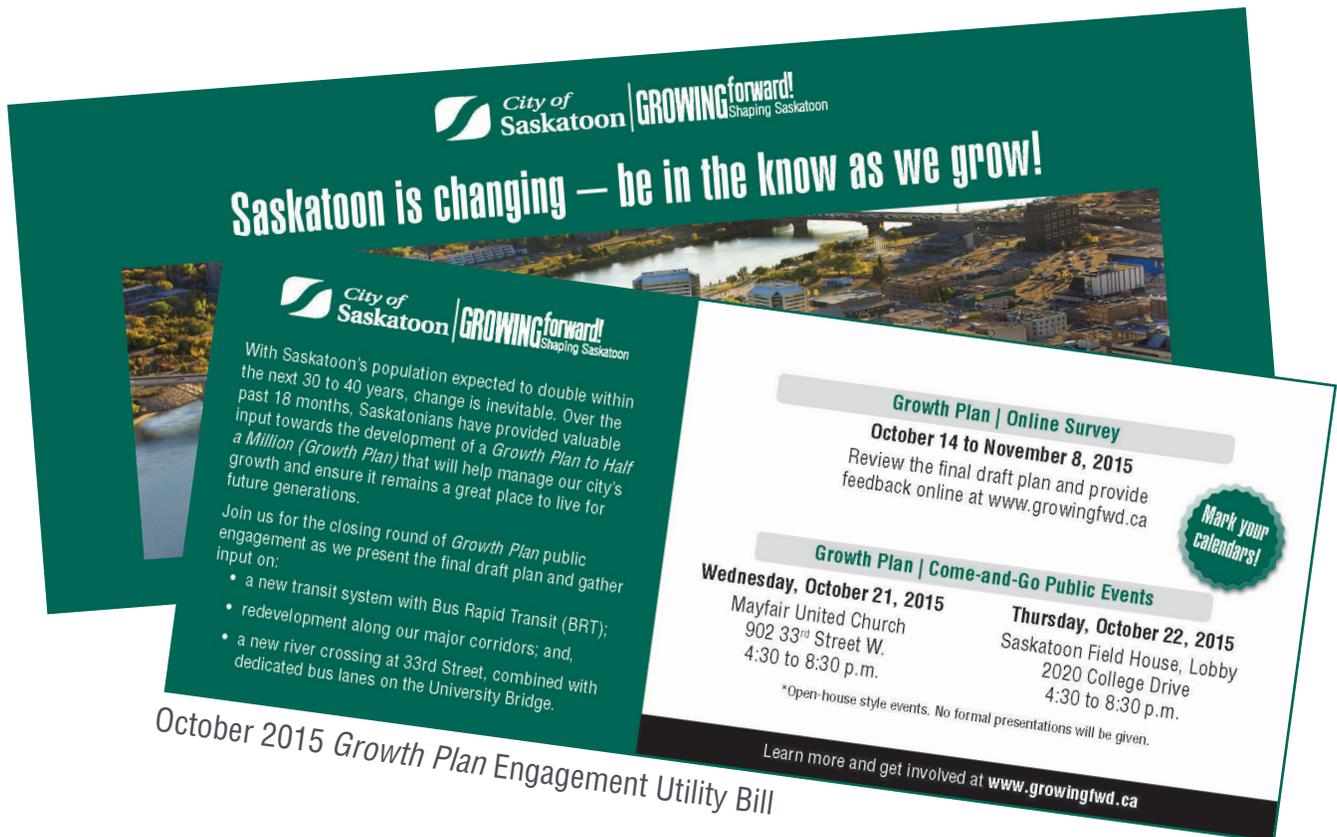
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October 2015 *Growth Plan* Engagement Print Ad



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October 2015 Growth Plan Engagement Poster

APPENDIX C ONLINE ENGAGEMENT



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to accommodate 80%
concentrated in the
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University
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within the area

use the people-
bus-only lanes
accommodate
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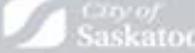


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Brian Wesley Ha you have complete morons running the day to day operations fix that first

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Kevin Harder Of course you think you could do better.

Like · Reply · Message · 20 October at 17:44



Brian Wesley Yes

Like · Reply · Message · 20 October at 17:49



Kevin Harder Naive to think so. But it is always easier to criticise than to do.

Like · Reply · Message · 20 October at 17:51



Travis Wilson Jeez Brian. Why did you have to offend old Dons hotel "friend". How dare you call his sugar daddy a moron

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · 20 October at 18:01



Brian Wesley That's what you think kev

Like · Reply · Message · 20 October at 21:18



Brian Wesley Travis I wasn't talking about the mayor I'm talking superintendent level

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Write a reply...





Myrna Doerksen Tax hike!!!

Like · Reply · Message · 1 · 15 October at 08:24



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Howard Fertuck This must be for the south end of the city. I think thats the only part they spend my tax dollars in

Like · Reply · Message · 16 October at 14:32



Ian Striemer I'm thinking it has to be at least two more bridges, a chunnel and a teleporter across the river through downtown to replace the Victoria...errr 19th Street...errr Traffic "pier" You know. That HISTORIC, ICONIC, LANDMARK that used to be a bridge but now juts out to nowhere. The one that was SO important to the cultural fabric of this city that it wasn't maintained for 35 or 40 years. Yeah, that one.

Like · Reply · Message · 2 · 18 October at 00:32 · Edited



Gerri Vandenheuvel And some more money for the art museum..... never enough

Like · Reply · Message · 20 October at 18:55



Write a reply...



Damian Kent Your tax dollars are greatly appreciated here in the south. It's lovely here

Like · Reply · Message · 1 · 18 October at 09:59 · Edited



Randy Olafson As long as my taxes don't go up. Plan for a million

Like · Reply · Message · 19 October at 19:09



James M Ballendine Love this place can't wait to get back to see someone special and you no who you r

Like · Reply · Message · 22 October at 07:43



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Written by Cy Rgrauer [?] · 22 October at 10:55 · 🌐

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Jim Buchanan who can afford to live here with property taxes doubling in the last Ten years for 120,000,000 dollar art gallery,

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 8 · 26 October at 05:54



Jim Buchanan Sorry 104,000,000 Blah Blah blah the extractor Don will soon be gone

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · 4 November at 19:08



Write a reply...



Mollie McGonigle I really don't care about Saskatoon's growth. Who cares !!

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · 26 October at 20:42



Mollie McGonigle Just another jungle !!

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · 26 October at 20:48



Muhamet Fitore Aliu Sucks housing very expensive!

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 1 · 28 October at 16:14



Phil MacIntyre City Council will most likely just do what they want anyways regardless of any survey.

Like · Reply · Message · 👍 7 · 29 October at 13:19





Stephanie Sydiaha I agree with Phil. With the most recent example of city council ignoring the voices of citizens, I am not going to spend time answering this survey and thinking about the issue. We have a crisis in democracy in Saskatoon, and that needs to be addressed.

Like · Reply · Message · 4 · 29 October at 20:15



Zach Jeffries Five Councillors respected the public input process.

Like · Reply · Message · 31 October at 22:46



Stephanie Sydiaha It's not the first time, though, right? Same thing with the Victoria bridge, they set up a process, the public came up with a number of options, the city unilaterally withdrew a few of those. There are many other examples, dog park in Caswell, Local ... See More

Like · Reply · Message · 2 · 31 October at 23:37 · Edited



Write a reply...



Trona Garvie That was one of the worst surveys I've ever done.

Like · Reply · Message · 30 October at 15:55

...



M.J. Johnson They do whatever they want and then say that is what we the people asked for. I hope the art gallery will be finished soon as we cannot afford much more

Like · Reply · Message · 3 · 31 October at 19:04



Don Fletcher Why does the City even bother with these useless public relations exercises any more? All of these duplexes going up in the older areas are causing overcrowding which is ruining the quality of life, something that the Council has been told over and over... See More

Like · Reply · Message · 3 · 1 November at 15:13



Ian Robertson Ask your Councillor how much the Mill Rate will increase next year...I asked mine and am still waiting for an answer..I even asked if they were going to increase it..They brought in a tax increase of 3.95% hoping people won't figure out what they are d... See More

Like · Reply · Message · 4 · 2 November at 09:45



Jim Buchanan Question" Is the city business Tax, a federal tax deduction? And if so isn't that like free money from the Fed to the City for infrastructure?"

Like · Reply · Message · 4 November at 19:14 · Edited



Ian Robertson I don't know the answer to that one..My concern is with City Council increasing the Mill Rate on residences in Saskatoon..This Council are usually split on any issue, but those that oppose issues are only paying lip service to the majority...Changes that are costly to taxpayers are a fore gone conclusion with this Council..

Like · Reply · Message · 5 November at 08:18



Ian Striemer Main Street runs from the freeway to Arlington with a center boulevard. Put in an LRT (light rail transit) system in the boulevard space with a west end connection at victoria to LRT from downtown and an east end terminal/change location at Arlington. ... See More

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Ari Avivi have you shared this idea with anyone?

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Ian Striemer just with my city councillor about a minute after I posted this. My big question is...what are we trying to accomplish...as in where do we want to move people from and where do we want to move them to. Like the bike lanes for example. Where were we try... See More

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Jacquie Young Ya you won't like the increase in taxes to pay for that!

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Villy Jack Reid-veltkamp We get increases no matter what anyway

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Marie Spilchak Must be getting close to an election

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Merylyn Spooner Johnston Wow, sounds very ambitious, but planning for the future is key to anticipated growth.

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Elias Delos Reyes Rombawa How about environmentally sound dumping site for future garbage?, im sure this will be a major problem if not given attention.

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Bob Ginther Hello my cus, how yous doing these days. Happy hoilday

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Mary Johnson I think it's time to change the mayor and council and get people who believe in the environment and help the poor people tah live in poverty. We have homelessness and hungry people due to the high cost of rent and housing.

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Ian Robertson Changing the whole city council may improve the high cost of rent, simply because higher rents are a result of high property tax brought about by a council that only like to invest in feel good projects that increase the size of their already swelled heads...Ask your Councillor how much the Mill Rate is going to be increased next year to make up for the fact the tax increase is low this year because of the coming election...I have asked my Councillor that question and s far I don't have an answer.The other question I asked is, why are property taxes so low in Calgary for a comparable home...A Calgary home is taxed at 2500 dollars per yer, while a Saskatoon home nears 4000, and that is inclusive of School taxes...

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Chris Rowley Fix the roads

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Brad Laurie With some of the highest property taxes in Canada, Barry Mutlow, I sure as hell hope not.

Gotta wonder where that 4,000 I pay is going. The roads are a complete disaster. They are never cleared in the winter. The bridges are crumbling. Our education is falling behind. The libraries are kinda sucky.

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Jonathan Walton No, stop, work on infastructure and not growth, Stonebridge is now disgusting with the countless condo communities you have there.... the roads are horrible and you need to upkeep the bridges....stop this.

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Bev Hinz It should be law that saskatoon has to grow higher instead of wider citys are using up farm land to expand where will the food come if this continues? If saskatoon expands they will want more bridges and the mayor expects the other levels of gov, to p... [See More](#)

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Donna Carson WE all need HEATED bus stops, like other cities have had for years.

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