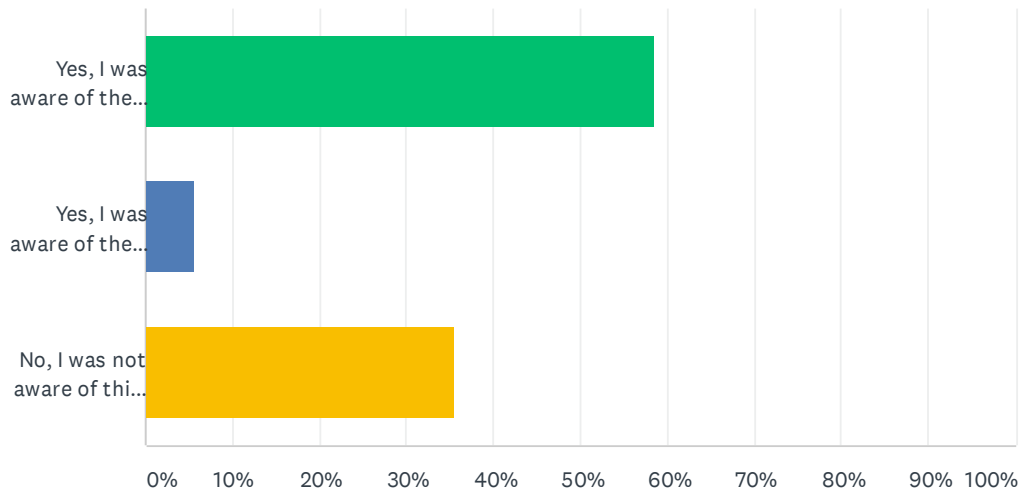


Q1 Were you aware of the JFMP planning process before participating today?

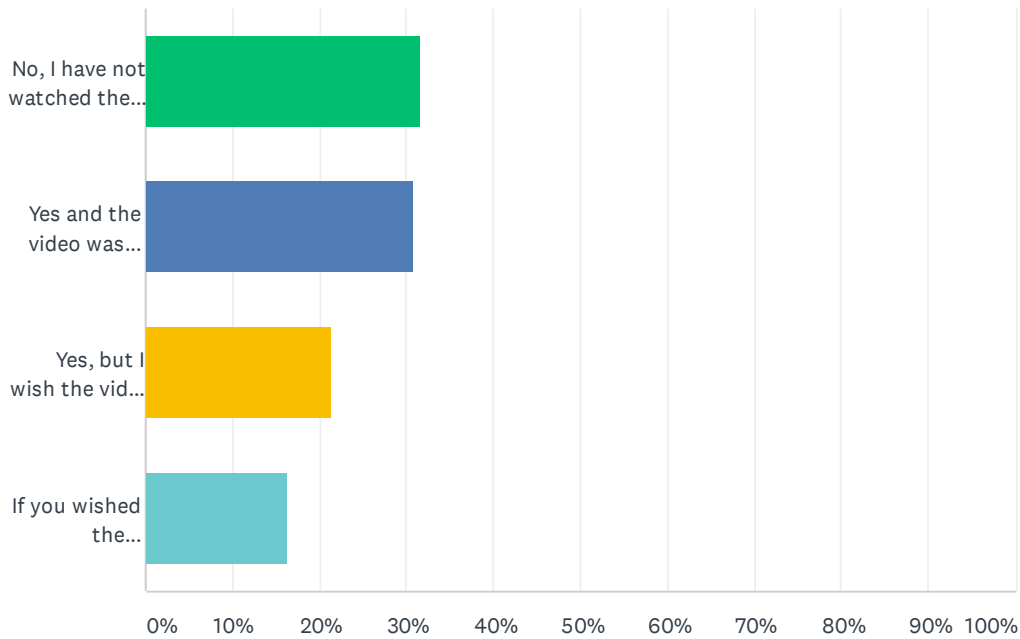
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes, I was aware of the process.	58.60%	184
Yes, I was aware of the process and I attended the February Open House.	5.73%	18
No, I was not aware of this process.	35.67%	112
TOTAL		314

Q2 Have you watched the recorded presentation posted on the project website?

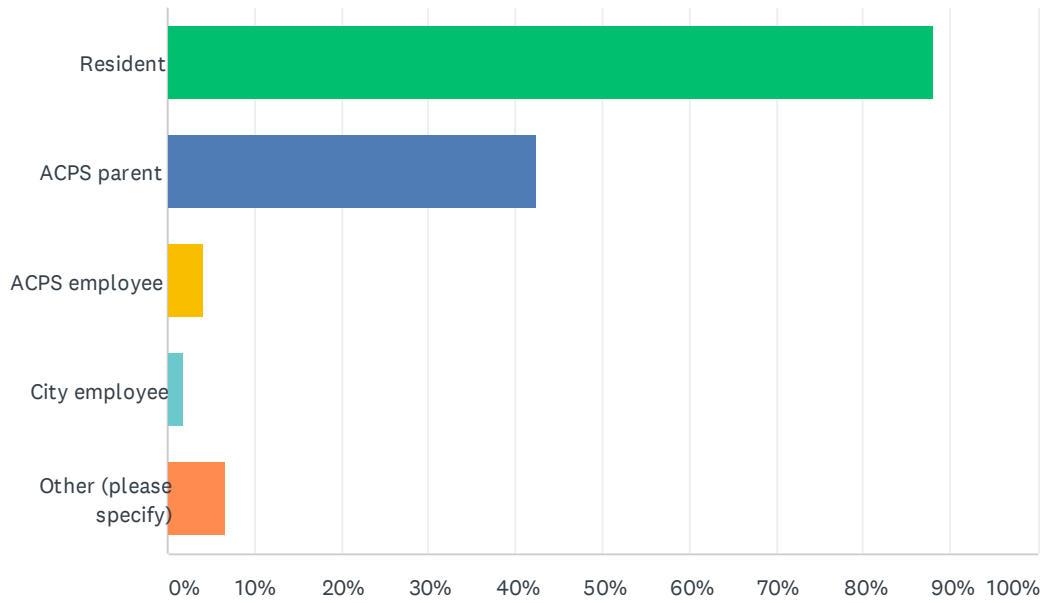
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
No, I have not watched the video.	31.49%	97
Yes and the video was helpful.	30.84%	95
Yes, but I wish the video had more information.	21.43%	66
If you wished the presentation had more information, please let us know what you are interested in learning. If you did not find the presentation helpful, please let us know why.	16.23%	50
TOTAL		308

Q3 Please let us know your role in the community. (Choose all that apply.)

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Resident	87.97%	278
ACPS parent	42.41%	134
ACPS employee	4.11%	13
City employee	1.90%	6
Other (please specify)	6.65%	21
Total Respondents: 316		

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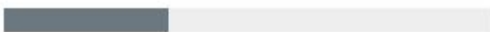


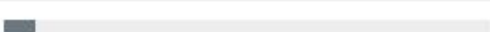

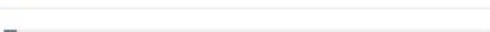

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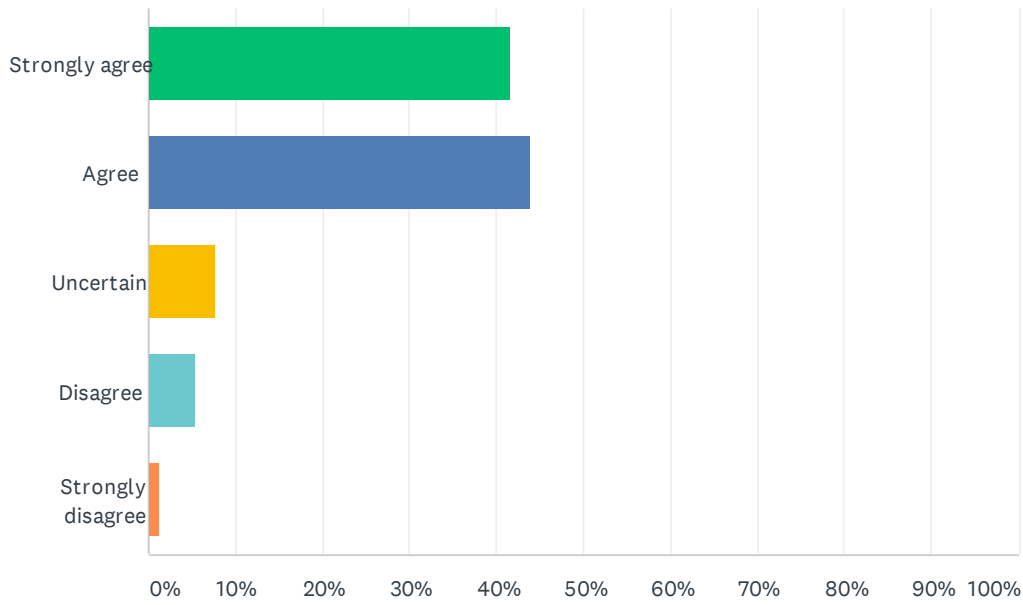
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Q5 Alexandria’s public facilities are aging. Deferred maintenance and capital needs are increasing. For example: City Hall’s outdated building systems and deteriorating components require major updates and repairs. We must keep our existing public facilities in a state of good repair.

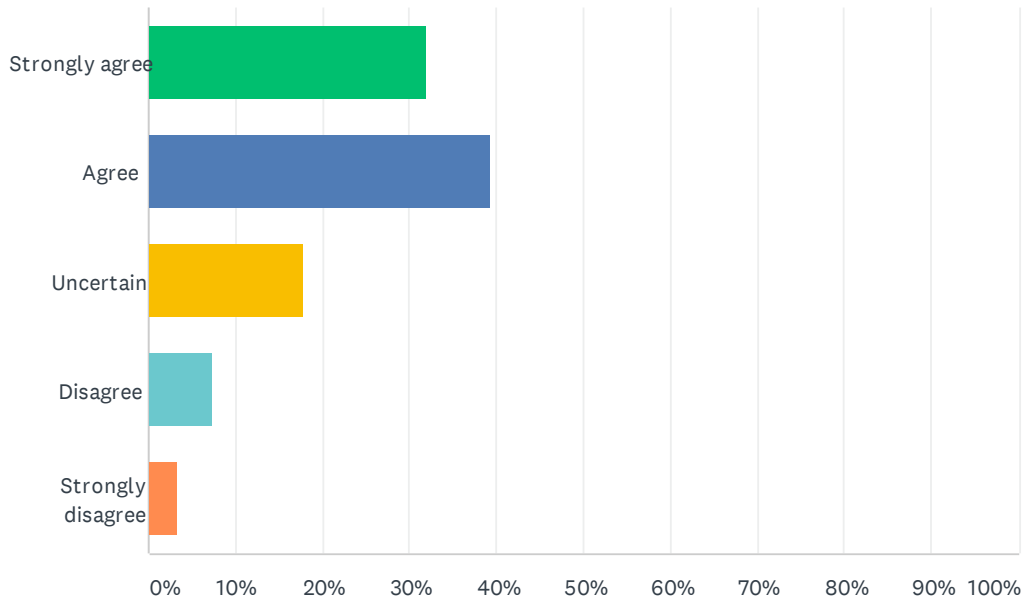
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	41.55%	123
Agree	43.92%	130
Uncertain	7.77%	23
Disagree	5.41%	16
Strongly disagree	1.35%	4
TOTAL		296

Q6 Some public facilities need updating, because they no longer function well. For example: Fire stations cannot fit modern trucks in building bays. We need to solve these functional issues as quickly as possible.

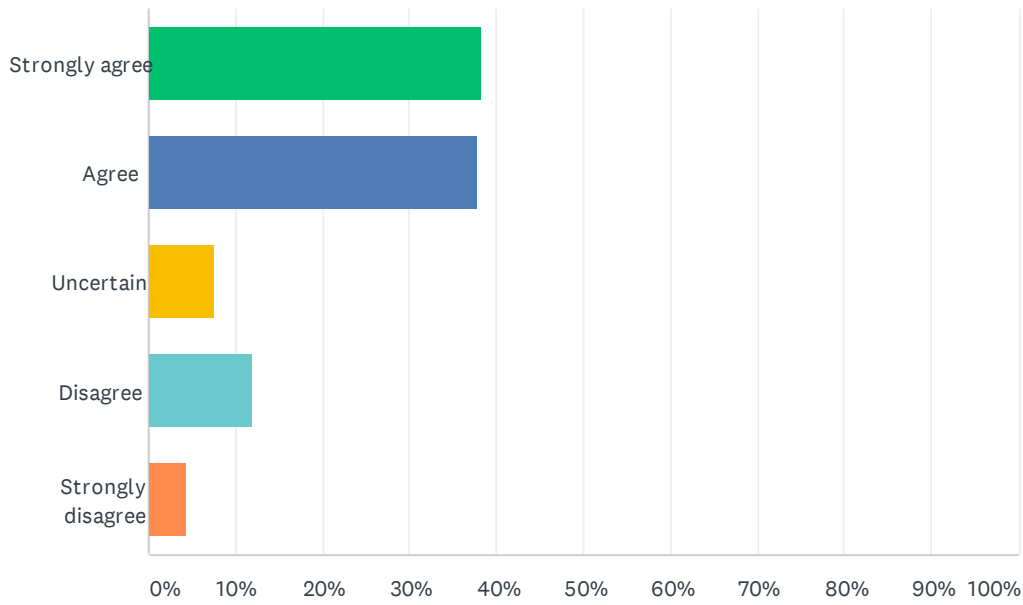
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Strongly agree	31.99% 95
Agree	39.39% 117
Uncertain	17.85% 53
Disagree	7.41% 22
Strongly disagree	3.37% 10
TOTAL	297

Q7 As Alexandria’s population continues to grow and change, the demand for public services and community facilities must keep pace. For example: School capacity has not kept up with enrollment growth. We need to find ways to meet demand for public services.

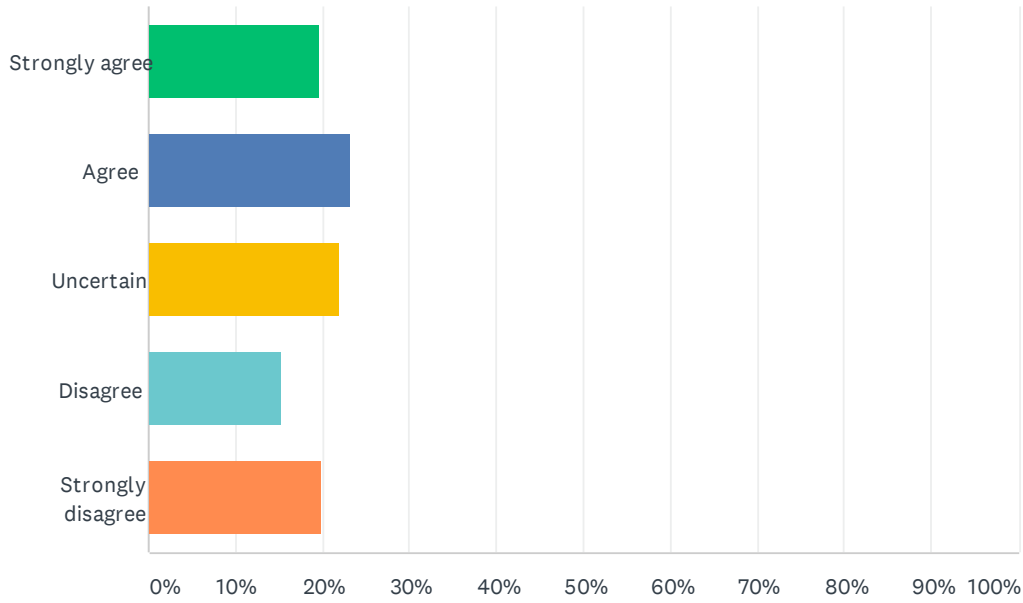
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	38.23%	112
Agree	37.88%	111
Uncertain	7.51%	22
Disagree	11.95%	35
Strongly disagree	4.44%	13
TOTAL		293

Q8 Land in Alexandria is expensive and difficult to find at the scale and location needed. Most City-owned land already houses a public facility or is dedicated to open space. We must be efficient with the land we already own and creative when searching for new sites.

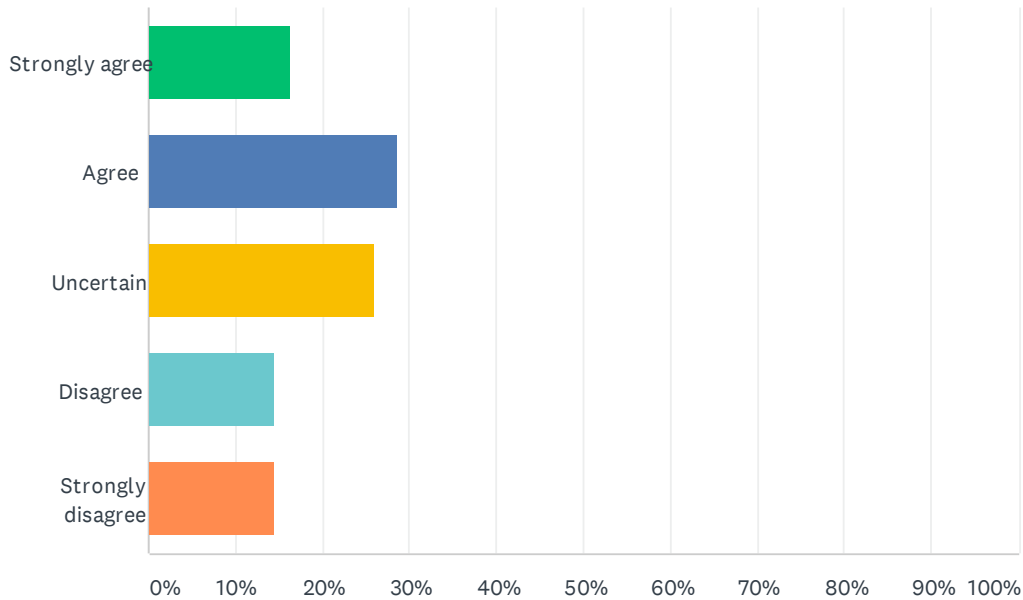
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	19.59%	58
Agree	23.31%	69
Uncertain	21.96%	65
Disagree	15.20%	45
Strongly disagree	19.93%	59
TOTAL		296

Q9 Alexandria’s public facility needs are larger than the current capital budget can support. We need to find creative ways deliver services and solve multiple problems at once.

Answered: 296 Skipped: 23



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	16.22%	48
Agree	28.72%	85
Uncertain	26.01%	77
Disagree	14.53%	43
Strongly disagree	14.53%	43
TOTAL		296

Q10 What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?

Answered: 210 Skipped: 109

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#	Source	Date	Comment/Question
1	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-02 13:52:53	Health in a pandemic
2	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-02 11:01:44	Less density. Fix current problems before adding more people. Make tough choices.
3	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 21:24:05	live on a realistic budget.
4	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 18:08:30	ADA accessible facilities Fine arts facilities, such a performance space that can be rented by community organizations.
5	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	Environmental sustainability and conservation of existing natural resources should be a top priority. Once these assets are lost, they will be gone forever. Considering the extensive flooding problems, the level of imperviousness should be reduced and the tree canopy must be increased.
6	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 09:04:29	"Creative" and "efficient" can be broadly defined. Meeting the needs of our most vulnerable residents should be integrated into all of the city's infrastructure planning.
7	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 08:37:58	Maintaining outdoor space at schools for recreation use.
8	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	Open space is crucial for child development and should not be disregarded. The open space could be used for learning outdoors, especially in the age of COVID
9	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	The City Council and ACPS Board should resign. And let new unselfish people craft an honest poll on this issue, instead of over-simplistic "do you support efficiency?" questions that are engineered to arrive at a predetermined conclusion.
10	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-30 21:07:01	Please don't build housing on school property taking the only green space our children have on which to play. I'm worrying about the children we already have in Alexandria and I want them to have green space.
11	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	Slow down significantly the population growth. Stop caving to developers. The City is a finite space. And these questions are deceptively leading/forcing the respondent to "agree" with the City's preconceived notions about "need." There is nothing asked about do we residents accept the consequences of population pressure growth in higher taxes, loss of open space and tighter, costlier living spaces and continued overcrowded schools.

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12	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-30 06:25:37	I'm concerned that the entire point of this survey and plan is to justify putting affordable housing on school sites. I don't think that's an appropriate co-location. I think that the city should be thoughtful about co-locations, and match appropriate use.
13	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 23:59:31	George Washington Middle School needs to be rehabbed before George Mason, Cora Kelly, and Maury.
14	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 22:10:55	I strongly disagree with colocating housing or non student related services on school property. I also disagree with destroy parks and green space to develop housing or other facilities.
15	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 20:06:14	Housing should not be on school sites. REC and schools go together well, however, the fight and discussions over money need to stop. For example, REC uses ACPS facilities but doesn't cover custodial services or equipment replacement/upkeep.
16	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 18:54:31	If we need to modernize more frequently than the design-life of the building, should the city bother with construction or even owning property? If we aren't keeping pace with current population, perhaps we should do what we can to slow population growth while addressing infrastructure concerns. There is a mechanism to provide goods and services to customers, with less cumbersome design requirements, keeps better pace with demand, and incentivizes customer satisfaction. Pardon my snark, but it sounds like our govt should look at more market-based solutions.
17	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	Fix the sewers first. Sttop the flooding. Stop giving permission to builders to pave over every inch of the city. Force them to donate land for public use. If you build a new school, and want to 'co-locate" something, co-locate senior recreation facilities.
18	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	Walkable spaces
19	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 11:01:02	No housing on ACPS sites.
20	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 09:49:50	The presentation was not at all clear why the City's population is growing when space is not available. City should do a better job managing growth so we do not outstrip our current infrastructure. Incremental growth should pay the incremental costs to expand infrastructure.
21	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 09:49:05	I think the high school solution pushed through last year is not a solution. It's a punt. Why a city with projected 200000 population would have one high school is preposterous.
22	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 09:33:43	Transportation infrastructure. The development along Eisenhower Ave in particular is going to need more connectivity with Duke Street and the middle of the city, for efficient delivery of services. Also, the assumption that future increases in school enrollment are not driven by development will, I think, be proven demonstrably false. People procreate. Exhibit A: Cameron Station. The City needs a complete re-evaluation of its development plans. We are becoming much too dense.

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23	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-29 08:00:39	Safety of children by not putting adult housing on schools
24	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 22:07:36	I'm not sure why the City is maintaining old and historic buildings. Use cheaper facilities in offices. Why do you need an Alexandria only police-training site? This should be shared, especially firing ranges.
25	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	I disagree with all as they are not seperable but are linked to overall plans for city and should be tiered off of those while showing tradeoffs and risk from those tradeoffs. As a parent of 3 kids in alexandria I would love to be asked if I would pay more taxes. I am a govt worker and would be willing to pay more to offset taking away green space and know many more would too.
26	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	Do not colocate housing on school property under any circumstances.
27	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 21:10:36	Process transparency is important but not at the cost of progress. Be decisive!
28	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 20:55:02	The need for those of us who live here to maintain a reasonable quality of life without being overrun by traffic, buildings, and development of limited use.
29	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 20:39:33	There are no fire trucks for purchase that fit existing bays? Really? How does the nyfd fit fire trucks into bays that were built 100 years ago?
30	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	The need to not have housing on school grounds.
31	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 20:32:28	Schools should remain isolated from outside City agencies where the public are served. Housing should never be a consideration when attached to a school. The safety of our children should be the first priority. The design of current buildings can remain and be out on hold rather than compromising the safety and integrity of the schools, especially those where police officers are not assigned to their campus which is the case in all elementary schools. Address school capacity by enforcing and removing children who do not reside in the city but continue to attend our schools and overcrowd them year after year. The constant flow of MD and Dc tags are drops off is unacceptable and not enforced. Not every child attending from all of these other locations can "homeless". There is a full one staff member for ACPS ray is to enforce and verify residency and I can confirm this is not being done or enforced. Please don't force us to send our children to private school elsewhere to keep them safe from our public schools which have so many great staff members This would not be considered in certain schools within the City. Please consider the children of the west end just as valuable as those in "Beverly Hills" and elsewhere.
32	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 19:59:51	1. A new, additional high school. 2. Address existing infrastructure shortfalls before enabling and encouraging increased density which only adds to the existing resource shortages.

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33	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 19:47:00	No housing on school land.
34	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	Converting Landmark mall to a new high school and middle school, converting Minnie Howard to a standalone magnet high school with competitive admission, paying Arlington County to educate Alexandrians west of I-395 to ease Alexandria facility needs, converting J-H to an academically competitive magnet middle school.
35	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 19:01:33	Start focusing on the IMPORTANT things like flooding in people's homes and mold/lead in schools and STOP wasting money on bike lanes and studies. We pay a fortune in taxes and don't use ANY of the services (we use FFXC parks and rec, private schools because of the mold in ACPS) and you squander it on the most insane useless to 99% of the residents projects. It's baffling. Fix the flooding in basements. That is ALL.
36	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 18:46:00	The addition of housing to meet expanding needs on school sites.
37	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 17:18:00	Schools only on school land and keeping open green space undeveloped. Stop adding density to the city and better care for CURRENT residents!
38	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 13:43:38	It feels like there is never enough space for schools but always for new revenue streams from developers which is fine until you exceed capacity of city systems to serve its people. The idea that Potomac yards is as it is without a space allocated for a school building seemed insane.
39	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 12:50:18	Projections should be aggressive in estimating future need; there's no reason for a plan adopted today not to be aimed at 20-year growth in the region or WE WILL HAVE TO DO THIS ALL OVER AGAIN. Dr. Hutchings needs to consider equity for all. Just because I live in a big house with a yard doesn't mean my kids don't need a school that doesn't have mold in the stairways, bathrooms that are functional, or other basics. Sorry to break it to you, but some resources have to go to schools in the GW cluster.
40	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	STOP GROWTH, YOU IDIOTS - quit approving affordable housing and huge developments when you know for a fact we cannot provide the infrastructure and public services needed. I don't want "creative" solutions that mean shoving more residential housing in the city. STOP until you can solve the flooding, building repair, and other infrastructure needs. NO PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS if that is just a code word for DEVELOPERS. All these statements are feelgood statements, without considering what you mean by "efficiency" (efficiently shoving more housing into places) ways to meet demands (by shoving cheap apartments for "affordable housing" into tiny lots never designed for apartment living and in overcrowded schools) Apparently we need to vote every last one of you out of office to get actual level headed decisions.
41	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 11:07:56	ACPS is currently being tasked with supporting affordable housing needs on their property. If that is to occur, affordable housing should be part of this discussion. Or more appropriately, the City should encourage developers to provide mixed income housing and not further burden the schools. Developer or nonprofit provided, mixed income housing will slowly begin to erode the segregation that is still so prevalent - another significant hurdle the City has yet to address.
42	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	Our schools are crumbling and overcrowded. They lack the efficient technology that will be needed over time. ACPS needs to be mindful of this as developments continue to be approved by the City Council without regard for the impact on the public school system.

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43	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 11:03:24	We currently have the largest 9-12 High School in the entire state. The issues as described in this survey are directly tied to the city's inability to effectively budget, plan, and construct facilities. If we are out of space, we are out of space. Too bad, so sad. Co locating only further exacerbates the issues at hand. Over crowding, and over use of facilities. It's no wonder parents send their kids en masse to Ireton and SSSA.
44	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 09:49:58	This survey is ridiculous. It does nothing but direct the answers to the questions to a presupposed answer. It's embarrassing that our city would be so blatant as to put out a disingenuous survey.
45	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-28 07:56:38	Quality and forward-thinking renovation of current facilities to allow for future growth would be more cost-effective than acquisition of new properties.
46	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	NO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON ACPS SITES!
47	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 23:20:29	Adults and children need green space to thrive. We need to add green space, parks and playgrounds to existing school property. Build nothing but schools on school property.
48	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 22:49:41	Safety and functionality for school children needs to be the primary purpose of ACPS buildings. We don't need housing, mental health clinics, etc. colocated schools. If schools are at capacity adding housing and this more kids makes no sense.
49	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 22:00:44	New school board. New superintendent. New mayor. New city manager. Our "leadership" needs to be replaced ASAP. They are ruining this city.
50	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 21:32:07	Continuing city services, including public education virtually as much as possible.
51	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 20:24:10	A forensic audit of city and school budget and spending.
52	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 19:14:06	Not co-locating schools with housing or other non-school facilities.
53	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 18:09:39	Prioritize safety and capacity of schools. No co-location of non child-related facilities on school property. Stop spending scarce funds on stupid road diets that benefit only a few people. Fix flood control facilities.
54	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-27 17:07:29	This survey seems to neglect any comments regarding how the community feels about shared public and public/private resources. It is easy to answer these questions and paint a picture of a community that is supportive of this effort. I urge leadership to provide an incredibly transparent process regarding colocation.

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55	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	It's very concerning how many times the city uses the word "creative" with no explanation as to what this means (in other words, lack of transparency). Why doesn't the city stop "deferring" and consider "creative" ways to raise revenue as opposed to making developers wealthy by using children as pawns in this game of: We-messed-up-so-now-we-are-going-to-let-the-private-sector-have-its-way. So now everything has to be done "quickly"?
56	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-26 19:31:25	It's very concerning how many times the city uses the word "creative" with no explanation as to what this means (in other words, lack of transparency). Why doesn't the city stop "deferring" and consider "creative" ways to raise revenue as opposed to making developers wealthy by using children as pawns in this game of: We-messed-up-so-now-we-are-going-to-let-the-private-sector-have-its-way. So now everything has to be done "quickly"?
57	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-26 10:18:14	Fix the current school buildings, address the high levels of lead in the water, build more schools or repurpose unused office buildings- there are plenty. Use them for schools (like Ferdinand Day) use the office space for Affordable Housing. DO NOT build housing on school grounds- how is that safe? Or smart, or good use of funds? Cheaper to use existing empty office buildings. Figure out a fix to the overcrowded schools. Too much building and density with no thought to addressing the problem of overcrowding in schools.
58	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-26 01:50:18	Locating adult housing with a school is dangerous and would impeded the growth in the long term for children
59	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-25 20:00:20	Get schools at the level of Arlington and Montgomery Cty. It is unacceptable!!! Stop trying to use school for other uses.
60	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	Transport solutions
61	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-25 10:53:42	This is a terribly worded survey with built-in assumptions that Alexandria must solve all the housing problems for northern Virginia. We need to stop growing until we have addressed existing problems (wastewater, school overcrowding, etc.). We need to keep existing greenspace. We need to keep school property and residential property completely separate.
62	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-25 08:35:49	Maximize every tax dollar.
63	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 18:29:04	Affordable housing
64	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	Share school space, but not for with housing for adults.
65	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 17:36:54	Strongly oppose the shared space plan for ACPS

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66	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	I don't know if City and ACPS leadership have sufficient pathways for communication re the JFMP (which is a very good idea, by the way); public hearings are not the right venue for working sessions between these 2 parties; if not already in place, the City and ACPS should establish a regular monthly working group/issue resolution team. The standing agenda should be to raise and resolve concerns related to the JFMP and develop relationships between the parties with the stated purpose of opening lines of communication between and among departments that otherwise might live in silos.
67	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	How do we reduce the commuting distance for ACPS students? Reducing commute distance makes streets and results in less cars on the roads
68	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 15:42:00	Please get residents to understand that city employees and teachers need affordable housing. Maybe residents would not be so scared of adults in affordable housing if they better understood what that means. Talk about income criteria and that it is needed to give people who help our city and schools a place to live here. When you don't talk about that, the bigoted NIMBYism comes out. And it is already coming out!
69	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	Questions 1-9 are LOADED and LEAD THE WITNESS. They ask and answer themselves. They are not seeking real opinions. They are trying to launder data that then allows the city to say "SURVEYS SHOW THAT PEOPLE WANT THIS." It is a PUSH POLL. Do not put adult housing on school property - ever. It's not OK. You can ask these loaded questions any way you like - it's never OK to put adult housing on school property. Ever.
70	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 15:35:18	don't put housing on school property
71	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 14:37:04	The leadership should take advantage of expansion capacity when choosing new sites or renovating exciting sites. New digital, machine learning and automated technologies should be investigated to gain cost efficiencies as well.
72	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-24 09:24:08	Pleas stop this nonsense with residential and mental health services on school grounds. No one thinks this is a good idea. Pleas stop over developing Alexandria. You guys are out of control. Steve Dawson
73	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	I think the City should encourage developers of private properties to include spaces for public uses (i.e. have a developer put aside the first floor of an apartment for public use in exchange for greater density).
74	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-22 11:05:08	First, the city and ACPS needs to consider doing a proper survey and not one that seeks to control the outputs. Second, the City and ACPS need to think about the needs and wants of CURRENT residents. Not imaginary future residents that the mayor talks about being beholden to. I'm not sure I've heard anything dumber in my life. Third, they need to be honest! They got caught with their hands in the cookie jar when it came to the proposals for GMES. It was clear from how they scrambled to lay blame for the housing slides on different parties (it was the principal! it was the consultant!) when in fact it was a high level staffer, Erika Gulick, who was then promoted. But lo and behold it was actually the School Board, the City Manager and the City Council who were responsible.
75	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	The preservation of open space is paramount. The open space here is already extremely limited. The schools could be more creative and have students come in for early and late shifts in high school. If the city does not have enough affordable housing then people will move to other towns or cities.

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76	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-22 12:57:09	The need to balance the city's finances (which is lower due to the pandemic) verses the city's needed projects. The city should focus on needs and not wants. The city should also "do no harm" meaning making the resident's quality of life suffer in the name of improvements/progress (i.e., more dense housing, fewer open spaces/green spaces, fewer trees, etc.).
77	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-22 12:41:20	Keeping the neighborhoods character intact and not increasing density.
78	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	Please remove this survey and the loaded questions that it offers and give us a real survey that will address the hard questions that truly need to be asked of residents. Thank you for this consideration.
79	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	Senior Centers, Rethink how we use the spaces we currently have; ie, 100% utilization of school building by have 2 rotating sessions throughout the year rather than one. 1/2 of enrollees attend one session followed by the next 1/2. Maybe wouldn't need to build bigger schools.
80	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	Complete Streets, vibrant public spaces.
81	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	Policies identified in the EAP 2040, especially those related to climate and energy, which will require a transformation of existing and future facilities (energy efficiency, on-site renewable energy sources) to meet our climate GHG reduction targets. These facilities will also need to handle and mitigate more extreme weather events (their impacts such as stormwater runoff) and hotter temperatures caused by climate change. The City's update to its Energy and Climate Change Action Plan, starting this Fall, will provide more specifics on future policies and requirements needed for City and ACPS facilities.
82	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-17 21:54:38	ACPS is wasting oodles of dollars on lights for a stadium, yet there are schools with mold and lead. Let's update and fix what we have now, including aging libraries and rec centers rather than build something new. As far as facilities are concerned, we are in desperate need for new schools, yet we are going to continue to cram students in one high school. There is now way possible to manage a school of that size and scope without failing underserved students.
83	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-17 21:26:59	The electrification of transportation in the 2021 - 2024 time fram ... Infrastructure must be improved NOW to accomodate. Busses, Intra city trucks, should be first. Cars will be 90 % electric by 2025... Plan ahead now.
84	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	inexpensive and universal access to the internet and computing devices to provide technological solutions to some of the urgent needs for current and future students as well as citizen access to electronic books and city services.
85	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-16 18:58:22	Leadership should consider the expectations of the citizens and not stack the deck with check the box surveys such as this one. Completely disingenous.

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86	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Stop w/ the pet political projects like million dollar bike lanes to nowhere. The residents did not want them. Use money wisely. Stop w/ all the high paid consultants. Get back to basics, get the lead out of the water at schools. Clean the storm drains so we don't flood. Get the schools that are falling apart and have health hazards (falling ceiling tiles, bugs, vermin, etc). Scrap plans to build anything, until we fix what we have. We do not need more people living in Alexandria, we need Alexandria to be repaired for the people who already live here. Listen to the people who pay taxes, not people from out of state, corporate, etc. Focus on improving the schools, better salaries for teachers, better facilities, better scores. DO NOT put housing on school grounds---horrible idea!
87	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-16 16:04:47	I think City and ACPS need to learn how to stay within a budget on any project they build. We only need to look at the outrageous budget for MacArthur School to see that no one in leadership is paying the least attention to the cost of any facility that is built in this city.
88	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-16 14:24:16	Joint facilities planning cannot be divested from the analysis of colocation since both co-loaction and joint facility uses impact the available space that can be used by schools. Accordingly, any surveys or presentations need to discuss both joint facility and co-location proposals. It is also worth noting that it is not appropriate to have adult housing co-located on school property based on considerations related to the scarcity of land for schools and their expansion, the safety of children, the adverse impact on the City's green building policy, increased parking demand/traffic, loss of outdoor play space, additional building height, school schedule impacts, and cost impacts.
89	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-15 09:08:38	Co-location of services on city sites and possible adaptation of buildings into needed spaces (convert offices to schools, as was done for FTD Elementary)
90	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-14 20:47:48	The city needs to require developers to contribute land and/or money to support public infrastructure
91	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-14 20:32:08	The City Council needs to develop trust with the community. I do not have a problem with housing being built next to a school, but it should never be considered on a school property. I can see services that benefit students, libraries and rec centers being colocalized, but nothing else. We also need to have significant green space for our kids to play. I am against anything that adds more concrete to school areas or the loss of any green space. This City government needs to stop acting like concrete is the only acceptable landscape for this city. We are in danger of losing what makes Alexandria special. If we need money to pay for schools and buildings, then add taxes to these new developments. They are the ones bringing the increased needa for our schools. We have more density per square ft than other locales. Pay to play!
92	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-09-14 18:56:42	COVID-19 pandemic has showed that many services can be provided remotely and do not require in-person interaction in a brick and mortar facility.
93	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 22:57:29	Continue to invest in transportation other than cars and driving (bike lanes, walking lanes, bus stops)
94	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 22:57:02	Investment in carless transportation (transit, bike and scooter infrastructure, walking infrastructure, etc) to encourage these modes which prevent traffic while being cheaper & better for health and the environment

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95	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	Alexandria residents are very concerned about the push by the City Manager and staff to colocate housing in school buildings. There are many services that can be colocated in school buildings that do not draw concern - preK classrooms, child care, libraries, recreation centers, and adult day health centers. The most important item that should be located in schools - classrooms and facilities for students. As covered in the presentation - our school-age population continues to grow in Alexandria. Now is the time to build schools that will NOT be at capacity or over capacity when the building is opened. We need space for classrooms on school property - not housing! Very importantly, the City should not destroy our precious green space. The City needs to hold developers accountable for affordable housing.
96	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	These questions are meaningless. There should be a comment block for each question above. 1. Population trends nationwide are being impacted by Covid. It is irresponsible to assume Alexandria will be immune from whatever changes are on the horizon. We should wait until this becomes clearer before building for residential growth which may not occur. 2. The city needs to call a "time out" on development until the infrastructure catches up with the population we have. 3. We have the most dense jurisdiction in the metro area. We should preserve the green space we have and not increase density. 4. In planning for administrative buildings, what calculation has been made as to the likelihood that remote work will continue post-covid?.
97	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space.
98	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 20:11:36	Prioritize green space and space for children and families. When making decisions, make sure you do not take away green space- open fields, parks, in all neighborhoods.
99	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	In regard to Alexandria's schools, we must put the wellbeing and education of our children first. I believe strongly that this means we should not consider the co-location of housing of any kind on school property. We also need to preserve the green spaces that surround our schools. Green space enhances the lives of the students and everyone in the neighborhood that the school serves. Not to mention provides oxygen. Let us take the long view when we consider development in Alexandria. Let us provide for our children as best we can, and not destroy the tree canopy and other green space that we all need to live healthy lives.
100	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	Need for more green open space and protection of precious tree canopy. Need to stop trying to increase population and density, which creates demand, and then cramming in new housing to meet such "demand." You cannot solve for "demand" by increasing demand. I do not want to live in a neighborhood with high-density housing being crammed into single family home settings. We should not try to replicate DC or Arlington. Need to consider current City residents and taxpayers before trying to cram in newcomers. Adding housing at school sites does not represent the best interests of the community.
101	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 12:54:20	The safety of our children. Housing on school property is absurd.
102	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	Your questions are leading. If I answer 'Agree' for Question #9 it would appear that I support the City's plans. Your survey does not accurately portray the tax paying residents opinions.

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103	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	Leadership should not assume growth (population) cannot be constrained. There seems to be agreement that we have limited resources when it comes to land, public facility expansion capabilities, yet accept the premise of unlimited growth when it comes to population. Leadership consistently espouses the need for commercial business (tax base) expansion yet too much of development goes to tax exempt governmental entities or high end high rise residential developments that increase density and the very demands the city struggles to meet. What percentage of Alexandria residents work for the Federal Government, what percentage work outside of Alexandria; conversely, what percentage of those who work in Alexandria are also residents. Leadership seems to obsess on only one side of the growth equation--the assumption that exploding population growth is a given that cannot be mitigated. At some point there has to be a cap on growth; if not, Alexandria as an independent city will no longer be viable and we become part of Arlington or Fairfax County!
104	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 11:12:29	The city should consider limiting growth through the slowing of development, i.e. reduce permit approval. Any growth should be fully self supported to provide the additional city services it requires. We have finite space and resources. Let's not pack them so tight that it is no longer a nice place to live.
105	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 10:56:09	Green space, flooding, transportation
106	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 09:17:08	Do NOT agree with collocation of housing on school property. School property should solely be for school use (and occasional community events). Need to retain or expand any green space said school property.
107	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 06:15:55	Laws concerning immigration need to be enforced in congress with federal law mandates. Ignoring the issue of illegal immigration, or even condoning it, is not helpful.
108	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-11 05:57:53	No more people need to live here!!! This city's desire to add so much density is RIDICULOUS. If high school school was hybrid learning from now on, it would cut down some of the traffic which plaques this beautiful city.
109	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 22:38:35	Please take into account the pluses of existing properties, including outdoor activities, green space, and environmental concerns
110	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	The city is creating a problem of increased residential development in as many places as possible. Even those places that impact current living areas.

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111	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	As a resident of Alexandria for over 30 years, I feel fortunate to live in what has been a civic-minded, kind, and welcoming community. I would assume that most Alexandrians are supportive of affordable housing in our community; however, the proposal to take away green space, destroy the invaluable tree canopy, and squeeze in housing on school sites is totally unacceptable. Cramming in more housing would lead to even more crowding and the need for additional classrooms and public services. Where would it end? Unequivocally, you cannot solve for demand by increasing demand. Moreover, if I wanted to live in a neighborhood that had a patchwork of streets with residential homes adjacent to high rises, I would move to Arlington. The City and ACPS leadership should look to areas of the City where there is available land and buildings that are being torn down, e.g., the former Landmark Mall. Using parks and other green space at existing schools to build housing is not appropriate and extremely detrimental to the citizens who live around those locations (more crowding, more traffic, more congestion, less space for children to play in an open setting, etc.). Flooding issues in our community have increased in recent years due to over-building, aging drainage systems, and climate change. Importantly, building at school sites does not represent the will of the community but rather appears driven by the self-interests of politicians and builders and others in the real estate industry. Furthermore, as a result of COVID-19, citizens want and need even more open space and less density in public settings. This "new normal" will likely continue for many years as we can expect, and need to prepare for, possible pandemics and public health crises in the future that will require us to maintain safe distances and open spaces. Schoolyards and City parks are critical to families who need open space for their children.
112	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 19:56:13	Ways to plan for better schools with better ratings w/ more children---the population of the City is increasing. Stop paying millions of dollars to build bike lanes to nowhere. Fix the schools, get rid of the lead, renovate, our children deserve better. Mold is not healthy.
113	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 19:40:55	The need for Alexandria to continue to be a safe, clean, functional city in which those with high levels of education and income wish to live.
114	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 17:46:53	Residents have REPEATEDLY said they are NOT in favor of colocating HOUSING on SCHOOL grounds. What part of this do you not understand? It is opposed.
115	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	ACPS has not been particularly wise about forecasting needs: witness the giving of John Tyler Elementary some time back to NOVACC. What should be considered is a complete, INTEGRATED overhaul of budgets City/ACPS based upon REALISTIC forecasts, with proper and timely public input.
116	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 13:37:35	Please don't let the voices of hide-bound residents whose principal concerns are to preserve a version of the City that hasn't existed for 50+ years dominate this conversation. It's time to embrace change. The City is rich in property assets but they are underutilized. Intolerant residents who misunderstand and oppose well-intentioned initiatives are a large part of the problem, particularly with the JFMP project. The people who are opposed to affordable housing in their exclusive neighborhoods (looking at you, North Ridge!) have blurred the intent of this important project. They have confused the goals of the JFMP, making reasonable dialogue nearly impossible. I wish I could think of a solution. The JFMP should be as inclusive and creative as possible so it doesn't need immediate amendments when the first development project is submitted.
117	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-10 05:55:51	Better and more open communication. Engaging of all citizens. Open to all ideas and opinions.
118	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 21:15:51	Do not place housing on public school grounds

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119	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 18:04:33	I like the idea of locating affordable housing nearby schools. I think this would help teachers and students have more ready access to learning facilities, decreasing travel time and missing school due to transportation needs. I do not think we need to keep building new fire stations. This is nowhere near the level of priority of school facilities.
120	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 17:14:38	ACPS school grounds must be used only for educational purposes. Co-location of housing of any kind on school grounds is a recipe for disaster. Don't repeat the mistakes of the past.
121	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 16:36:32	Keep existing green space
122	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 09:57:52	So far this survey seems very biased and designed to be able to say "look--citizens of Alexandria agree with our needs." This should not be confused as agreement with individual approaches to meeting these objectives. ALSO, Alexandria and ACPS should be considering ways to retain citizens in Alexandria and within ACPS. This paints a really dismal picture of the state of Alexandria and confirms why people are moving to other districts. Without thoughtful solutions that also keep this in mind, this will continue. I recently had a conversation with a family friend moving to Northern Virginia and I reluctantly had to tell her not to move to Alexandria. I love this city but the schools are a constant source of stress and concern and we are just waiting for the moment when we have to find another solution for our children.
123	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 09:05:31	We need to ensure that the facilities and services we have are functional before embarking on large projects to upgrade and build anew.
124	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 08:05:02	Quality of life for residents. Parking everywhere. 1.3 cars per unit is unrealistic. Even with improved public transit people have cars. Period.
125	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	No co-location of Housing on any school land. All School land in Alexandria should continue to be only Used for schools, open space For schools, and recreation facilities for schools. No housing of any kind on school properties (and no deals should be made for city to acquire school property for housing on school property). Land is needed for schools. It would be detrimental to build more density on school property.
126	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 23:25:46	Stop eliminating green space. Stop allowing developers to put multi tenant housing on every open foot so we can accommodate the residents who are already here
127	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 22:01:58	-Emphasize the history of Alexandria -- especially the African American history and contributions of this group of people. -Plant more pollinator gardens and flowering, fruit trees. -Affordable housing
128	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	Alexandria must preserve its greenspace and not overbuild. It is already the one of the most dense cities in VA. A more balanced approach to development needs to be considered and we should not adopt a one size fits all approach for this proposed building plan.
129	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	City and ACPS leadership should open their eyes and see the value of open green space and be respectful of mature trees. The pro-development has got to CEASE and DESIST if we are to have a chance at upholding the quality of life many citizens hold dear. The problems outlined in survey questions 1.-9. clearly show the havoc that has been created by the years of mismanagement by city officials and poor decisions by ACPS.

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130	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 17:41:37	I think that the City needs to not reflexively develop every last bit of open space that is not officially "dedicated open space."
131	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 16:20:34	Fixing the current problems - which are getting worse - with the infrastructure that is not serving the current city residents. Stop this develop-at-all costs and the giveaways to developpers, as is being considered on Seminary Road west. Listen to citizens rather than preach to them. Stop making this city at playground for developers who reap the benefits but leave us with more clogged highways, less green space, less a sense of community. And stop putting the demands of regional government ahead of Alexandria's. The current administration is destroying the city's environment.
132	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 14:55:26	The quality of life of residents who are subjected to constant construction and homes being built that do not reflect the character of neighborhoods
133	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 14:24:26	not enough open space for recreation and athletic fields are too restricted for permitted uses only (i.e., permit is required)
134	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 14:06:45	No more bloody bike lanes
135	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 13:49:29	There are a lot of vacant office buildings now. I would like the City and ACPS to explore options for retrofitting buildings similar to Ferdinand Day school.
136	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	Require private developers to pay special assessments that will alleviate the taxpayer burdens for providing public infrastructure that their projects demand. Do not allow new development without assessments. The City must stop private developing at the expense of citizens. The public requires fiscally sound solutions that do not create and raise taxes with fewer returns. A prime example is the short-sided approval of Potomac Yards. No adequate space for elementary, middle, and high school students, lack of walkable sidewalks, narrow streets without green space, and parkland. Enough is enough, answer to your citizens and not the profiteers.
137	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	There is not enough affordable housing for people that do not qualify for free lunch yet we are not able to afford rent in Alexandria. I am a single parent, I do not make enough to afford a good rental but yet I make more money that the lowest income family does, I feel I am being pushed out of Alexandria for being in the middle.
138	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	Protecting current structural resources, such as schools, from being used for non-core purposes.
139	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 11:12:37	DO NOT USE OUR SCHOOL PROPERTIES FOR CO-LOCATION OF HOUSING!!! Don't do it! Find another place!!!! NOT OUR SCHOOLS!!!

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140	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	We need to plant more large canopy trees in as many places as possible. this helps with sucking up pollution, run off water, and cools the city, why creating a more relaxing place to live.
141	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 10:34:49	The VERY STRONG need to preserve open space and playing fields for children and residents. This is essential!
142	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 10:23:24	We do NOT need ANY housing located on school property. This survey is skewed to give the city and school board answers they can turn around on citizens to get the opinions the city and school want.
143	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 10:21:56	Not collocation of schools and housing; not elimination of parkland.
144	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 10:16:31	Making TC Williams a more attractive option
145	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 10:03:22	Traffic calming measure need to be created in front of Minnie Howard and Hammond MS. Pedestrian crossing is still to dangerous for students.
146	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	They need to consider the need for open spaces so families have a space to run and play with their kids.
147	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 08:49:05	#10 schools. Everything else can take a seat
148	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	Raise taxes
149	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	Restoration of our urban forest and critical tree canopy. Preservation of our parks and playing fields.Preservation of our wetlands and riparian areas. Preservation of our Extremely valuable Hispanic Culture.
150	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 21:59:02	Sounds like you know what you want and you don't care what residents actually think. This seems to be an excuse to raise taxes and spend money in downtown Alexandria where all the money goes anyway. What about other areas! Our neighborhood roads awful. Honestly. We need less of city government. Period.

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151	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 20:44:45	It is important to maintain the character of neighborhoods. Neighborhoods of single family homes should not have apartment buildings built in them -- they will become too crowded and increase traffic, destroying the reasons why residents moved there (and purchased there) in the first place. Also, the city has taken steps that has made traffic worse, making the city more siloed due to the difficulty and time it takes to get across the city. Steps should be taken to get traffic moving, which would allow residents to use public spaces and facilities outside of their neighborhoods.
152	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Restricting density and future population growth which will over tax our resources
153	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	Need for green space, stormwater upgrades, and keeping density in check.
154	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	Don't over build
155	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Respect parkland that was purchased with the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF). ACPS doesn't trump LWCF guidelines and deed restrictions. Refine the city's priorities overall so they meet these kinds of needs--if they are a top priority. City priorities aren't reflected in the current city list of projects. Available money from other sources and sectors appears to drive many. priorities, Consider tax-exemptions for seniors. Show more love for the people who love the city.
156	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 17:36:53	New schools to housebreaking large number of students the city will gain due to the massive multifamily dwellings the city is approving. The city has never been proactive with the building of schools. NO colocation of housing on school grounds. Recreation facilities are good partners for schools.
157	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 17:32:23	Could available commercial space could be used in a more flexible manner?
158	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	Stop high density development. You can't meet the needs of current residents and additional development further burdens the system.
159	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 15:37:37	This is a push poll designed to create data to justify a preset conclusion. I've written them myself.
160	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 15:24:40	Stormwater/sewer water infrastructure. You can't keep hitting citizens up for higher taxes but continually allow them to flood with sewage and/or excessive unmanaged surface water.
161	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	This survey is horrible and written to generate the outcome you wish. The questions before us are whether colocation on school board facilities should go forward and what types of facilities should be collocated. AND YOU DO NOT ASK EITHER OF THEM. If I answer that the city should use space efficiently, I am agreeing to collocate a toxic waste transfer station next to a kindergarten!

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162	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 13:35:51	Use budget cuts to ineffective/nonessential programs to fund current needs. Do thorough assessment of financial waste in government.
163	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 13:35:48	Stop the over development of housing without first considering school capacities already.
164	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 13:27:03	fixing the storm drains and capacity of the infrastructure BEFORE any new or expanded building
165	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 13:23:15	Stop increasing housing density in the city. Too many new apartments and townhouses and condos have ruined the city life and created these problems.
166	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	Single family home ownership in the Brookville-Seminary Valley has been impacted by numerous City/ACPS undertakings in the past couple of years - many of which went directly against the overwhelming voices against from many of us. Both the City and ACPS need to be more responsive and reconsider proposals taking into account we homeowners.
167	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 12:15:55	You should stop using our precious tax dollars to put in bike lanes. I STRONGLY disagree with any sort of housing colocation on school or park grounds! It is a terrible concept!! I am against this density program, especially now in a time of Covid. First solve the sewer system/flooding problems!
168	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 11:46:04	Storm water runoff problems
169	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	Nowhere in here does the city take into account the horrific lack of green space for residents. We need LESS PEOPLE in the city. Looser codes that allow basement apartments or letting rooms would be preferable to building all these units.
170	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 11:37:47	Do not put cost effective housing with schools. Consider buying landmark mall space to house a new high school.
171	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 10:42:33	School property should only be used for schools. Period. Find land somewhere else.
172	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Emminent domain. There is a significant amount of under used and under-developed land in the city, especially with the collapse of many retail stores in light of COVID-19. The city needs to take advantage of a potential decrease in prices and buy needed land to build another high school, particularly in the northeast area. We should not be co-locating a school with housing under any circumstances, particularly not the schools that are in the MIDDLE of single family housing neighborhoods (e.g., George Mason elementary). Why don't we stop giving out free food to people that don't need it, and stop paying nonessential teachers during a pandemic (e.g., gym teachers when kids are at home) and save that money!

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173	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	Fix sewage/plumbing/flooding issues and school maintenance before anything else.
174	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-07 09:41:05	new swimming pool
175	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 23:46:25	Time to think about adopting some virtual learning after covid to resolve school overcrowding. This isn't a problem we can afford to fully build our way out of amid other pressing demands in the city.
176	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 22:08:49	Need space on school property for students! For possible school expansion and open green space. No one should use school property for anything other than educational purposes for children.
177	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 21:54:40	Lower our taxes and fund more efficient ways of issuing tax payer money...don't pay the city manger Jinx so much money.
178	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	Hard to believe you can't meet the City's most urgent needs with a \$753.3 million annual budget. We don't need to consider additional needs if we can't even keep up with the current needs. If the mayor and city council would stop focusing on higher density, we wouldn't be in such a bind. The majority of Alex. citizens don't want to turn our beautiful old suburbs into walking cities. If we wanted to live in the city, we would move to D.C. or Old Town. Why do you insist on higher density when we don't want it and the mayor and city council are supposed to represent US, not what they want?
179	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 18:53:35	Stop building more housing and the population will plateau. Live within your means.
180	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	Co-locating Fire, Administrative Recreation fields and Administrative offices on sites of the current fire, administrative and Recreation properties. (preserve open space at all times. Also sondide potential expanded "needs" before new housing upzoning of development is approved. Stop wanting more than we can afford.
181	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 19:33:33	Look at long term pollution projection and plan larger school houses as higher density will require it, don't do what you did with TC and not plan ahead, do not give up space to affordable housing from our school property

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182	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	We need to gradually but measurably reduce the density that Alexandria is experiencing, the highest percentage anywhere in the state of VA. We must halt the rampant development and construction that is hurting our quality of life, property values, environmental quality, green spaces for recreation, and sustainability of our public services such as schools and public health services. We do not have room for more housing or offices of any kind, whether for low, medium or high incomes. Density makes us more vulnerable than ever to devastating threats such as floods, pandemics, and even such things as obesity as you threaten to pave over our few remaining green spaces. Look at the master plan we agreed to under VA law that promotes the fabric of our communities and a reasonable balance between environmental sustainability, social values, and prosperity. Your plan to build housing and other facilities on our precious few, and very beloved school grounds and recreational fields, thereby negating their value to the community, is foolhardy and extremely misguided, and your secretive methods for advancing these initiatives continue to instill the deepest distrust among a large base of your citizens. It seems there is no way to save our town from this except to have a wholesale turnover in City Council and City Planning representation, and many of us are hoping and praying for this on a daily basis. Your views are so entrenched and unmovable, it's unclear what exactly is driving you, and there is no hope of a reasonable debate and decision process from City leadership.
183	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 18:52:35	Overcrowding and budget availability. Sometimes status quo is the right answer.
184	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	Sewer backup and flooding management; high quality education for all students
185	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	We need to update current facilities WITHOUT changing the integrity of these properties and lands.
186	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 17:41:51	Do not put affordable housing on school sites. As a former public school teacher, I can tell you that most schools are BARELY under control most of the time. Throwing in a population with a high need level will add discipline challenges that most schools, especially principals and assistant principals are ill-equipped to meet. Teachers will need to spend even more non-existent planning time locking up valuable projectors and other instructional equipment at the end of the day, and then re-setting it all up in the morning. Teachers do not have support for the discipline challenges they currently face, without adding more of them.
187	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 16:58:08	Actually purchasing new property. It's a good investment and will never lose value
188	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	We need a regulation-length swimming pool and more pool capacity in general for lessons, teams, and fitness.
189	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 15:45:40	While I am a proponent of co-location of public services on a site (for example, a Community Rec Center combined with a school on the same site, or Campagna after-school services which are already offered), I do believe that we should be sensitive to the environment and context within the community. I am not opposed to co-location of affordable housing on school sites, however, the neighborhood context of the school site matters. In single-family neighborhoods, for example, there are other ways to remedy housing needs (such as changing zoning rules to allow for accessory dwelling units, which I know the city is already exploring) without adding multi-family buildings that are out of context with the architectural character of the neighborhood.

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191	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 14:59:18	Safety
192	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 13:05:46	protect and expand green space, wetlands, tree canopy; increase tree requirements on public and private lands
193	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:54:28	Quality education without overcrowding. Equity by allowing all children to reach their full potential.
194	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:42:23	raising taxes to fund our public services.
195	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Private public partnerships for affordable housing (e.g. churches with unused open space). Collocation needs to consider transportation and parking not just building space.
196	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:44:19	Do not support population growth. Growth is a threat to the environment. Use zoning to stop new construction.
197	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:41:12	stop building so much
198	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:37:29	You say we need more schools. Then why would you take away school space for housing? This makes no sense. We need school property to remain available for expansion.
199	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	This plan fails to address the fact that the City has approved the additional of housing -- private, rental and affordable -- without such planning, These decisions have created the "urgent" issues that were identified. I do not agree with the assessments of what is urgent, short or long term. In fact, there is little background on how these categories were arrived at. The presentation fails to address how the MARK Center or the give away that will be the new Tech Campus was factored in to these long terms plans. Further, I create surveys and the questions and responses are EXTREMELY LEADING and serve to seek validation of the "CONCLUSIONS" presented.
200	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:16:45	I do not think it's necessary for city employees to live in city boundaries. I commute to my job and many city jobs can be performed remotely. This seems a back door effort to justify developing every square inch of green space in the city. At some point, we just need to say that the current housing is all that we are willing to provide. We are not New York City. We should not have high levels of population density.

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201	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:01:38	They need to really consider the input from all of the residents.
202	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	Infrastructure that can accommodate growing student numbers. Infrastructure that addresses flooding in parts of the city.
203	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 12:06:02	They need to consider how dangerous it is to collocate housing and schools
204	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 11:57:16	Listen to the tax payers and the people who live in the affected neighborhood
205	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 11:52:49	The city should prioritize commercial development, not residential development. Commercial development provides important tax revenue with less stress on city services like education, police, and fire. If substantial residential development does take place (e.g., Landmark Mall), developers should be required to reserve a parcel for school/rec center/library. An exchange for most dense development (increased height) could be used to offset the loss of a parcel. The City should also prioritize transportation infrastructure improvements for cars. Bottlenecks like the intersection of Commonwealth Ave & Cameron St/Sunrise Dr, Russell Rd/Callahan & King Street; Braddock/King/Quaker can be unbearable when traffic is normal. Multimodal (bus, biking, walking) transportation improvements are important, but personal vehicle trips are necessary for most city residents to go to the grocery store, youth sport events, etc. and infrastructure is not keeping up with residential growth.
206	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 11:15:49	The environment, the tree canopy, storm water management
207	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	none that I know of
208	Open Question #10: What additional needs do you believe City and ACPS leadership should consider?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	The city should stop encouraging unabated development, which has caused some of these problems. Open space must be preserved, not developed. For school properties, open space should be incorporated into the STEM curriculum, not turned into more buildings. The city must certify that any refurb or new construction will not worsen the stormwater management problem that has caused extensive damage to public and private property. The city must eschew public-private partnerships that give access to public land for private profit.

The objective of the JFMP is to identify practical and cost-effective ways to address Alexandria's vast public facility needs. The community must be part of identifying solutions.

The planning team has brainstormed a list of ideas to explore in the next phase of this process:

- Reimagine underutilized sites
- Maximize public uses on existing sites
- Bring together multiple city services within public facilities
- Share school sites with other public uses
- Use urban design solutions – build up, build under, build over
- Explore public-private projects with developers
- Create joint facilities with nearby jurisdictions
- Explore smaller, mobile, and multi-purpose facilities to deliver services in new ways
- Prioritize sites that rely on multi-modal transportation
- Prioritize opportunities that efficiently solve multiple needs

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Q11 Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?

Answered: 174 Skipped: 145

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1	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-02 13:52:53	Overcrowding when we need social distancing
2	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-02 11:01:44	Consider not adding more density
3	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 21:24:05	No residential housing on school property. Just because someone wants to live in Alexandria does not mean that they can afford to OR THAT THE TAXPAPERS have an obligation to subsidize this unrealistic expectation.
4	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 18:08:30	Flexible sites that can be rapidly reconfigured as needs change (moveable walls, modular infrastructure). Maintaining existing and adding additional green space. Ensuring supporting infrastructure, such as sewage and flood mitigation, are developed to catch up with existing construction and expanded to keep ahead of future needs.
5	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	Evaluate current services, programs and physical assets to determine what is truly essential and being used and what can be eliminated. Without critically analyzing actual use, how does the city know whether existing services, programs and facilities may be a) underutilized, b) redundant or c) no longer needed? Given the pandemic, finances will be tight for the foreseeable future. So, limiting the growth of residential development (and the need for expensive services) — to the degree legally possible — should be the #1 goal. The State Water Control Board permits localities to strengthen stormwater management regulations if they suffer significant, recurrent flooding. Alexandria could use tighter stormwater regulation to restrict building footprints, reduce imperviousness, increase open space available to increase the tree canopy, all of which could also offer the side benefit of controlling population growth to a more manageable, sustainable level.
6	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 11:50:54	Allow for more telework to reduce some of the office space needs.
7	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 08:37:58	We should NOT share school sites with other public uses. This is a safety issue for children and liability issue for the city.
8	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	Stop approving additional housing. Our city clearly can not tolerate it due to storm water management problems and lack of school space. School additions could be built up (multiple floors).
9	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	Exercise eminent domain and seize Justin Wilson and City Manager Jinx's properties. That would be a good start.
10	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	Cap population growth. What good is a 30 year plan when you are not willing to develop a sustainable future where you will not always be trying to accommodate more and more people now and in 30 years. You admit population is the #1 driver. And why are you NOT pressuring your U.S. representatives to address this when 88% of population growth is from immigration and state to state migration?
11	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 22:10:55	Create more green spaces and large outdoor parks for current residents to enjoy.
12	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 20:06:14	Decrease density projects that put strain on existing services and facilities.

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13	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 18:54:31	Decrease development and slow population growth. School voucher system, which includes private schools and public/private schools in Arlington & Fairfax (regional solution).
14	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	Put a moratorium on new residential construction until infrastructure problems are fixed. Explore meaningful EARLY citizen involvement. Don't use loaded terms like "multi-modal" transportation" when half the city thinks its a code word for cutting out cars and listening solely to BPAC lobbyists. Do not "build up" in single family and low-rise neighborhoods. Look into more automation of simple tasks to cut city admin staff and thus office needs. Make the City Manager get out and meet the people.
15	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	Pursue housing on school property as an environmental construct and facilitate access to resources-gym, library, track, reduced parking, etc
16	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 11:01:02	No housing on ACPS sites!
17	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 09:49:50	Limiting growth so we do not outstrip resources until infrastructure can catch up.
18	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 09:49:05	Build to the block. Setbacks are too extreme. The George Washington middle school site could House a school twice as large or multiple schools for example. It should have been repurposed as a high school for example.
19	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 08:00:39	Not endangering children with housing on schools
20	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 22:07:36	Selling expensive historical buildings and moving to normal office buildings. I think libraries have a lot of dead space that could be used for computer stations, not books.
21	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	Do not share school sites. Limit density in city to make is sustainable now.
22	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	None. Keep school property for our children. The city can find their own land, and that land should be solely for taxpayers resources (office, etc.)
23	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:10:36	Schools are vacant in the summer. How could the schools be otherwise utilized? Major school maintenance should be completed during the summer months. Does building taller buildings make-up for limited land/property?
24	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 20:39:33	How about not trying to increase density and overdevelop this city. If you increase housing you increase demand for other services. Also, our parks are NOT empty space begging for development.
25	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	No urban design solutions that put housing on school grounds.
26	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 20:32:28	Enforcement of outside residents receiving an Alexandria education Eliminate additional large scale housing and table new construction projects until the school system can catch up on the problems they currently have before them.

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27	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:59:51	Fix the infrastructure before adding more strain to it (e.g., a sewage system that consistently floods people's homes should be prioritized over allowing more green space to be converted to asphalt or removed).
28	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	Ban co-location of housing on school sites. Rent apartment complexes in Prince George's County or Fairfax County and then sublease them to meet Alexandria's affordable housing commitments and let them build new units on their more ample land.
29	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:01:33	Flooding in houses
30	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 18:46:00	Multi-jurisdictional facilities and public-private partnerships
31	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 18:08:39	For departments that do not require public access, lease office space outside of Alexandria. Adult housing should not be co-located or share space with schools.
32	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 17:18:00	LESS DENSITY IN THE CITY!! Stop listening to COG to our city's detriment!
33	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 12:50:18	PPP, outsourcing, and co-location are fine ideas. Co-location needs to be managed - and messaged - well. You'd avoid 50% of the issues you run into if you just managed the message and controlled the roll-out of news.
34	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 12:46:22	Additional considerations should include prioritizing the safety of students.
35	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	ELIMINATE SOME OF THE ABOVE -- build up, under over - what, public facilities or shove more housing onto public land. NO to public-private partnerships that are just give-aways to developers. NO to "multi-modal transportation" if you mean taking away car lanes everyone needs for bike lanes serving under 1% of the population. NO if solving multiple needs means shoving more housing/apartments when our schools are overcrowded NOW - how can you solve overcrowding if you keep flooding the schools with more students???
36	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 11:07:56	integrate affordable housing into existing, in-development, and upcoming housing projects. ensure mixed income housing is allowed/provided throughout the city, in all neighborhoods through zoning policy and entitlement process. consider housing school programs in existing facilities - mixed with other uses that may support educational program - industry partnerships, etc.
37	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	I do not support sharing school sites with other public needs. We need to preserve the existing sites to build/increase capacity on them over the next 20 plus years. Imagine a fire truck pulling out while students are taking an exam and the distraction that occur or various disturbances that impact our children as a result of these other uses. Our schools need more green space, improved play areas and outdoor learning areas, especially now and for any future pandemic that may occur.
38	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 07:56:38	Keep in mind cost-effectiveness and environmental impact.
39	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 03:43:16	The city continues to push an Affordable housing scam under Alexandrian residents noses. The reason there currently is no affordable housing is because the city officials sold the properties that did house low income residents to developers. Stop trying to stuff more people in this city on the little public land left and "repurpose" public funded structures to accommodate low income housing. Also this survey is manipulating to try and convince people of your terrible ideas.

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40	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	Actually listen to residents and not simply do the bidding of an urbanists Mayor.
41	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 23:20:29	To minimize public facility needs, do not allow increased residential construction. Preserve public facilities particularly schools, which have been poorly maintained. Do not subsidize increased residential density in Alexandria.
42	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 22:49:41	Building near metro stops, rather than areas without where it gets too congested-- Van Dorn, Eisenhower, Braddock all have very little built around them versus in Arlington or other suburbs. All the development cant be at King Streer or Potomac Yard.
43	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 19:14:06	No co-locating schools with housing or other public uses.
44	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 18:09:39	Use the oval at chinquapin.
45	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	Remove from your list: "Explore public-private projects with developers" because this will no doubt mean tax schemes where the city will lose revenue in the long-run. Remove from your list: "Share school sites with other public uses. Leave the kids alone. Be "creative" in ways to raise revenue. Stop "deferring" and kicking problems down the road. Man-up.
46	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-26 10:18:14	Slow development.
47	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 20:00:20	Permits in some areas if homeowners wish to build small cottage for family members. Like Purpose built senior housing. Possible to add alleyways? Very handy. Require them in new developments. Multistory rather than townhouse?
48	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	1) Stop building unwanted bike lines. 2) Create a 100% online school system option, with in-person extra-curricular opportunities. 3) Stop creating more subsidized programs when the budget shortfall from COVID is still unknown.
49	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 10:53:42	We should not be sharing school sites for other public use. We already lack enough outdoor play space for our students and using the land for other public use will further limit and/or encroach on this important space for our youngsters.
50	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 08:42:02	Take a look at some private solutions. Specifically Bright Start at Cameron Station is effectively a school located with condo. Our community civic association came out in opposition too many of these ideas. Our community association stated many reasons why shared school use is not feasible but Bright Start with 6 classrooms counters every single argument our association tried to make. We need to think beyond traditional large schools. Spreading them out in small classrooms with shared parks to housing can solve numerous problems and reduce many of the infrastructure needs such as school buses, child care challenges.
51	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 21:31:21	Share school space, but not with housing for adults.

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52	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	Reduce administrative office space by implementing minimum telework requirements for departments and groups when the type of work they do will allow this. The goal here is to free up office space and perhaps whole buildings for other purposes, such as fire, police, library and school needs whenever possible. Simultaneously, convert standard workspaces (offices and cubicles) into shared workspaces (hoteling) when possible. Even the mayor's office should be included. This idea makes conference rooms, meeting spaces, and team rooms more important, so it will require a system for booking those spaces,...one that is user-friendly, reliable, and equitable; there are software programs that can handle this. Consider mandating solar power for all public facilities and dedicating cost savings (after the recovery of investments) to operational expenses for all city facilities, not just the ones with the solar equipment. The goal here is to reduce reliance on new tax revenue for maintenance and construction projects.
53	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	Get urban housing closer to population destinations.
54	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	Disagree with sharing school sites with public use
55	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:53:46	As I noted, please emphasize need for affordable housing for teachers and municipal employees. Demonstrate how we will have better emergency, fire and education services if we co-locate. There must be studies that demonstrate this in other communities.
56	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:42:00	Get over the idea that the City Government can have any impact on "the planet" and instead provide high quality, efficient services at low cost. Stop funding pet projects and stop letting the "planet savers" run the City. Stop densification. Stop taking away road lanes. Stop bike-and-bus worship. A smaller city government pollutes much less than a large one. Under no circumstances should the City put adult housing - public, green or otherwise - on school property. Do your job in the most narrow and efficient way. And also - after a few years in elected office - leave. Don't stay for decades. ACPS is bad enough without turning it into a housing project.
57	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	Consider the safety of vulnerable populations in the project i.e. not putting public health or housing facilities with school sites. In fact, the less shared spaces with schools, the better for safety of teachers and students. Joint fire/police stations- great idea. Rec center + mental health or drug rehab facilities = terrible. Police + City govt employees = good.
58	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	Think through housing at school sites. Any housing. How and who will regulate activities in those housing sites? Will people be allowed to drink? Can they have dogs? Can they own guns? Can they play loud music? Who will be responsible? The city? ACPS?
59	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 11:05:08	High school can be taught in shifts with overlap at lunch only.
60	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	The city should purchase or lease vacant office/retail space and use if for city services instead of building newer, taller, and densely populated sites. There is an over abundance of empty office and retail sites in this city that could be repurposed for housing, schools, libraries, and government offices without adding additional density. The city is already short of open/green/recreational spaces/tree canopy and it should be preserved.
61	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 12:57:09	Sites should combine city services, but only when it is not detrimental to the main use of the site
62	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 12:41:20	Some of these solutions look great on paper, but a much more intensive, comprehensive public feedback process needs to occur. Some of these policy directives are better suited for an election campaign than a City plan proposed by staff. Please rethink the process around how you are developing this Plan and give the public more opportunity to understand what you are actually planning. For example, "build up, build under, build over" has serious potential impacts for wastewater and flooding if pursued at all costs.

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63	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	Create virtual Libraries, hardcopy materials delivered via mobile vehicles. Have libraries colocated with schools.
64	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	For fire stations, make sure we are right sizing fire equipment, given narrow streets. Look at public private partnerships, that integrate market rate housing as well as AH, and commercial uses where appropriate.
65	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	Reduce the need for off-street parking to provide more space and reduce costs. Eliminate free employee parking and provide alternative compensation, benefits and TDM incentives. Price visitor parking where appropriate and alternatives exist. For parking that is needed, maximize shared parking with adjacent uses and, where available, use of on-street parking. Explore adaptive re-use of excess public and private parking. Explore use of I-395 and I-495 ROW in partnership with VDOT, including potential for creative air rights consideration. For example, just look at the enormous footprint of the King St interchange with I-395 - also potential opportunities with Shirlington interchange and Duke Street.
66	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	From the way I see it, no need to co-house additional services on school grounds. We need each and every square inch for our growing student population and open space on-site for students to play.
67	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-17 21:54:38	Repurpose underused locations, including small plots of vacant land.
68	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-17 19:47:53	Leverage technology to fill some of these needs. Think regional solutions first before city only solutions. Leverage new contacts with Amazon and Virginia Tech to help provide technological access to all citizens and school children in the region.
69	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	Density should be minimized, green space should be considered.
70	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-16 18:58:22	Stop building. Go back to basics and work on what we have. Improve school facilities. Improve roads so traffic flows better. Improve drainage so people's homes & cars don't flood. Maintain our parks. Take care of our trees. Stop approving new buildings.
71	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Again, joint facilities and co-location go hand in hand and must be considered in tandem. Based on considerations related to safety of children, the impact on the City's green building policy, increased parking demand/traffic, loss of outdoor play space, additional building height, school schedule impacts, loss of the ability for school expansion and cost impacts, the types of uses that might be appropriate for schools are (1) child day care facilities, (2) child after-school care programs, (3) community use of play space/fields on nights and weekends, (4) health clinics, (5) wellness centers, (7) libraries, (8) parks, (9) recreational programming/facilities, (10) police or sheriff substations or (11) other such similar public amenities or services. Applying these same considerations, it would not be appropriate to have any type of adult housing on school property.
72	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 20:47:48	Recreation centers and schools sharing sites makes sense. A joint pool with a private entity or neighboring jurisdiction makes sense. I don't agree that the number of single use sites should be reduced. Combining uses must make sense and serve the city strategically.
73	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 20:32:08	How about asking what we want off the table? You are asking questions to reach a desired outcome.
74	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 18:56:42	Remote educational and city services should be explored before expanding or remodeling current facilities.

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75	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 22:57:29	Storm water management
76	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 22:57:02	Emphasize carless transportation - this mode should be the most discouraged by new projects. Storm water management is also a priority
77	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	Preserve green space so that Alexandria remains a beautiful and healthy place to live. The above list makes me think of Tysons Corner or Rosslyn.
78	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	1. There is little support in this community for the concept of locating housing or any other adult facility on school property. In our twenty years in Alexandria, we don't remember any city issue as controversial or as unpopular at this. 2. Any major decisions should be based on post-Covid assessments and should be widely supported by the community. It is important that there be a general consensus -- that had always been the "Alexandria way."
79	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space. Buy more property
80	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 20:11:36	Create a sustainable, positive environmental impact. Clean energy, sustainable solutions
81	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	Build affordable housing within walking distance of a Metro station. And for that matter, any dense housing development should be planned around access to the Metro. This will cut down on a need for cars. Explore innovative, creative ways to use the now empty Landmark Mall space.
82	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	The City and ACPS should look to areas of the City where there is available land and buildings that are being torn down, e.g., the former Landmark Mall. Using parks and other already over-subscribed green/open space at existing school sites to build housing is not appropriate and is detrimental to the citizens who live near those locations (more crowding, more traffic, more congestion, less space for children to play in an open setting, etc.). Furthermore, as a result of COVID-19, citizens want and need even more open space and less density in public settings. This "new normal" will likely continue for many years as we can expect, and need to prepare for, possible pandemics and public health crises in the future that will require us to maintain safe distances and open spaces. Schoolyards and City parks are critical to families who need open space for their children. Cramming in more housing would lead to even more crowding and the need for additional classrooms and public services. Where would it end? We cannot solve for demand by increasing demand, yet the plan would create that demand. The statements in support of the plan are premised on circular logic. The core assumption underlying the JFMP is that there will be substantially increased housing, population, and density in the City, and that will increase the demand for public services, and thus the City and ACPS must increase housing, population, and density in the City—even though there is finite space available for development—to meet that increased demand for public services. However, adding large amounts of new housing, creating a substantial influx of new residents, and increasing density and congestion would exacerbate the existing challenges in delivering public services and adequate facilities. The plan would create the very types of demand that it proposes to then meet.
83	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 12:54:20	Use empty office space that is plentiful in the city. Fix the existing schools.
84	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	Citizens have strongly stated that we do not want share school sites with other public uses. You need to listen to your residents. Update the schools to handle the growth, but only support students. Then go to the developers and large business owners. Landmark Shopping Mall is a large tract of land that is easy access from bus and cars which will serve a large portion of your residents.
85	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	public facilities need to have a longer life span, that means new facilities must include the full life cycle cost; ACPS is notorious for underfunding the maintenance of new facilities--if they even know them--thereby reducing the life of facilities.

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86	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 11:12:29	Let's quit promoting so much growth. We aren't trying to become the next New York City. Let's start planning to minimize growth and break the vicious circle of approving growth and then worrying about how to provide the resources to support the growth. Let's start thinking about living within our means. Just because money can be made by cramming more people into less space makes it a good long term strategy. I don't see anything in your thinking about how we manage growth. With birth rates down and the potential movement out of the cities with the revelation that a lot of remote work will continue as the new normal, this may not be that hard of problem to manage.
87	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 09:17:08	Repurpose vacant office (or other) buildings for city needs. (Leave school properties for school use only.)
88	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 06:15:55	What does reimagine underutilized sites even mean? It could mean anything, literally. I can't give ideas without more specifics.
89	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 05:57:53	STOP THIS INSANE OVERDEVELOPMENT OF MASS HOUSING!! Leave it alone, and work on the flooding issues.
90	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	Get a city council that wants to work and support current residents and not a council that wants to constantly build more dwellings and create a need for more services.
91	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	Sharing school sites with other public uses would be anathema to residents living around the school and would be cruel to the children attending the school and/or living in the area. The green spaces around schools is critical to a healthy and vibrant neighborhood. More than ever, children need these open spaces to run and play safely. As our society shifts to more people working remotely and the likelihood that office buildings will likely lose occupants, the City and ACPS should consider consolidating some public offices to fewer buildings and then using the vacant buildings for other public uses. Many Alexandria residents are distrustful of the City's mayor and council members who have been promoting increased density and population and the use of school sites to build more housing. The non-transparent manner in which these concepts have been developed has further eroded trust by the citizens. The minimal amount of time offered for public comment has been insulting to the community and gives the appearance that many things have already been decided. This very survey is worded in an overly broad manner that does not clearly state what is being planned. For example, stating that affordable housing would be co-located on same sites as public facilities does not make clear that you are planning to put high-occupancy housing on school sites. This survey needs to be redone to clearly state your intentions. Furthermore, there needs to be much more time for public comment and not simply lip service – at least 90 days.
92	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 19:56:13	Schools and housing do not belong together. Schools need green space, and room to grow.
93	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 19:40:55	Maintain the culture of Alexandria, as a medium-sized community.
94	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 17:46:53	Only school related uses should be on school grounds. HOUSING IS NOT school related -- teachers do NOT need to be on school property period.
95	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	None of these will help unless the overall push for ever increasing density is reversed. These are phrases that are filled with trendy jargon that do not go to the heart of the issue.

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96	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 13:37:35	Co-location with school sites seems like an absolute no-brainer for me. I'd point out the McKenna Center at Gonzaga in Washington, DC as a brilliant opportunity for school aged boys to better the community. It also provides them a better perspective on their own life experiences. The Patrick Henry site also illustrates how well this can work. Keeping a site active and vibrant during more hours outside of the school day provides numerous benefits to surrounding neighborhoods.
97	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 05:55:51	Valuing green space and our history. Be creative with affordable housing, but NOT on school property. Make use of existing space - like Landmark Mall.
98	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 21:15:51	Do not place housing on public school grounds
99	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 18:04:33	1. Reduce the size and buildings of our police force to save money and repurpose those buildings for school space, affordable housing, or other services the community relies on. 2. The risk of fires has done down significantly over the past 40 years. We should reduce our spend on firestations, not upgrade them (unless they are increasing the locations they serve). 3. If affordable housing is located on site with our schools, prioritize tenants who are teachers and families who have school age children (to reduce commuting time to school which would reduce bus routes) and allow them to purchase vs. rent their apartments. 4. End residential assignment in our elementary schools. Rather than having boundaries define who goes to which elementary school, allow parents to choose the school closest to them or the one they prefer and can travel to most easily. 5. Rent out school fields during non-school hours to local recreational leagues during non-school hours to support funding for school projects.
100	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 17:14:38	No co-location of any kind of housing on school grounds.
101	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 09:05:31	New buildings should be of the highest energy efficiency and also allow for expansion.
102	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 08:05:02	With Covid there is very likely to be a change in office space needs. Hold off 12-18 months until these things shake out. Also talk with business. I.e large office buildings to see what they plan. There are like to be more vacant office space that can be retrofitted. Look at the office buildings in mark center that are vacant. Also. Green space. And by green space I mean large spaces for families and children to play. Not a 30 by 30 spot of grass. If you want kids to stay out of trouble they need space to gather and play. Otherwise they gather and spoke and drink. Each new development must include a large space like football field size space with open space.
103	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	Keep school land for school use. Find other ways for affordable housing and protect school property to build/rebuild for growing enrollment. Not logical to decrease school property to assist in affordable housing. Not where density is needed. Find other options for housing and keep school property for schools and their open space.
104	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 05:59:25	Purchase or use under utilized commercial/ industrial space
105	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 23:25:46	Do not put housing on school property. Kids need open space, we are already over capacity in the schools, and I sure as hell don't want my teenager daughter at a school where people live. Who is going to background check the tenants and all their guests?
106	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	Save green space and do not overbuild. Be very cautious about destroying green space. Consider the unique characteristics of each neighborhood.
107	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	Stop the overdevelopment that is causing many of the current problems: overcrowded schools, traffic-clogged roads, flooding of roads, businesses and homes, and the disappearance of open, green space and trees, to name a few.

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108	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:30:35	Look at examples of co-location in other urbanized areas and explain that is the new model (not a suburban model typically found here). Stop providing free parking to ACPS employees. Provide state-of-the art recreational facilities and libraries, co-located with schools.
109	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 16:20:34	Stop new construction - at least the massive projects - until the city gets sewers, roads, overcrowded schools, and other basic quality of life things under control
110	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 16:13:12	I do not agree with sharing school sites with other public uses. Children need to be outside and have a safe space to run, exercise and release energy. Many of the schools in Alexandria have large open spaces that are used by students during the day and the rest of the community in the evenings and on weekends. School playgrounds are used 7 days a week, soccer is held in the fields, baseball practice on the diamonds, etc. Taking this space away from our children to share with other services not only decreases their ability to exercise it also poses a security risk. Sharing their sites with other groups will bring unknown individuals closer to the schools and increase the chances of an intruder entering the buildings. This needs to be rethought.
111	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 14:55:26	look at leasing/purchasing unused and vacant commercial space for use as sites for city services
112	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 14:24:26	reimagine underutilized space and explore public private partnerships. too many developers have entered Alexandria with not enough required of them via proffers, etc
113	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 13:49:29	Explore how to repurpose/retrofit existing buildings if there is not land for new construction
114	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	Cost. Make the private developers pay for extra public infrastructure burden.
115	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 12:21:52	Think of ways to use/update existing structures without destroying more natural space (i.e. fields, parks, trees)
116	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	I think help people find affordable housing. I know a lot of hard working families (including myself) that we make good money but not enough to afford to live in the city. Rent is too high, and we do not qualify for assistance. We are being forced out of the city for not being poor enough and not making enough to afford rent. Offer rental properties incentives for renting to City and school employees, and not raise their rent every year!!!! Make rental properties affordable to city and ACPS employees and not push them to live outside of Alexandria, we are taxpayers, and yet we cant afford to live in the city we work in!!!! The "affordable" housing for sale is usually disgusting, fixer uppers, in bad communities, give us more options and
117	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	Look at older, run-down areas and determine which ones could be used for new facilities. Then hold a drawing to see which ones get used in a priority order (e.g., #1 goes first).
118	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:12:37	DO NOT UTILIZE IUR SCHOOL PROPERTIES FOR THE CO-LOCATION OF HOUSING!
119	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	Use existing building to build up higher. Do not take up more land. Just build up.

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120	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 10:34:49	Affordable housing in school property is a no go. Paving over playing fields to build giant schools and apartment buildings is ridiculous and short-sighted. You would be better off putting housing on the giant medians on Commonwealth Blvd than co-opting the playing fields and woods at George Mason, for example.
121	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	Instead of supporting overbuilding in our city by privat developers which is currently the case, the city should purchase and repurpose some buildings or use that space to build more facilities instead of destroying green spaces. The Landmark mall would have been a perfect example and could have temporarily also used to create swing space while schools are being renovated. Further, part of the teaching/work could be done virtually. Many companies are downsizing their offices because employees telework at least part of the week. Office spaces can be shared. The same principle could be used for the government making existing space more efficient.
122	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:49:05	Stop density efforts and new housing
123	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	Limit development and raise taxes.
124	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:16:45	Larger buildings and denser areas of development. Alexandria has so many low rise buildings that do not efficiently use space.
125	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	Develop diverse methods of delivering public instruction to make construction of out-of-date unaffordable school buildings. If Pennsylvania can do it, so can we.
126	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 20:44:45	Resources are strained due to over-population. Large apartment buildings (rentals and condos) should no longer be built, and even small apartment buildings should not be placed on city properties. Cut back on population growth so that resources and facilities can catch up.
127	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Co-location on public school open space and playgrounds should be prevented!
128	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	Go back to the drawing board and strike collocation of facilities with school. SCHOOL LAND SHOULD REMAIN SOLELY FOR SCHOOLS.
129	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	Don't build housing on school property. It is a very bad concept.
130	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Who decides what is underutilized? Parks shouldn't be used for schools, except for students to visit. City leaders struggle trying to bring together city services. Brainstorm but don't dream. Look at options for action based on existing funds. Don't suggest new taxes.
131	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 17:36:53	Look at Landmark for an additional school space: elementary, middle, and a satellite high school campus. Use of empty office buildings, for other city services. Use satellite offices, if necessary.
132	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 17:32:23	Education vouchers for students to attend private schools or neighboring cities/counties.

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133	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	Stop development. Period. We don't need more residents. We don't want to become a dense urban environment.
134	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:16:43	I don't appreciate the vague bullet points listed above. If ACPS truly wants public feedback it should be more specific and direct about what is being proposed.
135	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:04:40	Merge city services with Arlington and/or Fairfax County.
136	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	No housing on school property.
137	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 13:27:03	STOP expansion, especially density based
138	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	The opinions, preferences and recommendations homeowners and citizenry of this City.
139	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 12:15:55	Don't even think about colocating apartments on any park or school grounds!
140	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	Loosen restrictions for private homeowners to have basement apartment, lodgers, etc, don't build high rises, we need green space not ruined neighborhoods.
141	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Emminent domain. There is a significant amount of under used and under-developed land in the city, especially with the collapse of many retail stores in light of COVID-19. The city needs to take advantage of a potential decrease in prices and buy needed land to build another high school, particularly in the northeast area. We should not be co-locating a school with housing under any circumstances, particularly not the schools that are in the MIDDLE of single family housing neighborhoods (e.g., George Mason elementary). Why don't we stop giving out free food to people that don't need it, and stop paying nonessential teachers during a pandemic (e.g., gym teachers when kids are at home) and save that money!
142	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 10:20:19	Preserve Green Space!!
143	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	Put green space/fields on top of school buildings. Utilize empty office space (like the empty building on Eisenhower Avenue) for school, city office or affordable housing. Empty retail space in and around Old Town can be used for city office and satellite school space. A lot of businesses have closed this year.
144	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 22:46:54	Do we need as many offices? Can more people work from home?
145	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 21:54:40	Lower taxes so it's more affordable to live here. At this rate city taxes will outpace my monthly mortgage.

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146	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	First and foremost, do NOT share school sites with other public buildings. Keep existing greenspace at all costs; once it's gone, it's gone forever. Has COVID taught you nothing about the importance of greenspace and the unimportance (i.e., horrors) of high-density??
147	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	Have expanded city employees work from home and @desk" share at facilities this reducing administrative square footage needs. Put mid rise administrative office atop parking areas for soccer and other. Eliminate paid parking for all employees except safety and fire employees. Re-institute real location development proffeds for sites before approval progress process - require land swapping not. Unrealistic minimal "contribution that only fund stop-gap solutions.
148	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 19:33:33	Leave school property alone, use it only for schools
149	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	You should consider removing all of these ideas from your planning process. All of these ideas result in unsustainable density and will set off the domino effects of an over-urbanized environment with too great a population to be sustained in the space we have. None of the above, please. Make modest renovations to existing schools if enrollment is growing. But please stop adding to our residency levels - we can't handle it, whether it be yet another eyesore luxury high rise in Old Town or something else. We. Don't. Have. Room. You already destroyed the Rte 1 corridor, I guess the rest of the city will always remain at risk in your hands.
150	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 18:52:35	Do not approve additional house projects. This will keep the population at a manageable number, preserving green spaces and older buildings and older handicapped residents.
151	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	Protect parks, trees, and natural resouces so the quality of life and environment will be maintained for all residents.
152	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	Build affordable housing in areas not connected to schools! Especially elementary schools. Leave the green space alone ! Look at Eisenhower Ave area and across from Potomac Yards-Swann Ave.
153	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 18:01:05	Stop allowing such fast and sprawling development. If large developments are approved, co-locate affordable housing there.
154	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 17:41:51	This seems like a lot of bureaucratic gobbledygook. DO NOT PUT other facilities on school sites. Kids need green space for play and mental health, as do neighbors who may walk and bring their pets their. Put affordable housing near Metro stations, so job seekers who lack cars can access a wider range of employment possibilities.
155	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 16:58:08	You should not consider co locating housing on school property
156	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	Consider zoning changes to allow more flexibility with single-family home sites. Our city has become more urban and less suburban, and we need to accept that reality and make decisions accordingly regarding affordable housing, roads and transportation, etc.
157	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 15:45:40	Share school sites with other public uses WITHIN THE CONTEXT of the neighborhood. A community rec center fits more within the context of a single-family neighborhood than does a multi-story apartment/commercial building.
158	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 15:00:35	Eliminate wasteful programs to reduce the need for revenue.

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160	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:54:28	We need adequate tax revenue to meet the needs of the city, even if that means raising taxes. I don't think we should just be putting bandaids on the problems
161	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:42:23	Raise taxes.
162	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Public private partnerships with churches and non-profits
163	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:44:19	None of these ideas will slow or cap population growth. Focus on the root cause of the issues.
164	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:41:12	Our schools are overcrowded. Stop building more housing until the schools can handle the increased population of students.
165	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:37:29	You did not set this up to really get feed back. You are just pretending to want feedback.
166	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	I do not agree with the sharing of school sites for other public services. There is not one city in the US that does that -- with the excpetion of an indian reservation We need to ensure that we do not mix these apples and organges EXPECIALLY as schools are located in neighborhood settings and do not have the capacity to support any growth that is not directly supporting education. I do think the MARK Center acquistion and Tech Center should have incorporated the needs for city services.
167	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	Eliminate unnecessary spending such as redoing streets to accommodate bike lanes or reduce traffic lanes.
168	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:57:16	Maintain existing open spaces. Do not sacrifice them for this dubious plan
169	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:42:56	I agree with the use of urban design solutions. Though relocation of individuals in the short term could be an aspect of this it would afford the city the opportunity to incorporate city services, affordable housing, etc. into larger high rises with in the city and if done correctly would not take away the aesthetics of the historical architecture. Additionally, taking away green space is a dangerous proposal. With childhood obesity becoming an epidemic all its own, the need for safe, large green spaces for children to play in is exponentially increased.
170	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:15:49	Sharing school sites with other public uses such a housing should be an absolutely last resort. students need green space around schools and school should be insulated from outside interests
171	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	making developers pay more for the impact of the changes they make, rather than granting them more and more accommodation (e.g., reduced parking) to encourage even further development

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172	Open Question #11: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	Slow population growth. Do not allow 244-unit buildings to be turned into buildings with more than 750 units, which then strain schools, First Responders, etc. Acquire or lease vacant office property and turn that into schools or other city services. With the Covid-induced increase in telework, which likely will continue beyond the pandemic, the price of existing commercial real estate should drop. Ask Amazon to contribute to upgrading ACPS STEM facilities and instruction (which should produce a tax write-off for the company).

The objective of the JFMP is to identify practical and cost-effective ways to address Alexandria's vast public facility needs. The community must be part of identifying solutions.

The planning team has brainstormed a list of ideas to explore in the next phase of this process:

- Reimagine underutilized sites
- Maximize public uses on existing sites
- Bring together multiple city services within public facilities
- Share school sites with other public uses
- Use urban design solutions – build up, build under, build over
- Explore public-private projects with developers
- Create joint facilities with nearby jurisdictions
- Explore smaller, mobile, and multi-purpose facilities to deliver services in new ways
- Prioritize sites that rely on multi-modal transportation
- Prioritize opportunities that efficiently solve multiple needs

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Answered: 185 Skipped: 134

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1	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-02 13:52:53	How are Covid 19 needs being addressed?
2	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-02 11:01:44	Can the City really handle the additional density
3	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 18:08:30	Making sure the must-have is distinguished from the nice-to-have, to ensure new facilities are affordable. Allocating money for upkeep on existing facilities before things are too broken to fix and have to be completely replaced: maintenance delayed is more expensive in the long run.
4	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	Cost-benefit analysis, fiscal impact analysis, environmental impact analysis (with climate change and the urban heat island effect built into the analysis), cost of community services analysis. People are expensive. The more you have, the more you spend. With Alexandria's limited space and finite revenue to meet competing needs, finding ways to conserve resources will be key.
5	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 11:50:54	If at all possible, do not force decisions on colocation before the plan is complete and the public has had an opportunity to weigh in on it. The master planning process should be finished prior to collocating services, even if that means that some sites set for modernization are left unconsidered.
6	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 09:48:31	Consider changes in the environment that are happening faster than ever before.

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7	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 09:04:29	It would be easier to answer this question if potential evaluation strategies were listed.
8	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 08:37:58	The most important consideration is co use of school grounds. The city must maintain outdoor recreation and play space as well as safety. School property considered for co location must meet a higher level of scrutiny than for other city property.
9	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	The city can not provide everything residents might want. We live in an expensive city and the United States is full of cheaper living options.
10	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	The ability to be objective, and stop hiding agendas.
11	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	Quality of life. How much are you forcing people to accept in a diminished quality of life to accommodate bigger and more of everything? Yes, repair existing infrastructure and find creative ways to better use it, but stop building. Are you only concerned with the amount of physical space people can stand in? or actually live in? What about biodiversity? Where are those in your plan?
12	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 22:10:55	The current residents should be the priority above the idea of increasing residents and increasing low income residents that will require more services in the future.

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14	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 18:54:31	Cost, schedule, & performance, or phrased differently: budget, value, and customer satisfaction.
15	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	Will they maintain and enhance the quality of life and the environment in the city.
16	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	Common good Good of students Well-being of faculty near worksite
17	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 11:01:02	No Housing On School Sites!
18	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 09:49:50	The most important consideration is to meet the needs of the current residents. Any new development must pay the full costs of additional infrastructure needed to accommodate the new growth.

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20	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 08:41:18	Slowing growth and density would solve many problems
21	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 22:57:50	maximizing every tax dollar
22	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 22:07:36	You should think about redesigning services too—not just libraries for books but for computer access.
23	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	What are the problems we are trying to solve and where are the needs and opportunities to address the problem. Then how do we identify alternatives to formulate to address that original problem.
24	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	Focus on students first. Make sure that our schools are adequate, do not add housing and make sure the exterior green space meets or exceeds the ratios need for play before any FAR increase is considered for a non educational purpose.

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26	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:12:24	Not place services for adults in schools. Schools should be focused on children's education. Group services for adults in other public buildings.
27	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:55:02	The serious dislike of the apparent transparency and involvement in how the city develops that residents have and deep mistrust that outside interests have more input than those who live here.
28	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:39:33	You can't take this large city & apply uniform urban density to the whole place.
29	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	By consulting the community using real outreach that is actually intended to take the community's views into account.
30	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:32:28	Density of the city is compromising the integrity and safety of our children. Overcrowded schools are leaving children already behind. Fix what problems are current before contributing to the problem by giving developers more money and bringing more residents in.

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32	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 19:50:13	Share school sites with other public uses, Prioritize opportunities that efficiently solve multiple needs
33	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	Use all available school land for green space or the construction of more schools so that no High School has more than 1,000 students and no middle school more than 600.
34	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 19:01:33	They shouldn't. The project is a waste.
35	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 18:46:00	creating modern facilities that function for the purpose intended.
36	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 18:08:39	Use urban design solutions – build up, build under, build over Explore public-private projects with developers Create joint facilities with nearby jurisdictions

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38	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 15:06:52	Save the George Mason Elementary school green space (one of the only left in the city). Scratch the idea of housing attached to schools (especially affordable housing...workforce housing as a possibility but only if the proper survey work were to be done on who in the Alexandria workforce (teachers, firefighters, police officers, etc...) would actually want to live in such housing.
39	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 12:46:22	Safety of students and preservation of playground and park space, including fields for sports.
40	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	SLOW GROWTH so we can FIX our INFRASTRUCTURE problems. If you keep the tap open you will NEVER catch up.
41	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 11:07:56	equity
42	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	I would STRONGLY urge the planning team to evaluate the impact building other types of services on school property will have on our children and their learning environment. We already have significant issues due to overcrowding and a lack of actual classroom space in some schools. The most important thing to consider is the public education this city can provide for our children. We owe it to them to ensure that is available. The City is intent on building a model that does not appear to keep this at the heart of the discussion.

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44	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 07:56:38	Residents will appreciate good stewardship of the resources the city already owns.
45	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 03:43:16	They shouldn't. Please drop the project.
46	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	you just said limited space for current population and land is expensive so why are we taking space on school grounds to build affordable housing.
47	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 23:20:29	Preserving green space and protecting and serving the needs of Alexandria's current residents and property owners. (We can build new bike lanes. but we cannot pick up yard trash and remove mold from elementary schools?)
48	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 22:49:41	Safety of the primary users (ie students), congestion and environmental impacts to the current site

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50	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 18:09:39	If there is to be co-location on school property, add a second school.
51	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	- Stop making decisions behind closed doors before you ask for citizen input. How many developers have you talked to before you got to this stage? - Be creative in finding revenue. Do <i>*not*</i> give one more tax break to one more developer.
52	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-26 10:18:14	Look at the current numbers in the schools. The classrooms are so full that if and when we return in person, there is absolutely no way to social distance.
53	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-25 20:00:20	Slid development until you can get traffic and infrastructure under control.
54	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	Safety. Liveability. Equal justice. Ecological impact—green roofing, green permeable asphalt, walkability to schools & essential shopping.

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55	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-25 10:53:42	Use common sense and imagine how the taxpayers feel who are being asked to pay for your resume-building projects.
56	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 21:31:21	Take a look at successes in other areas and see what can be scaled up or down.
57	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	Risk to children.
58	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	Look at all of them. Dedicate a senior staff person (such as the Vice Mayor) with enough authority and some experience with capital improvement projects to determine whether the idea is good enough to merit further evaluation. This is a rough red/green light determination. Post all the ideas to the public JFMP site and post all the red/green light decisions in list. If an idea is green, give it the support it needs, whether that's a person or a small team to further determine feasibility. Continue to post the status of all those ideas, even if the team determines they are not feasible. ALWAYS SHARE EVERYTHING; we are usually scared of blowback, but I suggest that sunshine keeps us all on track. If someone/a member of the public objects to a red light decision, they need to provide a feasible alternative: forced refinement of all ideas. And that refined idea goes back into the honner
59	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	Safety on roads and reducing the need for cars is a critical metric.
60	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 15:53:46	Be transparent to the residents and evaluate priorities based on greatest need that will have highest social impact

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61	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	Efficiency, quality, small-size - and school safety. Stop densification and the worship of so-called "affordable housing." Leave us alone.
62	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	SAFETY. SAFETY. SAFETY. Particularly for children and seniors.
63	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 11:05:08	Stop destroying limited green space, Eco City Alexandria!
64	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	Preserve our already limited open space by building up and not out. The city must stop approving additional new housing or the problem will continue to worsen.
65	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 12:57:09	These strategies should work within city's budget without raising taxes on residents, fit into the character of existing neighborhoods, preserve natural resources and open/green space, located near public transportation sites/routes.
66	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 12:41:20	When combining sites, they should be items that make sense together.

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67	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	These should all be part of your public survey, to see if residents actually agree with the assumptions and recommendations behind these policy pursuits. Please amend the survey and include this list, so the public can actually weigh in. Also, please revise recommendations to more accurately reflect the 200+ comments from the February 2020 open house at TCW. There is clearly a will to preserve green space/park space and avoid non-core uses for ACPS sites. This plan does not reflect these community values.
68	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	Useful to consider processes - can they be adjusted to accommodate change? Also consider Organizational Structure, do they need adjustment in order to accommodate change? What is your criteria to rank priorities within a Needs Category? Are new schools built in newer neighborhoods? If not parents with children will seek homes where the schools are currently located. Co-locate recreational facilities with schools.
69	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	City wide needs, and efficiency. Do not allow neighborhoods to stop needed facilities. Add committed affordable housing in places where it does not exist.
70	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	Opportunity to build up near transit stations and high-capacity transit corridors
71	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-20 21:02:08	1. Look for models of the various options listed, in other US cities, and see how they are managing their urban space. 2. Don't commit to a particular plan until a specific space is given a trial run to see how it might work.
72	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-17 19:47:53	Use what the city has before trying to buy more land.

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73	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	Increased effectiveness of current services. Published cost-benefit analyses for all public sector acquisitions and projects. Incorporate environmental factors in every single proposed solution and make them important considerations. Include safety considerations as well which should outweigh cost factors.
74	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 18:58:22	To actually listen to what the citizens tell you
75	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	The impact to the current residents is the most important. Listen to the citizens of Alexandria.
76	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:04:47	Protect the very limited land that ACPS has left. Do not place permanent facilities on school land that will hinder the possibility of future educational needs of our children.
77	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 14:24:16	Sharing school sites with appropriate uses such as (1) child day care facilities, (2) child after-school care programs, (3) community use of play space/fields on nights and weekends, (4) health clinics, (5) wellness centers, (7) libraries, (8) parks, (9) recreational programming/facilities, (10) police or sheriff substations or (11) other such similar public amenities or services.
78	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-14 20:47:48	The priority should be to meet school capacity needs, in safe and strategic ways.

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79	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-14 20:32:08	We need to preserve the charm of this city. We need green space and we need places for kids to play and people to enjoy living. We need to stop creating a heat island and create a city that works for its citizens. Do not create places that are nothing more than a concrete jungle. Very minimal colocalization should occur at school sites. We trust the city with our children. We can only have sites that limit access to children when we are not supervising them, as parents.
80	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-14 19:38:59	What is the best value to the city? What provides flexibility long-term? (I question the public-private partnership idea.)
81	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-14 18:56:42	Need and want vocalize by citizens. A bottom up strategy, instead of top down.
82	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 22:57:29	School capacity and multi modal transportation in areas that need work (landmark, etc), is very vital and a must.
83	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 22:57:02	Equity, including an environmental and racial justice lens
84	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	The most important consideration is "will it fly with City residents." Colocating housing on school sites is a hard no from City residents. Many other suggestions by City staff will not be heard if colocating housing is on the page.

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85	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	Wait until Covid passes to see how the world looks. Keep in mind it is possible a Biden Administration will slash Pentagon spending - which will directly impact use of commercial space in our City, and numerous residents.
86	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space.
87	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 20:11:36	Make sure you do not sacrifice public access for developer dollars. We want things that are long term and sustainable. I understand it needs to be feasible. Do not reduce the limited green space that exists within Alexandria
88	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	Many people move to Alexandria, and stay here, for its schools and because it is a good place to raise kids. Keep that in mind as you make plans. Safe neighborhoods, places to play and ride a bike, nature trails and outdoor space, all while being in close proximity to the cultural offerings of DC. Let's not jeopardize that. I say all these things as someone without children -- but I know that considering the needs of children are critical to making a good city.
89	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	The plan must incorporate the overwhelming number of public comments submitted at the February 13, 2020 open house at T.C. Williams High School opposing (1) colocation of housing and other non-core uses for ACPS sites; (2) increased densification (which would be in violation of the City's Master Plan); and (3) failure to protect open and green spaces, including environmental critical urban forest and our precious tree canopy (which would disregard the City's own guidelines).
90	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 12:54:20	Our children and their safety.

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91	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	Listen to your residents. Listen to your neighborhoods.
92	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	True cost--each options has to be evaluated so the true costs are known and funding is secure throughout the life of the project--not just the up front cost.
93	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 11:12:29	The most important consideration is maintaining our quality of life. At some point we have to consider what makes Alexandria a great place to live. It's two major attributes: 1) our proximity to the Nations Capital and 2) our small town community environment. Maintaining this should be our main focus. We don't need to grow by 1% per year. We don't need to grow at all. Let's focus on catching up with what we need to support the population we have and quit approving more growth within Alexandria City. There is no more room for wider streets to accommodate more cars and more sewer treatment and more landfills and more recycling facilities. Focus on maintaining and modernization not growth.
94	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 06:15:55	The most important aspect is to keep government costs low and residents tax burden at a minimum.
95	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	These are not strategies but a list of additional building possibilities. You are not working for the citizens of Alex. but for a "created population" that current residents are paying for.
96	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	The planning team should take additional time to evaluate current and projected office space usage in the City of Alexandria. For example, Crystal City has not had full building occupancy for many years and there could be opportunities there. Similarly, there are likely many office buildings throughout Alexandria that may reduce the number of inhabitants or possibly close due to continuation of remote working. Any proposal that could lead to major changes to zoning and potentially drastic alterations to the planning and design of City facilities should be more openly discussed with adequate public comment periods. If a decision is made to pursue, it should be subject to a City Council vote. Of paramount importance, the planning team should avoid any consideration of existing parks, tree canopy, and green space at current school sites for building housing.

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97	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 19:56:13	Stop making plans without resident input. Putting housing on Minnie Howard campus---bad idea. Plan for healthy schools, with environments our children can learn and grown in, in a healthy manner. Not with mold, lead, rodents, bugs, falling apart buildings with ceiling tiles that are gross.
98	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 19:40:55	The effects they might have on Alexandrians ability to live in a safe city. For example, not a repeat of closing the low-cost housing facilities in Old Town, only to have residents move to the West End - thereby increasing crime, nuisance, and disfunction.
99	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	Proper education is the goal; none of these potential strategies enhance that. the consideration is hirim\ng (and hence, paying) for better teachers, cut back on other extraneous wastage, and cut back on administrators' salaries.
100	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 05:55:51	No affordable housing should be built on school property.
101	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 21:15:51	Do not place housing on public school grounds
102	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 18:04:33	Our city has a negative past when it comes to segregation, systemic racism, and continue inequity. We are in a great position to address many of these issues because of our socio-economic diveristy in Alexandria and should focus on how we improve equity and provide access to the best schools to kids and families who have been historically disadvantaged. We have an obligation to do this for our community. Equity should be the priority. Financial solvency for the city without raising taxes should be a priority.

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104	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 16:36:32	Definitely a multi-pronged approach is needed. Please consider the impact on existing neighborhoods. Can a neighborhood handle more density - in terms of cars, public transport. In North Ridge, streets are narrow, parking is limited and public transportation is minimal, but there is a suggestion to substantially increase density there? Not good. As density increases, the need to expand schools increases, too. Schools always seem to be an afterthought.
105	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 09:57:52	A vision for our future that considers the needs of the schools and city infrastructure, AS WELL AS the surrounding neighborhoods.
106	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 09:05:31	The City needs to take care of its current residents and housing before building new.
107	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	What are residents saying? Are you hearing us? Build out schools on school property, not affordable housing. Kids first. Not every piece of land in Alexandria should have a building on it!
108	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 05:59:25	Cost, impact, strategy

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109	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 23:25:46	Green space, less density, roads that actually carry traffic, which is what roads are supposed to do. Schools with space for kids to learn and green space, rather than crowding them even more so unknown tenants can move in, potentially endangering the school kids. Stop ruining Alexandria.
110	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 22:01:58	These are great ideas, but please remember the green space. Those spaces are important for our health and happiness!
111	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	Preserving open space and environmental damage needs to be a much higher priority. Once green space is built over it is almost impossible to get back.
112	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	Start holding accountable that city employees (the Mayor and on down, as well as the ACPS Superintendent and school board members) are DOING THEIR JOB. As an example, it is absolutely ridiculous that there is so much "deferred maintenance" (WHY was it ever deferred??) of schools and public buildings. Letting buildings fall into disrepair is a guarantee of spending more money than necessary. This lack of oversight is bleeding the citizens through their hard-earned tax dollars that are being grossly misused. It feels that no matter how much we pay in taxes it's never enough because of the uncontrolled development and disregard for what that involves (more people needing services, more kids to educate, more cars on the road, etc.).
113	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 17:41:37	"Sharing school sites with other public uses" sounds good when it's a public use - library, community center, health clinic. Housing, even if owned by the government, is not a public good. It is something that a finite number of private individuals will use. It should be very clearly delineated when that's what you are talking about.
114	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:30:35	Focus on EQUITABLE solutions that meet all community needs rather than responding to the loudest voices in the room

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116	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 15:17:56	Safety
117	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 14:55:26	Look at long term implications for the surrounding neighborhoods and to evaluate if proposed buildings actually fit in with the established area.
118	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 14:24:26	keep in mind transportation issues when planning. and please preserve green space and consider environmental issues. Arlington does a much better job of this.
119	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 13:49:29	Look at: 1) what's the most Efficient use of space. 2) what's most Cost effective
120	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	Cost.

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121	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 12:21:52	Maximize efficiency. Do not eliminate/sacrifice our parks/open spaces. The people you're trying to create housing for will appreciate the spaces, as well
122	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	Keep working city and acps employees in Alexandria, help us live in Alexandria and stay in one place. You are forcing working families to move to Woodbridge, dont forget about the middle class families.
123	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	Value to the community if used, hurt to the community if used.
124	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:12:37	Most important: DO NOT USE OUR SCHOOL PROPERTIES FOR THE CO-LOCATION OF HOUSING
125	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	The most important thing is to get the public's input. This is all done for the people so the people should decide. If the information is given, people can be well informed.
126	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 10:34:49	Take co-housing and bundling of other city services OUT of any plans for school refurbishment.

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127	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	It is important to do long term planning and look at the long term impacts. People are moving out of cities to have more space and nature. If we destroy that in Alexandria, we will loose high income residents and with it property taxes. The cheapest short term solution is often more expensive in the long run.
128	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:49:05	Existing school capacity or capacity we can expand within the budget
129	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	This exercise ignores the fact that increased development has contributed substantially to the issues at hand. Suggest we speak to the sources of the issues at the same time we consider their amelioration.
130	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:16:45	Cost and effectiveness to meet needs over a long horizon
131	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:12:31	Does the population need to grow? Should new housing be prioritized over making sure we have facilities and infrastructure to serve our existing population?
132	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	Look at best practices around the nation and stop packing task forces, committees, and commissions with developers and others who have vested interests in preserving an unsustainable status quo.

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133	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 22:00:02	Understanding what current residents are living nearby the current initiatives listed above.
134	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 20:44:45	The planning team should prioritize the character of the neighborhood, with regard to what is needed. For example, many neighborhoods do not need community centers on school property, and building apartment buildings on school property will negatively impact neighborhoods with overpopulation and traffic.
135	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Density and population growth should be discouraged.
136	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	1) does it collocate anything on school property? If yes, throw away the plan.
137	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	Not overbuilding.
138	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Work with the community and show respect for people whether they have students in school or not. Avoid mis-treating people like you did with the residents of Seminary/ Woods' Place. Shameful.

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140	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 17:32:23	Education facilities should not be mixed-use, with the possible exception for libraries. If operation & maintenance cannot keep up with existing demand, we should consider fewer public sites & look at commercial sites. Also consider education vouchers for students to attend private schools or neighboring cities/counties.
141	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	Taking care of current residents should be prioritized over further development and creating a more urban environment. We don't want urbanization in Alexandria. Period. Stop promoting high density development.
142	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:24:40	I think the joint partnership pathway maybe the most powerful. Arlington and Fairfax Counties are facing similar challenges. Especially, Arlington. Anywhere there can be shared burden is a good area to explore. Alexandria is too small of a land area to attempt to set up city infrastructure in a classic construct with plenty of space.
143	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:04:40	Impact on citizens, impact on property values, impact on taxes and tax base.
144	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	Whether housing is collocated with schools.

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146	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 13:27:03	balance of need and cost. STOP just discussion and surveying and researching and GET TO CLEANING AND FIXING
147	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	See number 11 abaoe.
148	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 12:15:55	That whatever you do, make sure you are not colocating on school or park lands. And be HONEST and upfront about your plans! I resent it when the public finds out by chance and/or the mayor lies about it!
149	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 11:46:04	School sites should not be selected for co-location with housing. We need to preserve the green spaces in our community and especially at our schools.
150	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	Green space, population control, fixing schools (like GWMS) historic value of buildings (DO NOT tear down GWMS)

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152	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Safety of students and protecting the character and neighborhood feel within our city.
153	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 10:20:19	Actually consider environmental impacts. You only do that when it fits your agenda.
154	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	What best serves our kids? What is safest for our kids?
155	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 22:46:54	Think about this COVID disruption as a way to reconsider everything. What do city residents really need and want, and what radical thinking can we apply to getting not only the demands met today, but also 10-20 years from now?
156	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 22:08:49	Safety of children! Maintaining open spaces for children to play (or expand schools if needed down there road).

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158	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	Do not touch existing greenspace. You must save our parks; they are essential to community mental health, happiness, and physical well-being. If you must build, use areas that are already heavily built-up to add existing buildings. But if you go back to the root of the problem, it's that the mayor and city council want to bring more people into Alex., and that is NOT what most residents want. Let Arlington or D.C. have these people. Why do we want more revenue if it's just going to go towards accommodating these new people? That doesn't make sense. It's a never-ending cycle of growth.
159	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 20:09:03	Maintaining the ability of the primary purpose of the site should be paramount to anything else you believe you could house at that site.
160	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	Minimized density NOT within a 1.5 mile of a Metro station but include city administrative offices so that employees commute by rail or transit
161	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 19:33:33	Project school age population to include the projected higher density and additional developments instead of squeezing housing onto schools property
162	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	Quality of life, sustainable density levels, property values, environmental concerns, sustainable levels of social services. We are under no obligation to increase population density for the sake of it - we are already the most dense and one of the most diverse in every way.

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164	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	environmental sustainability
165	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	Leave green spaces alone for the residents of this community to use- for walks; for sports; for playing and gathering outside in this current socially distanced World. Update schools period! Build more schools for the growing community. Renovate the current affordable housing areas. Why are we selling property to developers to build expensive housing that many cannot afford ? Along Route 1 and everywhere I literally drive? Why didn't we make those areas affordable housing for our "supposed" overcrowded city?
166	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 17:41:51	How much life-giving green space will be sacrificed? How much will co-locating facilities at schools degrade and subtract space for kids to play and exercise outdoors?
167	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 16:58:08	You should not consider co locating housing on school property
168	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	It's crucial that the very vocal NIMBYs do not drown out the views of the general public who are supportive of creative solutions but aren't going to organize themselves like the NIMBYs.

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170	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 15:09:39	I like the idea of build up, build under, build over. I think there are many instances where this strategy could be implemented to save space and get the most out of an area. I am not sure I have seen many statements on here about conserving green space, but I hope this is a priority that Alexandria keeps in mind as they are planning. I would much rather seeing "building" up as opposed to sprawling out and taking over green spaces since we have so few.
171	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 14:59:18	Landmark mall site.
172	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:54:28	Safety. I think this pandemic shows us that our overcrowded schools are a safety issue for students and staff
173	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Balance. You can stick a 4 story apartment building in the middle of a neighborhood with no parking and limited transit options. Greens space and fields are important too. Much of the flooding in Alexandria is due to over building and limited drainage options.
174	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:44:19	1. The environment. 2. Quality of life.

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176	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:37:29	Have real input from the residents, not questions that guide them to support your decisions
177	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	You can not hold one virtual meeting and think you reached a concensus of the community. The City does very little to truly engage our residents. It can email directly, go to neighbor organizations etc.
178	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:16:45	Free space, livability, historic preservation.
179	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	The city population as a whole and not those of special interest groups.
180	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:06:02	Important things ; keeping greenspace in Alexandria and keep schools safe for children

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182	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 11:42:56	Do the strategies eliminate green space? Do the strategies leverage urban design solutions (i.e. building up)? Do the strategies fit within the neighborhoods they are proposed for? (i.e. building high rises among single family home and vice versa, building small buildings in places where high rises would be better suited.) If built on a flood plain is the city prepared for the law suits of those houses/locations that will now flood because water has been diverted? Does the existing road infrastructure support a large increase in traffic? Does this impact the ability to allow kids play outdoors within the neighborhood because the traffic now proposes safety risks?
183	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 11:15:49	safety of our children, access to education and green space, preserving our environment.
184	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	Top consideration should be minimizing congestion. Sharing the needs with Fairfax County, which has vastly more free space, is a good idea.
185	Open Question #12: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	"Re-imagining under-utilized sites" must not result in cutting down the city's already limited tree canopy or turning pervious surface into impervious surface. Housing must not be placed on any ACPS facility or property.

There is an urgent need for affordable housing in Alexandria. Unlike schools, libraries, fire stations, and recreation facilities, affordable housing is typically built by developer partners with City financial assistance. There are many tools and methods the City can use to incentivize new affordable housing development to help alleviate the affordable housing crisis.

The planning team has brainstormed a list of ideas to explore in the next phase of this process:

- Build affordable housing on vacant sites owned by the City
- Incorporate affordable housing on underused sites owned by the City
- Co-locate affordable housing on the same site as certain public facilities

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2	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-02 11:01:44	NO co-location with schools. Keep school space/land for schools
3	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 21:24:05	What is affordable to one person is unaffordable to another.
4	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 18:08:30	Require new development to have a percentage of units of affordable housing.
5	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	There is no feasible way to build truly "affordable" housing in a high-cost, highly sought after, land constrained community like the City of Alexandria. New, added density will only further inflate land values and taxes, further driving up the cost of housing and leading to the displacement of existing residents (usually the most vulnerable: lower income, minority, elderly and disabled populations). A wiser, more sustainable plan for housing should be one that focuses on anti-displacement measures, permitting your existing older and disabled residents to remain (which avoids housing turnover that brings in younger families w/children), and offering lower income (below 80% AMI) residents with an opportunity to purchase a home/condo in Alexandria. The lack of affordable (workforce) housing is a regional problem that requires a regional solution, which may include locating new units in less costly outer suburbs where costs are lower. Rather than attempting to cram more people into the most densely populated place in VA, Alexandria should be focusing its efforts on building its commercial (retail and office) sector and small businesses, which generally provide more revenue than they consume in government services — offsetting the deficit spending on the residential side.
6	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 09:48:31	These are all great ideas.
7	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 09:04:29	Land trusts to ensure affordable housing for city residents.
8	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 08:37:58	The city should NOT co-locate affordable housing on school property. There is no reason for adults to be living next to school children. There is also the impact of the school on potential residents. Traffic, noise, after school functions/activities/sports.
9	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	Build new housing much higher but use only currently developed sites. Lack of green space makes cities very unpleasant.
10	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	Use Wilson and Jinx properties for affordable housing.
11	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	Who wants to live on the site of a public facility? Are you planning to be the first? How about returning vacant sites to their natural state to preserve some room for nature and open space?
12	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-30 06:25:37	Please don't co-locate affordable housing on school sites.

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14	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 20:06:14	Incentivize city employees to live in the city.
15	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 18:54:31	Reducing affordable housing to decrease population demand on overburdened systems.
16	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	Stop saying there is an "urgent need for affordable housing in Alexandria." There is a regional need for affordable housing. COG is not "the boss of us." Tell the taxpayers why Eisenhower Valley, Cameron Station and Potomac Yards did not address this problem or why Landmark is not addressing it now.
17	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	Build up Reduce number of single family homes
18	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 11:01:02	No Housing On School Sites!
19	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 09:49:50	The need for more affordable housing is stated as fact, yet no supporting evidence is provided. Moreover, affordable housing is not defined. No ideas should be considered without better defining the problem. Under no circumstances should any housing, affordable or not, be placed on school grounds. Period.
20	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 09:49:05	Allow ADUs in backyards. Allow homeowners to unlock the value of their property and rent if they choose without concern for street or off street parking. Change the building codes to allow for more duplex and 4 plex builds.
21	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-29 08:41:18	Slowing growth and density
22	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 22:07:36	Why don't you make it clearer how to rent to tenants? Lots of homeowners prefer doing airbnb to messing with a tenant.
23	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	as you state above to work with other jurisdictions to share facilities are we working with other jurisdictions to provide affordable housing. What she tradeoffs from more affordable housing vs schools.
24	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	No fire stations or housing on school property. Also be honest. This is a joint task force. When you say sites owned by the city, you mean school property. Your taxpayers aren't stupid.
25	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:10:36	Consider outsourcing affordable housing. The city should not be in the landlord business.
26	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 21:12:24	Developers should contribute to other services (not just affordable housing) if they are bringing more residents. How are they contributing to infrastructure (flooding remediation), how are they contributing to schools, how are they contributing to transportation.

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28	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	None, and none of the three ideas above should be considered either. Housing on school grounds would be a betrayal of the community and our children's safety.
29	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 20:32:28	Do NOT colocate affordable housing with schools. Hold ARHA accountable and remove those who violate their housing rights and free up affordable housing that is currently in the city for those who abide by the laws and deserve it. Hold ARHA accountable and refuse to bring more corruption to our current affordable housing program
30	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:59:51	Not building additional affordable housing, but focus on 1 for 1 exchanges to increase the availability of affordable housing. This city can not support the incentivizing of more density. Our schools and infrastructure is already SIGNIFICANTLY overtaxed with the existing population.
31	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:47:00	Not build more houses. You cannot provide services to the residents we already have (source: the presentation). Why are you bringing more people to not provide services?
32	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	The market can solve this problem - if it cannot we should be innovative and locate Alexandria's obligated affordable units in PG or Fairfax County. Be innovative. Buy land there and develop it to meet this need. Avoid any construction in the city that reduces property values here.
33	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 19:01:33	There is no urgent need for affordable housing. That is a myth. There is an urgent need for water management and mold remediation.
34	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 18:46:00	All of the above
35	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 18:08:39	Adult housing should not be co-located or share space with schools. If you want additional public housing, then maximize the current space by building up on existing space.
36	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 17:18:00	Who said there is a shortage of affordable housing? I know several teachers that live here on one salary. COG has other jurisdictions that can come up with housing instead of the smallest most dense city!
37	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 15:06:52	Save the George Mason Elementary school green space (one of the only left in the city). Scratch the idea of housing attached to schools (especially affordable housing...workforce housing as a possibility but only if the proper survey work were to be done on who in the Alexandria workforce (teachers, firefighters, police officers, etc...) would actually want to live in such housing. Any such housing also needs to be within proper walking distance to community needs (grocery, transportation, etc...), and that is not the case at the George Mason site. Consider housing over near Potomac Yards where there is more access to the soon to be metro and other daily needs.
38	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 12:50:18	Public-private partnerships Encourage workforce housing, not just affordable
39	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	NONE OF THESE -- GOOD LORD ALMIGHTY, YOU HAVE OVERCROWDED SCHOOLS RIGHT FREAKING ***NOW***, YOU HAVE FLOODING RIGHT FREAKING ***NOW***, you CANNOT solve this by dumping MORE people into the dense-ist city in Virginia!!!! What on earth are you thinking????
40	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 11:07:56	All housing should be encouraged to provide affordable units - including existing properties. The current policy of segregating low income families from others continues to exacerbate the City's history of racism and segregation. It also undermines access to opportunity for low income families that need neighborhood support.

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41	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	I absolutely oppose this idea. There are already a number of affordable housing projects underway in Alexandria. We must have a clear definition of what "affordable" means and the impact that will have on the City. Children deserve access to the BEST public education that the City can provide. Insisting that building additional housing, which will take up valuable green space and future space for classrooms/learning areas is inappropriate. There are also safety issues to consider for the property as a whole. All ACPS schools require any visitor to sign in when coming on the property. Co-location is not the answer to affordable housing. ACPS should focus on IMPROVING and addressing the needs of the children enrolled today and for the future enrollment that is projected under the models being used for this master plan.
42	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 11:03:24	Enough with the affordable housing push.
43	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 09:49:58	Do not colocate housing on school sites!
44	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 07:56:38	Vacant or underused sites already owned by the city would be good stewardship of city resources, and less complicated than co-location.
45	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-28 03:43:16	Talk with developers. You approved their projects so create more public housing there. Don't use the little public land and facilities.
46	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	No Housing on school sites!
47	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 23:20:29	School playgrounds, athletic fields and picnic areas are not underutilized. Do not build more affordable housing. The city is not able now to meet the needs of its citizens.
48	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 22:49:41	The city sewers, schools and roads are at capacity. The infrastructure needs to be strengthened to support any more residents.
49	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 20:24:10	What does affordable housing have to do with school facilities?
50	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 19:14:06	Don't force private developers to build affordable housing on private property and don't subsidize them if they do so.
51	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 18:09:39	Housing should be located on private land. Public housing is not done well.
52	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-27 17:07:29	Schools should not be colocated with any other services.
53	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	- Exactly what do you mean by "certain public facilities"? The city is being too vague with its definitions. This is *not* transparent. - What happened to the idea of incorporating affordable housing with the expensive housing? - Anytime a developer wants to build a community, demand that affordable housing be included. This is not rocket science, nor is it original here.

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55	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 20:00:20	Do not support using school land for development or multi use.
56	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	Do not use school property! Our children need outdoors more than ever.
57	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 10:53:42	Do NOT co-locate with schools. Do NOT build in single family residential neighborhoods.
58	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-25 08:42:02	Build affordable housing on vacant sites owned by the City. Do not use school space for affordable housing development.
59	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 21:31:21	Look at private-public ventures. U.S. Navy did this in San Diego to build housing for sailors by allowing private company to build on public land in exchange for guaranteed rental payments. Alexandria can do something similar - let private industry invest in exchange for lease of ground floor school facilities and guaranteed rent income with potential tax offset. City receives school that would otherwise not pay property taxes with reduced investment as a result of private industry investing in construction only.
60	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	Share school space, but not with housing for adults.
61	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	Use unpaid tax bills of more than 5 years old as list of potential imminent domain claims. Yes, this would take a long time. Claim the properties and offer tax incentives and/or favorable loan terms to individual homebuyers in lower income brackets who would purchase those properties (probably renovate them) and then live there for at least 5 years. If they need to sell before 5 years, they must offer first right of refusal to the city or other homebuyers in those same lower income brackets .
62	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	Reduce parking requirements to strongly encourage people to not own cars.
63	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:53:46	Highly disagree with co-locating affordable housing on school property
64	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:42:00	Co-locate! And, all of the above.
65	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	Residents will have more disposable income available for everything they need if the city runs efficiently with low costs and low taxes. 99% of what the City does makes living here MORE expensive with wasteful pet spending projects. Run a tight, efficient government and everything becomes more affordable.
66	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-24 15:26:37	Expand your focus. This is not just about public housing as you have already laid out in your set of ideas. And please do not even think about public housing adjoining a school and or school land. The country has gone through enough turmoil on the school safety issue without adding a new safety problem that will need to be solved

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67	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	Colocating housing with facilities used by the general public is bad. Colocating housing with fire/ems/police can make sense but could be upsetting for the residents. Build on vacant sites or increase density on existing sites. Even better: build more communities like Chatham Square.
68	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 11:05:08	No housing (of any kind) on school sites. I don't care what kind of pretend commitment the city council and the city manager and the school board made to Amazon, developers or random non-profits.
69	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	The addition of housing on school sites would drive me out of Alexandria to a more reasonable jurisdiction. The city is not responsible for housing its citizens.
70	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 12:57:09	The city should work with partners to renovate vacant office buildings (especially those near public transportation) to create affordable housing. Housing should not be added to school property or open space that could be used for recreation.
71	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	See previous answer. The City cannot simultaneously claim there are "underused" sites owned by the City that can be used for housing, while also suggesting there is nowhere to offer new schools, public services, etc. It seems contradictory. This plan will result in loss of green space and important protections for residents if poorly executed. Much more consideration needs to be done if the City is contemplating impacts to existing neighborhoods, as opposed to new clusters of building (ie Potomac Yard).
72	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	Provide tax breaks to private owners providing affordable housing.
73	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	All of the above. In some places integrate with market rate housing.
74	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	All of these ideas sound great.
75	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-17 21:54:38	No co-location of housing.
76	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	Prioritize regional solutions along with universal access to regional mass transit.
77	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-16 18:58:22	NO to housing on public school grounds
78	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Do not build more housing. I don't understand the statement, "urgent need", that needs to be defined. Urgent according to who? Our roads are overcrowded, our schools are overcrowded, our drainage system doesn't work. Stop building housing! We need to fix what we have. There is no room for more students. There is no room for more houses.
79	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-16 16:04:47	Do not place affordable housing on school sites. This means that no future educational facilities can be placed on such sites. Schools are for children and teachers. If there are things that these groups will benefit from, e.g. a wellness clinic, or an accessory library, that might make sense. It does not make sense to place permanent housing on sites that are needed by schools.

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80	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-16 14:24:16	One of the seminal documents on co-location is the January 2015 "Colocation White Paper" issued by the Montgomery County Planning Department ("Montgomery County White Paper"). Importantly, the Montgomery County Council approved funding for this White Paper to "examine ways the public can benefit from colocation as a way to more efficiently and cost effectively provide facilities such as parks, schools, community health centers, libraries or other public amenities or services". The Montgomery County White Paper noted that co-location is one way of maximizing available space and services for a community due to the scarcity of available land and increasing challenges imposed on municipal finances. None of the numerous US and international examples of co-location uses with schools cited in the Montgomery County White Paper include a school with any type of housing much less adult housing. The April 2018 Montgomery County study of 165 examples of co-location projects also did not identify any of examples where a school was co-located with adult housing. Moreover, none of the dozens of documents posted on the four City websites dealing with co-location on school property or on the Alexandria City Public Schools website on co-location contain any examples of schools in the US or internationally where adult housing is presently co-located with schools. We do need to think creatively to address ways of maximizing available space and services for a community. However, schools are places where children are educated and congregate. There is no need to expose children to unnecessary danger by having inappropriate co-location uses taking place on school grounds. The impacts that must be considered for potential co-located services on school grounds need to be more expansive than those for other City property to ensure the safety and well-being of children. Accordingly, impacts that must be considered for potential co-located services on school grounds should include, but are not limited to, safety of children, impact on the City's green building policy (i.e. private housing has a lower greenhouse gas ("GHG ") standard to meet than a City facility such as a school) , increased parking demand/traffic, loss of outdoor play space, additional building height, school schedule impacts, and cost impacts. Based on the above considerations, the types of co-located services (beyond having more than one school at the same location) that might be appropriate for a school could include (1) child day care facilities, (2) child after-school care programs, (3) community use of play space/fields on nights and weekends, (4) health clinics, (5) wellness centers, (7) libraries, (8) parks, (9) recreational programming/facilities, (10) police of sheriff substations or (11) other such similar public amenities or services. These types of services do not involve having adults on school property 24/7 and have the added benefit of providing a public service and/or a service directly related to schooling. Unfortunately, having any type of adult housing on school property would not be appropriate. Doing so would allow adults to have easy access to school facilities and children 24/7. In addition, there are practical considerations: How would the City be able to impose the current prohibition on firearms on public property if a resident or property owner of a facility co-located with a school had a firearm?; How would the City remain in compliance with its GHC policy and commitments for the reduction of same by allowing housing on school property?; How would the City be able to legally require that a resident or property owner of a facility co-located with a school were an Alexandria resident or an Alexandria teacher or employee?; Why would the City want to expose residents and children to serious health risks by greatly increasing density on school property during a pandemic?; and, Given the fact that many of our school sites are very tight and do not meet minimum state standards for land area, why would it ever be advisable to put adult housing on the scarce land that we have in our city for schools and preclude further school expansion in the decades ahead? In short, based on considerations related to safety of children, the impact on the City's green building policy, increased parking demand/traffic, loss of outdoor play space, additional building height, school schedule impacts, loss of the ability for school expansion and cost impacts, the types of uses that might be appropriate for schools are (1) child day care facilities, (2) child after-school care programs, (3) community use of play space/fields on nights and weekends, (4) health clinics, (5) wellness centers, (7) libraries, (8) parks, (9) recreational programming/facilities, (10) police of sheriff substations or (11) other such similar public amenities or services. Having any type of adult housing on school property is not appropriate for all of the reasons set forth above.
81	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 20:47:48	No more new development, including affordable housing, should be approved until our storm sewers are brought up to capacity needs. And improve the housing we already have. We don't need to build new to achieve affordable housing "goals". And by goals, we're talking about what outside entities want to achieve in the region, not specifically in Alexandria.
82	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 20:32:08	Again, we have higher density than other nearby jurisdictions. These jurisdictions have only agreed to modest growth. Why are we not considering impacts to the city. This city can't handle the volume of water from rainfall and you want to add more. Our biggest priority should be dealing with infrastructure affecting current residents or does this city not care about current residents? This is the only topic that you all talk about and yet, there is a systematic failure to build the infrastructure to support our city. We are tired of being flooded and paying out of pocket to repeatedly fix our flooding. And yet we should only care about adding more density. How tone deaf is this city council, mayor and executives. If you want support from residents on your pet projects than make sure that people who are currently paying are being taken care of. Maybe this is your goal is to push out people so that you have more land to pave over.
83	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 19:38:59	Change the zoning code and/or zoning throughout the city to encourage development of more market-rate duplexes, triplexes, and apartments (this is probably outside the scope of what this team is considering, since ALX has real stovepiping problem, but the spirit of this project is that we all need to work together as one city and that should go for city departments too)
84	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-09-14 18:56:42	Focus on home ownership opportunities, instead of rental residences. While homes serve as a dwelling and shelter, the place one calls home could metaphorically become a financial safety net for a individual or family. Whether single and just starting out, looking to start a family or already have a family of, homeownership is a credible way that to pass down wealth to future generations.
85	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 22:57:29	Making sites easy to walk around, bike around, etc (basically without cars) around the areas of affordable housing will be essential

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87	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	1) Require developers to build affordable housing on non-City property. 2) Remove collocating housing on school sites from the list
88	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	Why do you say there is an urgent need for affordable housing? What evidence do you have? Are residents being forced out of their homes by increasing rents? If so, the City should focus on supporting those residents. We are already the densest jurisdiction in the region. We should not be increasing the population of our city. Rather, we should take care of those already living in our city -- without adding to our population or increasing density.
89	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space. People should live within there means. And live where can afford.
90	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 20:11:36	As properties are coming on the market that are dilapidated, look at options to make them affordable and successful- renters programs, rent to own, subsidies for low income public workers, like teachers
91	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	Build affordable housing in the old Landmark Mall site, and provide access to the Metro. Co-location with a firehouse, fine. A school, no. About vacant sites owned by the city: An empty lot, fine. A tree-filled park, or wetland, no.
92	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	The City is taking actions that will exacerbate any such crisis. The City should disclose the true cost of "affordable" housing. Such housing may help a tenant with cheaper rent, but citizens and taxpayers should at least be made aware of all of (1) the costs that such housing imposes on the City, ACPS, taxpayers, other home owners, other renters, etc., and (2) who would profit from such construction and development and the extent thereof.
93	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 12:54:20	Work with management companies to put aside a certain number of units for affordable housing. Repurpose empty office space. Housing on School property should NOT be considered for a myriad of reasons- safety being number 1.
94	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	Work with developers of large housing and apartments to allocate affordable housing for 20+ years.
95	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	Government has limited capability. Unless the city is able to partner with a large business--Microsoft, Amazon, Google--where they put pressure on developers to build affordable, and in this case affordable means working class housing, it will not happen. The only other lever the city has is to constrain high end luxury development--not likely.
96	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 11:12:29	I believe affordable housing should be a high priority. It is good for the economy and good for lower income people that we need in our community. Where we have vacant city property or under utilized city property that is appropriate for multi--family housing we should utilize it. We should consider public private partnerships on perimeter land that may not be as expensive as inner city property. There are probably industrial properties that are more valuable to the owners that the business that is sitting on them in some cases that might make sense for high rise multi-family housing. Affordable housing should be the only growth we approve in the city. Co-location of affordable or any other kind of housing with certain public facilities should be very limited and never co-located with any of our public schools. Co-locating with public schools creates too many potential challenges and the gains would not be worth the community angst created. Perhaps building residual housing co-located with city offices is a workable idea or with a fire station on the bottom floor of high rise housing. I don't have any school age kids but people living in co-location with K-12 facilities seems wrought with potential problems.
97	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 10:56:09	I do not like the idea of co locating housing and schools.
98	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 09:17:08	-Repurpose vacant office (or other) buildings for city needs. -Use existing vacant dwellings for affordable housing instead of building new.

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100	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-11 05:57:53	The leaders of the city are destroying its charm by over developing. We don't need any more people to live here! If people are unable to afford to live in this historic city, then they should relocate to somewhere they can afford. Unless you have a job where you physically need to be there to perform the duties, you don't need to live here to work here. Stop taking away green spaces to add more density.
101	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 22:38:35	Make sure affordable housing is built in areas close to mass transit and in areas with similar density.
102	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	Your planning is - build it and they will come.
103	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	See response to #11
104	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 19:56:13	I think there is plenty of housing. The City keeps approving high-end developments. Stop. We need green space. Fix the storm drains, fix the schools. Focus on the fundamental basic needs of the residents. Stop with the new development.
105	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 19:40:55	Letting the market determine housing prices.
106	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 17:46:53	NOT AN OPTION -- Citizens are not in favor of this and their voices should be heard since it is Citizens/taxpayers who fund the city.
107	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	Stop the push for increased density.
108	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-10 05:55:51	Do no co-locate affordable housing on the same site as other public facilities.
109	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 21:15:51	Do not place housing on public school grounds
110	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 17:14:38	Co-location of ANY housing should not be considered on school property. First, we don't have enough room for proper school facilities as it is? Why on earth would the School Board give away any land for other uses? Why would the city council want to continue to put Alexandria's children last?
111	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 16:36:32	What about unused private property - like Landmark?
112	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 09:57:52	These all sound like great ideas. Decisions about affordable housing on school grounds should not be taken lightly. Additionally, solutions like a few affordable housing units for city employees (such as that tossed around for Douglas MacArthur) is very different from the much larger building that was considered (and may still be considered) for George Mason, and support for one should not be considered support for the other.

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114	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 08:05:02	No co location with schools. Period. Take victory center for example. Large space. You can move city offices, planning, facilities, along with affordable housing and green space. Also increase amount of affordable housing units per development. Do not cater to developers. Developers need to play by city rules.
115	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	What are residents saying? Are you hearing us? Build out schools on school property, not affordable housing. Kids first. Not every piece of land in Alexandria should have a building on it!
116	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-09 05:59:25	Increase the percentage of affordable units in new developer projects. Use underutilized industrial space.
117	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 23:25:46	Stop selling land to developers and put affordable housing there instead
118	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 22:01:58	Mixed-income residences
119	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	Consider paying workers more or giving tax credits as a solution. Apartments and dense housing should not be forced on single family neighborhoods.
120	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	STOP THE OVERBUILDING!! It is killing our city!! Instead look at what is available for re-use: like Landmark Shopping Plaza. If it's not available then figure out how to make it available. Get investors to finance using the land to include parks (open space), affordable housing, a school(s), grocery store(s), shops,etc. Make it into a showpiece, "Landmark Towne" if you like, of what smart, creative urban planning can be. Get some urban planners/designers who are pro-environment so they can make it into an example of what can be a beautiful place to live within a city. Include lots of trees with walking and bike paths. It could be BEAUTIFUL.
121	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 17:41:37	Why can't we continue to use tax breaks for developers to incorporate affordable housing into market projects?
122	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:30:35	Provide a range of affordable housing types (townhomes, multifamily, etc...) and some smaller infill projects.
123	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 16:20:34	Covid is going to change the entire pattern of migration and liveability considerations - how about paying attention to what is going on nationally in the retreat from major urban areas. Some of these affordability issues may be mediated by what is going to happen post-covid over the next 3-5 years. Stop sticking to plans formulated decades ago.
124	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 15:17:56	Any affordable housing near schools should prioritize city and government employees as owners. Use a lottery system like Aspen Co does for their residents that aren't Uber-rich - "sell" the house to the lottery winner, they are required to pay a reduced mortgage to the city, and they in turn "sell" it back to the city for a modest rate of return (3% annual, with no fees).
125	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 14:24:26	intersperse affordable housing in more affluent neighborhoods, in smaller single-family or townhouse-type units. large public housing facilities clustered in one location are contributing to segregation in our schools. BUT PLEASE preserve green space adjacent to our schools, especially at the elementary level. these kids and neighborhoods need some kind of space where they can interact with the natural world.
126	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 13:49:29	1) look at existing affordable housing sites and can you reconfigure or rebuild to include more units? Add on? Build up?

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127	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	Affordable housing is not the City's responsibility. The City doesn't need to approve expensive development nor should it provide affordable housing.
128	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 12:21:52	Now that things are often able to be done more virtually, re-assess office spaces being used to see if they could be converted to housing. Maximize efficiency of the office spaces/gov't spaces being used. Not everyone has to come in to work every day!
129	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	I feel that if you offer housing on school properties, you should offer those spaces to school and city employees. There are many areas in Alexandria that have so much space!! Eisenhower area, Edsall, dont just condense it all together!
130	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	Vacant, yes if not negatively impacting surrounding areas, and that does not mean NIMBY. Incorporation and co-location are the same, except that should not include schools.
131	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:12:37	DO NOT USE OUR SCHOOLS FOR THE CO-LOCATION OF HOUSING! People should live where they can afford to live. I couldn't always live in the neighborhood I desired because I couldn't afford it. Go live where you can afford to live
132	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	I think the market should set the price for housing. If teachers can't live close enough, they will not take the job. We will then have to pay them more. Why should a teacher in Fairfax county make more than Alexandria? We should pay people more instead of creating subsidized housing.
133	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 10:34:49	Co-housing should absolutely not be bundled with school facilities. It's appalling that this is even being considered.
134	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	Buy old buildings with office/retail space no longer used and turn into affordable housing.
135	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:49:05	NOT collocate w schools
136	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	It's not clear what "underused" means in this context but building "affordable" housing on public school sites is a proposal that should not be given serious consideration.
137	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:16:45	Larger buildings, but I don't agree w colocating housing on school sites due to the limited space, ever increasing child population and need for kids to have safe spaces to play and run
138	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 08:12:31	Rent control, housing vouchers. We should aim for more integrated communities rather than concentrations of affordable housing. Redevelopment of older homes and apartment buildings for affordable (rather than luxury) housing.
139	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	One idea: Find out who is making these commitments for Alexandria—the most dense city in the metro area—to build all these thousands of new housing units and make him stop!
140	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 22:00:02	Consider that some residents may not want low income housing near them.

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141	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 20:44:45	Fire the managers and staff who allowed tremendous residential growth in the last 20 years and did not take steps to build affordable housing, resulting in today's "urgent need."
142	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Scatter public housing be in conjunction with developers is fine, but not at the expense of building on environmentally sensitive areas.
143	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	The premise that there is an "urgent need for affordable housing" is garbage. Prove it first. And besides, if it's so needed, why aren't commercial developers required to include more in their projects - especially on metro accessible sites?
144	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	We can only absorb a certain amount of so called affordable housing. Don't build more than we can deal with.
145	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Stay away from land that has a dedicated use, such as parks, conservation easements, deed restrictions and dedicated uses such as buffers, stormwater detention ponds, cemeteries, etc.
146	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 17:36:53	No colocation of housing on school grounds. Worst idea ever. The safety of our children is the most important. Let's get our city in better shape with infrastructure before we continue with building affordable housing. Let's take care of the buildings that need to be fixed before we do more affordable housing. Let's build single family homes for our own city employees. They would like to live in the city they serve and not move out of the city to own a home. As has been seen due to the pandemic, people want single family homes not double townhouses. These single family homes could be built on city owned property and offered to our public servants.
147	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 17:32:23	Decrease population development until we can better meet current demand including operate and maintenance. Less density. Education sites should not be mixed use, with the possible exception of libraries.
148	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	Define "affordable housing." The urgent need is brought on by the city's willingness to provide incentives to developers without regard to the current citizens. You tear down affordable housing to put up high rent apartments. Stop increasing density in Alexandria.
149	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:37:37	I strongly disagree that there is an "urgent need for affordable housing in Alexandria." You are using a survey to conduct advocacy.
150	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:16:43	Definitely do NOT include housing on school sites.
151	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:04:40	Urgent need for affordable housing is expressed as a tautology. No evidence has been presented to support that claim. Any growth in housing, whether affordable or not MUST be preceded by appropriate expansion and updating of needed infrastructure.
152	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	Do not collocate housing with schools
153	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 13:35:25	More remote work for employees to reduce office space requirements
154	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 13:27:03	NO

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155	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	Removing two single family homes next to the Fire Station on Seminary Road and adding numerous apartments and townhouses to an already deemed-to-be-unsuitable location is ludicrous - check the City records before moving forward with a \$250M grant, please!
156	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 12:15:55	NO colocation on Any school grounds! And no lying about it!
157	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	Co-locating is a bad idea. City has sold out to developers, should have invested in the Burg which would be lovely and green if refurbished.
158	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 11:37:47	Do not put affordable housing with schools.
159	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Emminent domain. There is a significant amount of under used and under-developed land in the city, especially with the collapse of many retail stores in light of COVID-19. The city needs to take advantage of a potential decrease in prices and buy needed land to build another high school, particularly in the northeast area. We should not be co-locating a school with housing under any circumstances, particularly not the schools that are in the MIDDLE of single family housing neighborhoods (e.g., George Mason elementary). Why don't we stop giving out free food to people that don't need it, and stop paying nonessential teachers during a pandemic (e.g., gym teachers when kids are at home) and save that money!
160	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 10:20:19	Colocation is a terrible idea on school grounds. No one likes it except the Mayor who only views Alexandria as a stepping stone to Don Beyer's seat. Do your job and fix the schools for the kids.
161	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	Use the empty office building on Eisenhower Ave for affordable housing. Use other empty retail space that has closed or gone bankrupt. DO NOT co-locate housing on school sites.
162	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 22:46:54	Affordable housing should NOT be build on school grounds. This is unacceptable. I also hate the idea of losing green spaces, like the lovely one we have at George Mason Elementary School. We need room to breath. The city cannot become a concrete jungle. Don't forget that trees you cut down will take literally generations to regrow.
163	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 22:08:49	Landmark Mall area. Affordable housing should not be on school properties.
164	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 21:54:40	Build housing on vacant city property. Do not build homes on schools and libraries.
165	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	If we really do need affordable housing--and I'm not convinced we do--then put the buildings near the metro and bus lines. Why in the world would you stick the buildings in the middle of neighborhoods where there is no public transit? Doesn't make sense! Closer to Crystal City and the Pentagon makes the most sense, since those are urban city-like places already. Also, seems like the mayor and city council let huge, tall buildings go up and only a tiny fraction of the apartments are affordable--what a wasted opportunity! That's were the affordable units should go.
166	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 20:09:03	I don't think additional ideas need to be considered. Of the issues the city faces, I don't think affordable housing tops the list.
167	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	Co-locate affordable housing as a dedicated units within all new developments!! Stop warehousing the working poor from the upper middle and upper class consumers! Reinststitutes a home purchase great program for employees who stay in the City.

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168	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 19:33:33	Keep off school property!
169	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	Consider that it is not the city's responsibility to provide public housing, affordable or otherwise.
170	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 18:52:35	Do not use public land for affordable housing.
171	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	Focus on the needs and opinions of homeowners/taxpayers and civic associations in Alexandria to the same extent you do for developers of affordable housing.
172	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	DO NOT CO-LOCATE AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON THE SAME SITES AS PUBLIC FACILITIES!! The city should have thought about this when they made the deal with Amazon, and when they sold so much property to developers looking to make money off its residents! The city caused this issue and it should figure out an acceptable answer without having a negative effect on its community! Leave us alone and try again to come up with answers that are not at the detriment of neighborhoods, schools, and green space!
173	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 17:41:51	NO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON SCHOOL SITES!!!!!!!
174	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 16:58:08	You should not consider co locating housing on school property
175	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	See above regarding more flexibly zoning laws.
176	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 15:45:40	Zoning code changes to allow for accessory dwelling units on single-family residential properties.
177	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 15:00:35	Objection. Leading question.
178	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 14:59:18	Landmark mall site.
179	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:54:28	1. Change zoning in 22302 and possibly other zip codes. 2. Co-locating housing has potential but it has to be done sensibly and with transparency
180	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Partner with churches that have underutilized space
181	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:44:19	No not build new housing. Give families a voucher to be used to rent existing units. Why would you build new units?

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182	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:41:12	DO NOT co-locate affordable housing with our schools
183	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:37:29	Co-location on school grounds is one of the worst ideas the city has come up with. Who are the developer partners? Is there any relationship with them and the decision makers here? It is hard enough to keep kids safe in schools and this would make it even more difficult
184	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	I completely disagree wiith all the ideas that have been generated by the staff. We currently have 1864 affordable housing units being built across 7 locations per the City website. These units are located on 600 N Royal, 1200 N Fayette, 2000 N Beaugard, on N Henry, on multiple acres on Eisenhower AVE and at Braddock Gateway. WHY DO WE NEED MORE? ANd do these units -- as they are likely the users of much of the city services -- have co-located services?
185	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:16:45	Why wasn't the city concerned about affordability when it rover redevelopment of Parker gray? I strongly oppose building affordable housing on vacant city properties, especially current green space.
186	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	Literally anything other than collocation with school. That is the worst possible idea and shows a complete lack of priority for our students and their well-being.
187	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:57:16	Maintain existing open spaces. Final decisions should reflect the views of the affected neighborhood residents--tax payers--. I disagree with ALL of the above
188	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:42:56	First, you should not build affordable housing on school grounds. Again, the city should look at urbanization of the more urban areas of the city. Keep in mind many move to Alexandria because it affords the opportunity to live in an urban environment or an environment that feels as if it is in the suburbs. Ensuring that the affordable housing matches the environment of the location it's placed is important. Additionally, you as the city government should understand that at somepoint a city reaches max capacity. Alexandria is located at roughly the center of the beltway. At some point, because there is no more actual space, affordable housing you build will no longer be affordable housing. You should ensure your efforts address this and come to terms with this fact.
189	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:15:49	Acquiring land to build affordable housing. That should not be immediately scratched off the list.
190	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	Make developers responsible for the full cost of low-income housing that they displace. That includes buying the space for it, not making the city provide it.
191	Open Question #13: Help us brainstorm. What additional ideas should be considered?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	Housing MUST NOT be colocated with schools or rec centers. The city MUST NOT build housing (or anything else) on any existing green space (aka "vacant sites"). Public-private partnerships to date have produced minimal affordable housing. The affordable-unit requirement must be raised substantially above 20% when giving a private developer access to a city-owned parcel (which must NOT host a school or rec center).

There is an urgent need for affordable housing in Alexandria. Unlike schools, libraries, fire stations, and recreation facilities, affordable housing is typically built by developer partners with City financial assistance. There are many tools and methods the City can use to incentivize new affordable housing development to help alleviate the affordable housing crisis.

The planning team has brainstormed a list of ideas to explore in the next phase of this process:

- Build affordable housing on vacant sites owned by the City
- Incorporate affordable housing on underused sites owned by the City
- Co-locate affordable housing on the same site as certain public facilities

**Q14 How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies?
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1	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-02 13:52:53	Health of residents
2	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-02 11:01:44	Can the infrastructure really handle the additional density
3	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 21:24:05	THE CITY ---MR, MAYOR-- needs to live on a realistic budget. Every person who wants to live in Alexandria can not be accommodated. Houses now cost \$550-600K in the west end.
4	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 18:08:30	likelihood of intended outcome: which ideas will provide quality, affordable housing for the long-term, not just a few years.
5	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	Cost-benefit analysis, fiscal impact analysis, environmental impact analysis (with climate change and the urban heat island effect built into the analysis), cost of community services analysis. People are expensive. The more you have, the more you spend. With Alexandria's limited space and finite revenue to meet competing needs, finding ways to conserve resources will be key.
6	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 09:04:29	It would be easier to answer this question if potential evaluation strategies were listed.

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8	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	Green space is paramount for physical and mental health as well as absorption of storm water.
9	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	Who's the planning team?
10	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-30 21:07:01	Safety. Green space for our students. Co-located housing on school property should be within walking distance of services.
11	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	The most important is quality of life for existing residents. You are only concerned with new people who are coming.
12	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-30 06:25:37	Co-location needs to have complementary use needs.

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13	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 22:10:55	Increase green space and ensure the children have priority and are kept safe.
14	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 20:06:14	Maintain open space and stop increasing density
15	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 19:50:11	Co location is a non starter. As the City continues to increase density addtl classrooms will be needed to support new residents. School property should be used to expand school fscoties for students. Further, while ALX isn't an inexpensive place to live the city has not made a successful business case that we're facing a housing crisis. Rather the city has been trying to increase housing density in direct opposition to what the majority of tax payers in the City want.
16	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 18:54:31	Cost, schedule, and performance.
17	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	The most important strategy should be respect for current residents who chose a neighborhood for its particular ambience.
18	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	Social distancing has highlighted desire for folks to be in touch; now the challenge is choosing to be near people who differ socially, economically, and politically, etc

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20	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 09:49:50	The most important consideration is the impact on the existing community. Not new growth.
21	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 09:49:05	Our land can support more density, and the forms should change to allow for more public transport and more walkability.
22	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 08:49:30	Planning teams are employees of the citizens. No projects should be implemented without public input, and approval, if at all possible. Mayors and board members don't necessarily know best. Consensus is vital.
23	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-29 08:41:18	Slowing growth and density
24	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 22:07:36	Lower costs to deliver services.

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25	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	How this city can be self sustaining with a known population number. Best communities in America are those that have the best schools. How do we get ACPS to be a top 10 school in the nation.
26	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	School children.
27	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:10:36	Evaluate how other major cities manage/outsource affordable housing.
28	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 21:12:24	Ensuring that costs are being shared not just on residents.
29	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:55:02	Apparently, whatever Justin Wilson and Mark Jinks feel like doing is most important. The level of civic transparency is making Alexandria feel *almost* as well run as D.C.
30	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:39:33	Let my kids play in the park.

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31	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	They shouldn't evaluate them at all.
32	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:33:41	Other public services should not share property with schools.
33	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 20:32:28	Keep our kids safe and learn to say no to developers
34	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 19:59:51	Not doing it. Co-location of housing on school property is ridiculous on its face. Other municipalities that are much larger (by millions of people) that have tried this concept have failed.
35	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 19:50:13	Co-locate affordable housing on the same site as certain public facilities
36	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	Preserve property values. Avoid increasing density. Decrease, not increase, school sizes.

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38	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 18:46:00	cost and function
39	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 17:18:00	LESS DENSITY
40	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 12:50:18	Don't be stupid about which facilities have housing located on them!
41	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	STOP GROWTH UNTIL YOU HAVE CAUGHT UP WITH YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS -- what on earth is so hard to understand about this???? We are the DENSE-IST city in Virginia, you can keep adding more people and then wonder why you can't get caught up on your infrastructure needs
42	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 11:07:56	Equity

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43	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	CHILDREN and providing the highest quality of public education to them. The City can work with developers and require them to provide affordable units in new development without taking valuable space away from our public schools and adding to the overcrowding that currently exists. Playgrounds are lacking and serve as a crucial part of establishing a community within and around a school. Shifting towards an urbanized model that eliminates this - and the ability for communities to develop - will impact our children. As a parent I want to see my child engage with classmates and under Covid, the outdoor areas are all we have to try to build this.
44	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 11:03:24	The schools are trash, the streets are trash, the sewers are trash- nothing is going well. Enough is enough, You cant get the basics right.
45	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-28 07:56:38	Decisions that plan for the future, not just the current situation, while also taking into consideration maintaining the qualities of our city that make residents want to stay here.
46	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	Simple don't build housing on school sites!
47	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 23:20:29	Ask the citizens direct questions: 1. Should Alexandria's taxpayers pay to build more affordable housing? 2. Should Alexandria's taxpayers pay to build housing for non-Alexandrians? 3. Should housing be built on school property?
48	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 20:24:10	There is no set of circumstances where housing of any type should be co-located with schoolchildren

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49	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-27 19:14:06	Stop spending my tax dollars and raising my taxes like I have a bottomless wallet. Sooner or later I will take my tax payments elsewhere.
50	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	All the above in Number 13. Regarding Number 15 below: Don't use "effectively and efficiently" to cut a private sector deal and lose revenue on the project for the next 20 years because of some tax break. What does "effectively and efficiently" mean, anyway? Regarding Number 16: How are the citizens of Alexandria who take this survey supposed to know what you mean by "alternative solutions"? You're being too cute here. These responses are not to be used as free ticket excuses for the city to go and create projects that are just big give-aways. Because if they are, this survey will become the subject of "Letters to the Editors" of every newspaper in Alexandria. Regarding Number 17: Solutions should be "comprehensive and long-lasting" -- as long as they are not "long-lasting" give-aways.
51	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-26 10:18:14	Resident input.
52	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	Liveability. Qualitative & subjective, but essential.
53	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 21:31:21	Reducing bureaucracy so we can move faster.
54	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	Risk to children.

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55	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	Feasibility.
56	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	Alexandria is about 15 sq miles. With that guideline, what should the total population goal be for the city? It seems that city council just wants to build build build. What is our goal population and how do we live with that number? Currently our population is 160000 people.
57	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 15:53:46	determine how city can solve the affordable housing with developers by rehabbing existing old properties including apartment and warehouse space
58	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	School safety is more important than so-called "affordable housing" which is a problem invented by the City to reward developers. Run great schools first. Not great buildings - great schools. And questions 15 and on are also DATA LAUNDERING fake questions with predetermined answers you will later use to justify all this nonsense.
59	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-24 15:26:37	Cost and maybe even a bit more transparency. For example, why would anyone OK the purchase of new fire vehicles which cannot fit into the fire station?
60	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	Safety of children/seniors. But also- the cost of additional affordable housing. It seems from this survey that it is given that more needs to be constructed; I disagree strongly. Let the market dictate the housing.

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61	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 11:05:08	Being honest and open with the residents. Stop pushing housing (of any kind) on school sites. Learn from Alexandria's history of selling off school property that would be crucial to have now.
62	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	Preserve open space.
63	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 12:57:09	The most important consideration is that we preserve the character of our city (whether it be single family zoned neighborhoods or historic areas) and not add more density and traffic to the city.
64	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 12:41:20	There should be no housing on any existing school site. Period.
65	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	Public input and consent of the voters.
66	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	1. Brainstorm potential goals based on realistic budget 2. Perform some Cost Savings Analysis 3. In parallel, ID Annual budget per year -Maintenance \$, Renovate \$, Build \$ 4. Prioritize needs within each category 5. Create detailed project plan, both short-term and long-term 6. Keep on brainstorming, but with some reachable goal in mind]. [Some goals may take several years to become reality, especially if it involves multiple organizations and/or jurisdictions].

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67	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	Making us a more just and more vibrant community by intergrating uses together, integrating communities, and at the same time make efficient use of City resources.
68	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	Look at ways to reduce parking, especially near transit, to provide more space and reduce costs.
69	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-20 21:02:08	We need to explore housing locations that are more accessible to public transportation, schools and other places of necessity.
70	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-17 21:54:38	Fix the city infrastructure before you take on any additional initiative to provide low income housing.
71	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	Community buy in.
72	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 18:58:22	Listen to what citizens are saying and not what you want to hear to check the box

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73	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Current residents of Alexandria are the most important consideration. Not out of state lobbyists, not pet projects, not 'sexy' projects to get your name in the news and apparently, get exposure for a job in Richmond. Take care of your constituents.
74	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	The public must be told the actual cost of creating and maintaining affordable housing. It is not free. They must understand that greatly increased density is part of the "cost" of creating affordable housing. This is done on a project-by-project basis now which gives the impression it is just that one project that needs the density. All affordable projects need density. The public needs to understand this is the trade off in every case. You must be transparent, not just on some obscure website, but have a community understanding and buy-in for this. Education, police and fire are core responsibilities of city government. Affordable housing is a noble and worthy goal, but not at the expense of other core functions and the overall density and quality of life in Alexandria.
75	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	The impacts that must be considered for potential co-located or joint use of services on school grounds need to be more expansive than those for other City property to ensure the safety and well-being of children. Accordingly, impacts that must be considered for potential co-located services on school grounds should include, but are not limited to, safety of children, loss of the ability for school expansion, impact on the City's green building policy (i.e. private housing has a lower greenhouse gas ("GHG ") standard to meet than a City facility such as a school) , increased parking demand/traffic, loss of outdoor play space, additional building height, school schedule impacts, and cost impacts.
76	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	I do not agree that more affordable housing is a priority. Fix the city's infrastructure before adding any new housing here.
77	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Again, there is one issue at this this time and quit trying to be so single minded.
78	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	How we can serve the most people with these strategies is a key consideration, as is equity. Also, let's build affordable housing near transit.

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79	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Rehabbing current rental buildings into home ownership possibilities. Working with developer owners of large tracts to redevelop properties into affordable SFH, Townhouse and Garden Condo residences.
80	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 22:57:29	Evaluating sites not currently in use or not being used to their capacity, such as building apartments over store fronts, etc, will help
81	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 22:57:02	Equity, including an environmental and racial justice lens
82	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	Most important consideration: will Alexandria residents oppose this. Destroying more green space will be opposed. Colocating housing on school sites will be opposed.
83	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	Call a "time out" on increasing density until our infrastructure catches up with our current population and until post-Covid population trends become clearer. Neighborhoods in our city are flooding because of city neglect. That is more important that spending time and money planning for population that may never show or spending tax dollars on incentives for developers to bring even more people into our city. On question 15 below, you ask the wrong question. If it is "one community" it should include the residents of the city and require a consensus before plowing ahead with plans to transform our city.
84	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space.

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85	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 20:11:36	Climate change- environmental impact Not reducing the little green/open space that Alexandria has
86	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	Consider the quality of life of the citizens Alexandria already has. Maintaining green space and parks is critical to keeping Alexandria a good, healthy place to live for those of us who live here now, and those we are trying to make room for in the future.
87	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	The City and ACPS should look to areas of the City where there is available land and buildings that are being torn down, e.g., the former Landmark Mall. Using parks and other green space at existing schools to build housing is not appropriate and detrimental to the students and their families and the citizens who live around those locations (more crowding, more traffic, more congestion, less space for children to play in an open setting, etc.). Furthermore, as a result of COVID-19, citizens want and need even more open space and less density in public settings to maintain safe distances. Schoolyards and City parks are critical to families who need open space for their children. The City/ACPS must avoid using circular logic to try to justify colocation of housing at schools and green spaces. The plan would lead to substantially increased housing, population, and density, and that would increase the demand for public services. Adding large amounts of new housing, creating a substantial influx of new residents, and increasing density and congestion would exacerbate the existing challenges in delivering public services and adequate facilities. The plan should not be used to create the very types of demand that it proposes to then meet.
88	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 12:54:20	Listen to the residents.
89	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	Work with your developers and business owners to tackle this solution. Work with Amazon and VT team. We are one community but you need to listen to your community versus bullying your residents.
90	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	cost, cost, cost! the city cannot continue to rely on personal property taxes, unless shrinking the population by making Alexandria unaffordable to all but the top of the income latter is the strategy.

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91	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 11:12:29	Maintaining quality of life in Alexandria City while keeping our infrastructure modern and maintained should be the top priority. Plans that promote growth for growths sake should be avoided. Green space should be a priority. For example, as I learn more about the Taylor Run renovation, it seems driven more by the environmental contractors that the real need. We are going sacrifice 40 years of bio-diversity and beautiful green space for some very small (if any) gains. This money could be much better spent on our huge infrastructure issues. Let's move forward smartly and focus on maintaining and less on growth.
92	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 09:17:08	Try to reuse existing buildings -- we do not need to build additional structures and fill every square inch of this city.
93	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 06:15:55	Again, low government involvement and most importantly minimal tax burden on residents.
94	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-11 05:57:53	Pay attention to what long time residents are telling you. How can this city justify adding thousands of new residents, when the infrastructure can't handle the ones we already have?? Stop with the road diets, stop with the bike lanes, and concentrate on fixing the flooding issues.
95	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 22:38:35	Transparency! Residents will be more receptive of plans that may be controversial if they are informed about the plans in plain language and reasoning, and not blindsided or hurried.
96	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	If you don't build in every conceivable plot of land, you won't need these "strategies". The city cannot maintain adequate services for the current population, such as sewer, water, trash and recycle collections.

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97	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	See response to #12
98	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 19:56:13	What do the residents want, that is most important at this point.
99	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 19:40:55	Safety and housing values
100	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	None of the proposed ideas are valid or correct the basic issue, for reasons far to numerous to be presented in this truncated forum. But in an era of drastically reduced revenue, the gold standard of analysis is how areany of these economically possible?
101	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 07:31:01	Don't take all the green space left and turn it to housing and don't put housing on school sites. Evaluate traffic, neighborhood infrastructure, safety.
102	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-10 05:55:51	Affordable housing should NOT be build on school property.

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103	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 21:15:51	Do not place housing on public school grounds
104	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 17:14:38	ACPS resources need to be used ONLY for purposes that directly impact the education and well being of Alexandria's children. Consider listening to residents. Let's face it, it would be a novel approach!
105	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 16:36:32	Co-location with schools is not a good idea. What happens when these schools need to expand again and we having housing on the site. Tear it down in order to expand the school? Not a lot of foresight in that kind of a decision. Do not remove existing green space. The city already has enormous flooding issues due to overbuilding and increasing impervious surfaces. We must take that into consideration in any changes.
106	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 09:57:52	Please note that my uncertainty below is due to the vague wording of the question. My support for finding solutions does not give blanket support for ANY solution. This survey is biased to find the answers you are looking for.
107	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 09:05:31	The premise of this question misses the mark. Who has decided we are in a housing crisis? We are a small, densely packed City that is bursting at the seams. The infrastructure we currently have is not up to par for the current residents. Focus should not be on affordable housing for future residents but on saving this City for the residents that are already living here.
108	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 08:05:02	Green space. Co locate ONLY with adult city services. While schools and. It's need to work together to support that does not mean housing. Schools provide child care, meals and social services already. They do not need to provide housing.

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109	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	What are residents saying? Are you hearing us? Build out schools on school property, not affordable housing. Kids first. Not every piece of land in Alexandria should have a building on it!
110	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-09 05:59:25	Impact, density, cost, fairness, open space, other residents.
111	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 23:25:46	Quality of life for current residents. Stop turning schools into housing units. 17 says capital projects need to be long lasting. So why is the new MacArthur costing \$70+M and only expected to last 30 years. If you maintain the properties you already have, you won't have to keep building crappy new stuff.
112	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	Green space and not overbuilding needs to be a much higher priority. Considering the damage to the environment by increasing building density must be a higher priority. Each neighborhood should have a much greater voice in the building projects being considered for individual neighborhoods.
113	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	Get some professionals involved; people with real credentials for the work ahead (finance, urban planners, pro-environmental designers). Leave the pro-development people out of the mix. We need to SAVE OUR CITY.
114	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 17:41:37	If you take an aging city building and redevelop it attractively and it includes housing, most people will not mind. If you take part of a large parcel of land and develop part of it nicely (with housing or whatever), and leave a lot (a majority) of green space, it's fine. But if you take a lot and destroy all the trees to build anything (including housing), or you build to the very edge and there is almost nowhere to see the sun or sit on grass or heaven forbid play in dirt, everyone will lose their minds. Even more so when you're talking about taking green space and/or nature away from children (parks or schools). It's pretty straightforward.

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116	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 16:20:34	See above. Pay attention to current trends. Stop thinking that building more high-end construction - which has been the predominant construction in Alexandria for too long - will somehow ameliorate the affordable housing challenge.
117	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 14:55:26	Protecting green space and areas for residents to meet/gather. This is what builds community. Protect school space for recreation and future use for expanded enrollment.
118	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 14:24:26	affordability -- will Alexandria have to tax residents to death? and neighborhood diversity. are we going to continue to be a city where neighborhoods and elementary schools are segregated
119	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	Make developers pay for affordable housing, not the students.
120	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 12:21:52	Maximize the maintenance of our open/green spaces

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121	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	Employees will be enticed to stay in the city and be able to afford it. Plus neighbors will feel "safe" I have heard a lot of my neighbors against having affordable housing nearby because of the people it will attract. But if we keep it to city and acps employees this may help alleviate those worries.
122	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	The will of the community, especially the affected community, not just the paper-driving facts and figures. Warp drive may be possible in the script of a TV show, but not in reality.
123	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:12:37	DO NOT USE SCHOOL PROPERTIES FOR THE CO LOCATION OF HOUSING!!!
124	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	the people need to be informed by transparent information. There needs to be a method for people to propose other ideas.
125	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 10:34:49	The health, well-being and happiness of neighborhood children and the tax paying residents who have already invested in these neighborhoods. Changing zoning to suit these ill-advised ideas is ridiculous and should be unlawful.
126	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	Long term costs and benefits

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127	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:49:05	Less density, no destroying trees or green space
128	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	I assume the planning team's mandate does not extend to transportation, infrastructure and school population density issues driven by increased development. If it does, emphasis should be placed there. If not, it needs to. Asking one city office to address problems driven by another is ridiculous.
129	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 08:12:31	Balance housing and broader community needs.
130	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	Creating an affordable City, which means a city that its citizens can afford to maintain and sustain.
131	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 22:00:02	Please consider if current nearby residents want low income housing near them.
132	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 20:44:45	It is important to maintain the character of neighborhoods. Apartment buildings should not be placed in single family home neighborhoods. They will negatively impact the neighborhoods, making them crowded with too much traffic.

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133	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Low density. Not building on open space.
134	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	1) does it add unnecessary density under the flawed premise of needed affordable housing? If yes, throw the plan away and focus on fixing existing problems - like stormwater drainage
135	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	Not overbuilding.
136	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Open to all residents; objective options, not predetermined; community support; respect for existing laws.
137	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 17:36:53	SAFETY.
138	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 17:32:23	Decrease population development until we can better meet current demand including operate and maintenance. Less density. Education sites should not be mixed use, with the possible exception of libraries.

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139	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	Protecting current residents from high density development. You have prioritized development and left city residents with failing infrastructures. You've paved over wetlands and increase demand on a failing sewer system, causing flooding for residents. Stop all development now until you can fix your issues.
140	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:37:37	Your premise is completely wrong. This is a push-poll.
141	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:24:40	Affordable housing is important. The city of Alexandria is very small in land size. Putting affordable housing onto shared land tracks as schools or recreation facilities may be a poor decision. Schools is the one place I would aim to give maximum space to the students and the school complex and minimize any overlapping/shared facilities. Schools are lacking in space and need as much space as possible. For example, the schools my need trailer classrooms as flex space.
142	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:04:40	Impact on current residents, infrastructure, taxes, and deferred maintenance
143	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	See above
144	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 13:35:25	do NOT mix school sites with other public uses

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146	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 13:27:03	STOP doing anything until you can take care of the tax paying residents who are not getting what they have already paid for
147	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	Likewise, adding public housing to school sites isn't smart thinking . . .
148	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 12:15:55	No colocation on school grounds!
149	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	Higher density is not the way to go.
150	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Emminent domain. There is a significant amount of under used and under-developed land in the city, especially with the collapse of many retail stores in light of COVID-19. The city needs to take advantage of a potential decrease in prices and buy needed land to build another high school, particularly in the northeast area. We should not be co-locating a school with housing under any circumstances, particularly not the schools that are in the MIDDLE of single family housing neighborhoods (e.g., George Mason elementary). Why don't we stop giving out free food to people that don't need it, and stop paying nonessential teachers during a pandemic (e.g., gym teachers when kids are at home) and save that money!

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151	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	Schools should be schools and nothing else; schools are solely learning environments. Housing should not be co-located with schools. It could be disruptive and dangerous. Stop trying to house everyone. We cannot be Manhattan,
152	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 22:08:49	Safety of children!
153	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 21:54:40	No more affordable housing in the West End. It's already a shit show at the Fields and the 711 on S. Jordan.
154	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	1) Don't get rid of existing greenspace/parks/fields and outdoor sports facilities (basketball courts, tennis courts, etc.) 2) Put affordable housing where the larger apartment and retail buildings already exist, if we really do need affordable housing (I believe, in general, that people should live where they can afford to live--you don't change everything around the other way to accommodate those who can't afford to live here)
155	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 20:09:03	I don't think these strategies are appropriate, and I think other issues are more deserving of this level of attention.
156	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	By what is desired by the current citizens - not regional, state or national non-profits organization and aspirational "new" single young high income max spending - max/consumers of expensive amenities - until they have children and the move to the suburban areas. Consider Alexandria current citizens first of all incomes, ages and races. Hire full and part-time employees, sub-contractors and consultants by giving HR bonus hiring points to city residents.

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158	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	Consider the long term impacts on our thriving community and the sustainability of your reckless, unrealistic plans.
159	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 18:52:35	None of the 3 ideas should be considered, therefore there is no priority for them.
160	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	Listen to the taxpaying residents and protect the environment.
161	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	As I wrote above, stop taking our green space and stop trying to force co-location on our schools and neighborhoods and community!
162	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 18:01:05	Please do not take away green space in neighborhoods. Also, please do not co-locate other public facilities or housing at schools.

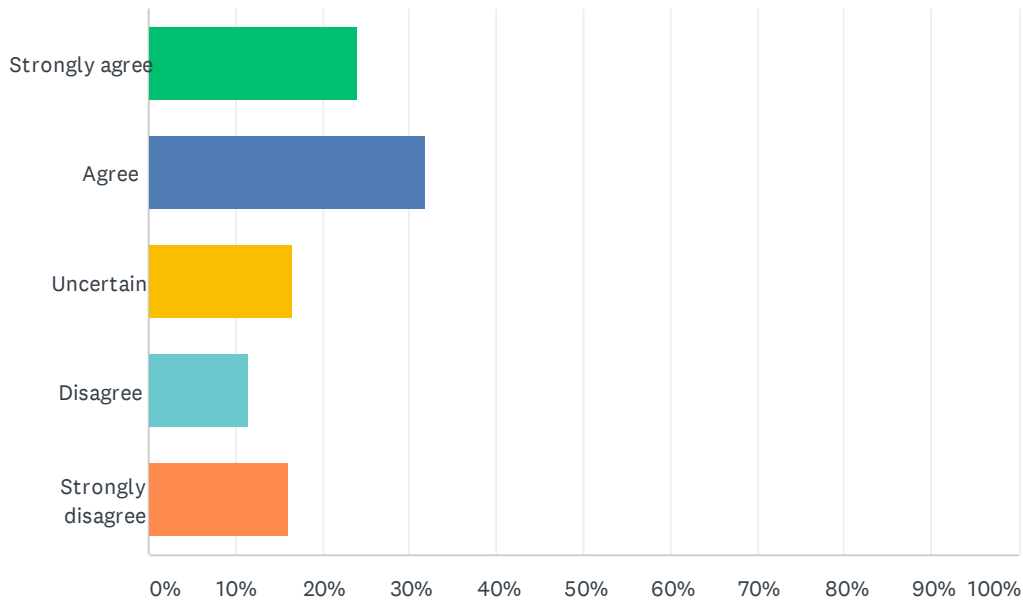
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163	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 16:58:08	You should not consider co locating housing on school property
164	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	We should be doing all of the above!
165	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 15:45:40	The context of the neighborhood in which each site is located is important in evaluating the co-location of affordable housing.
166	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 15:09:39	I think co-locating is an option that can get a lot of "bang" for the buck. I do believe that we have to be very careful about co-locating with schools for safety reasons. There should definitely be discussions around the safety of the grounds and common areas around schools, especially if co-locating brings more traffic, cars, parking, etc. I think co-locating affordable housing with other public facilities besides schools, could be a very viable option.
167	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:54:28	Transparency
168	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Neighborhoods need sufficient parking, green space, transit, infrastructure etc. Also, you can't limit residents to building on 35% of their lots if you are going to place large multi family buildings in the middle of single family house without appropriate infrastructure

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169	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:44:19	1. The environment.
170	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:41:12	Our schools are overcrowded. Stop building more housing until the schools can handle the increased population of students.
171	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:37:29	Input from the residents, some people with good, rational ideas instead of those pushing for more development regardless of the impact on the residents
172	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	We need to consider the impact on current residents. They have been forgotten in your process.
173	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:16:45	Livability, recreation, historic preservation.
174	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	Impact to parks, existing neighborhoods, and green space. Priory for safety and health of the city's students.

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175	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 12:06:02	Do not even consider collocation on public school property. It's ridiculous.
176	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 11:57:16	The voices of the residents in the affected area, not the musings of some theoretical planner who will never have to live with the results of these schemes.
177	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 11:42:56	Understanding that what you build now in regards to affordable housing will at some point not be affordable no matter what public efforts or policies you put into place. You want to avoid the city becoming rundown and unsafe for those who live here now by maxing out the space and reaching a point where up keep is virtually impossible by public and private sectors.
178	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	Make sure the schools have more space, not less. Do not put housing on current school property.
179	Open Question #14: How should the planning team evaluate these potential strategies? What is the most important consideration when evaluating these potential strategies?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	Do NOT destroy any more of our open spaces and unique ecosystems. Do NOT place housing on any school or rec center property. Colocating rec centers and schools, as was done with Patrick Henry, is the best and safest dual use of ACPS facilities.

Q15 We are one community. ACPS and all City departments should work together to solve for needs as effectively and efficiently as possible.

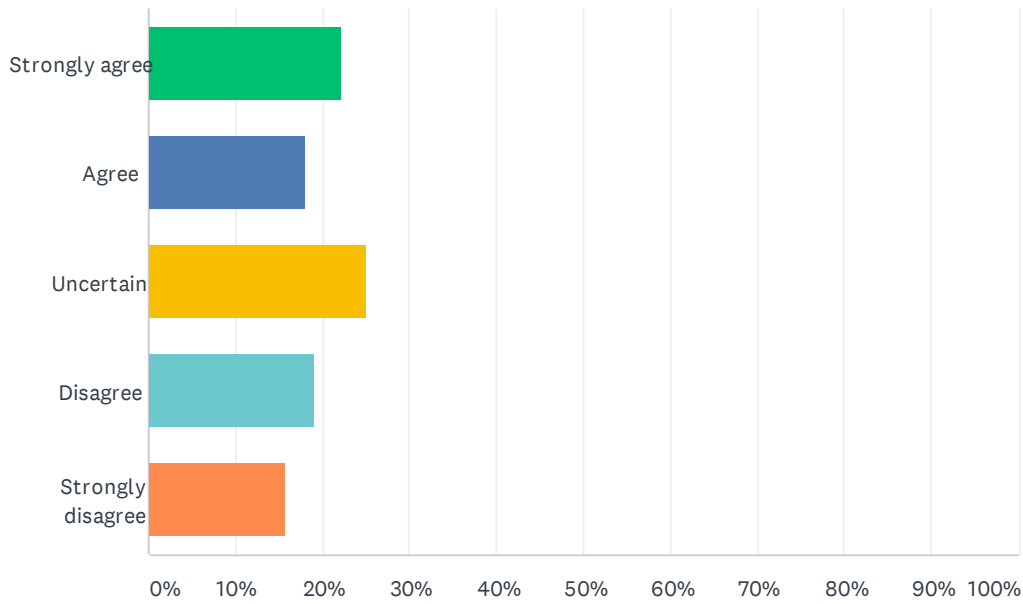
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	24.14%	63
Agree	31.80%	83
Uncertain	16.48%	43
Disagree	11.49%	30
Strongly disagree	16.09%	42
TOTAL		261

Q16 We should always consider alternative solutions before buying new property for public services.

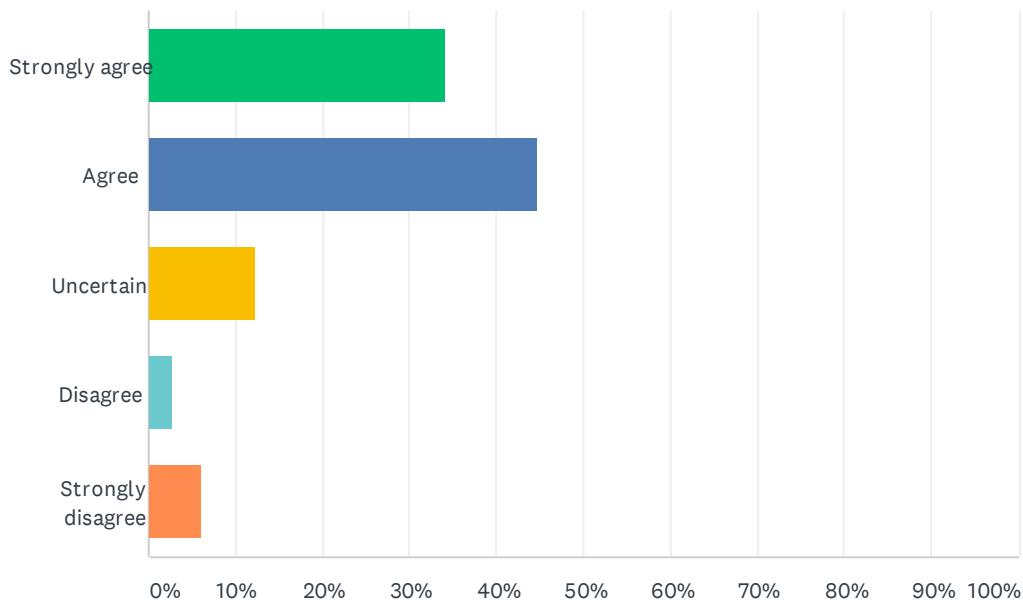
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	22.14%	58
Agree	17.94%	47
Uncertain	25.19%	66
Disagree	19.08%	50
Strongly disagree	15.65%	41
TOTAL		262

Q17 Capital projects are long-term investments. Solutions need to be comprehensive and long-lasting.

Answered: 261 Skipped: 58



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly agree	34.10%	89
Agree	44.83%	117
Uncertain	12.26%	32
Disagree	2.68%	7
Strongly disagree	6.13%	16
TOTAL		261

Q18 Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?

Answered: 155 Skipped: 164

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1	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	Add "preserve green space" as a key goal in the master plan.
2	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	Your whole plan is based on the assumption our population will increase -- an assumption made pre-Covid. You should not proceed until you obtain a new, post-Covid assessment, and that is shared with the community for discussion.
3	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space.
4	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	Always involve the neighborhood groups, like the North Ridge Citizens Association. Meetings and announcements need to be widely distributed. The many neighborhood listservs would be a good way to alert citizens.
5	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	This survey appears to be designed to justify the plan without providing specific information on the City/ACPS' intentions and what is being considered to inform, and elicit specific input from, the public. The draft materials made public identify several potential goals such as "share school sites with other public uses" that are vague and potentially sweeping. They do not adequately address community concerns regarding the use of ACPS sites for non-core uses, especially housing at school sites. The inadvertent leak of ACPS' feasibility study plan to place a large, multi-story housing structure on the site of George Mason Elementary School in North Ridge underscores why residents need to fully understand what specific parameters the City/ACPS will use in making its decisions about appropriate use of school sites and other multi-use public facilities.
6	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	Stop bullying your residents. Listen.
7	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	Why the rush given the important and generational impacts?

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9	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-11 06:15:55	A master plan needs more specifics.
10	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	Who will profit (\$) from these plans? Why should we "advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan"?
11	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	More time is needed for citizen participation and comments before you advance this plan.
12	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-10 19:40:55	Please continue to solicit public opinions. There seems to be a recent pattern of shoving "improvements" down residents' throats.
13	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-10 17:46:53	You should consider that residents do not agree with your approach and low numbers of responses in a city of 160,000 is not approval of these plans. Skewing the survey to get the answers you want is disingenuous.
14	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	More meaningful public input.
15	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-10 05:55:51	Please be open and transparent in your communication. Over communicate!

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17	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 18:04:33	You should not allow comments and opposition to be anonymous. There are some terrible ideas out there and opposition to new ideas. Sessions should be recorded so these individuals are on the record with backwards views.
18	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 17:14:38	Come up with better surveys. This one is insulting to the residents of Alexandria. It is clearly written to predetermine the outcome. Do you think so little of your residents and taxpayers? And by the way, many of us work and have worked in politics. Did you think we wouldn't notice the structure of the survey? Come on.
19	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 09:57:52	If you want community input, you need to provide a survey or an opportunity for feedback that isn't so blatantly designed to force the answers you are hoping to hear. This isn't feedback.
20	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 09:05:31	Schools should not be co-locates. Fix current facilities before building new ones. Stop allowing affordable housing units drive the future of this city.
21	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 08:05:02	Alexandria is a community - not New York City. Residents live and come here for that not because they want city living. At some point we have to choose what we want to be when we grow up. Several important questions were missing from this survey that would give staff insight into resident wants and needs. Such as why you chose Alexandria. What do you like best about Alexandria living and many many more. Please rethink gathering additional insight from residents before proceeding.
22	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 07:31:38	Especially with the consideration of eliminating police from public schools, NO COLOCATION OF HOUSING ON PUBLIC SCHOOL PROPERTIES. YOU ALL ARE RUINING THIS CITY!!!!!!
23	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	This survey should have the question: Do you think taking away school property to develop housing on it instead of Rebuilding schools and Using open space for schools is a good idea? Be more transparent with these questions. The spin will be "look at all that strongly agreed with these statements to be creative with housing." Kids first. Listen to the residents. No housing on school sites.

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24	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-09 05:59:25	Schools are critical. School property is a critical party of the neighborhood characterb with numerous intangible uses. It should not be sacrificed for affordable housing. I would rather explore alternate approaches including higher taxes or use of other resources. Hold developers to higher standards... They get too much difference from the city.
25	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 23:25:46	Stop ruining Alexandria
26	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 22:01:58	Again, don't forget the green spaces (see earlier comments)
27	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	The guiding principles are flawed and need to be revisited.
28	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	Remember that this City is home to many people and the importance of being a responsible steward to provide a good quality of life for the citizenry cannot be stressed enough.
29	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 16:20:34	This survey itself is reflective of the predominant ethos that is being opposed by more and more people from Alexandria. It's loaded with loaded questions about the need to do this or the desire to do that. How about listening to citizens and not preaching to them?
30	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 16:13:12	Read my comment regarding ACPS and the dangers of sharing their sites.
31	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 14:55:26	Do not build affordable housing on existing school sites. This makes no sense at all to me. Once that is built, it limits the ability to expand for enrollment. Just as important, green space is so limited here and each neighborhood deserves a playground and athletic fields. This is how we have met so many people since moving here and has helped us feel like we are part of the community. Please do not take that away. It will change the way people feel about living here in Alexandria. It is hard to live with such old infrastructure, the traffic, high cost of living and having outdoor green space available helps offset these. Thank you

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33	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	The citizens want transparency and honest communication from their elected officials.
34	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 12:21:52	I am particularly addressing the issues surrounding George Mason Elementary and the field behind it. During COVID, that field was a life line, and used by an immense number of citizens to try to remain sane and safe during a trying time. It would be criminal and negligent to destroy that space.
35	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	spread out! there are so many areas that are empty in the Eisenhower area, on S Pickett, Duke St.
36	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	Do not just be transparent, but be a widespread loudspeaker of the facts. Town crier times 1000.
37	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 11:12:37	DO NOT USE SCHOOL PROPERTY FOR THE CO LOCATION OF HOUSING!!
38	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	Preserve green space. Build up and not out. No subsidized housing but rather pay our public servants more.
39	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 10:34:49	Remove any suggestion of co-locating housing on school property and commit to maintaining open fields, especially at our elementary schools.

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41	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	Please stop overbuilding in our beautiful city
42	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 09:33:15	No new soccer fields sohuld be built or even considered.
43	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 08:49:05	Stop the pet projects for small, friendly constituencies b
44	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	Limit development.
45	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 08:12:31	I am a resident of North Ridge and parent of children who attend George Mason. Not everyone who lives here is opposed to the colocation of housing at our school site; however, communication around this very tentative idea was poor and upset many residents. Given recent increases in consciousness around systemic racism in our country, I think there is an opportunity to have a renewed conversation about our community's values and how can promote equity through housing.
46	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	Consider the motivation and underlying interests of so many who would spend hundreds of millions of dollars to build in Alexandria conventional civic buildings and school facilities when there are far less expensive and actually more efficient and effective alternatives.
47	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Fix the sewers and existing infrastructure such as schools before building new buildings. You can't have it all. Goals should be limited and tangible.

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48	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	No collocation on school property. No increased density for affordable housing.
49	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	Drop idea idea of building housing on school property.
50	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Make this effort more community based; give priority to vacant school land; use the development process to make new land available--similar to what the city does with firehouses.
51	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	Stop development. We don't need more housing. We need to take care of current residents, not bring additional residents to Alexandria.
52	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 15:37:37	You should throw out this "survey" because it's a push poll. You should be embarrassed to have put it out to the community and pretending to solicit community input in this way, when what you've done is conduct advocacy and intend to pretend you've done a survey.
53	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 15:24:40	I have become acutely aware of the city's infrastructure woes both in poor planning and poor long range thinking. Therefore I question if this is enough... Should Alexandria be building infrastructure even larger, larger schools, larger stormwater networks, more recreational facilities, police stations, etc.
54	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 15:04:40	Failure to address current material infrastructure issues including traffic should occur before new facilities are contracted and created.
55	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	Give an honest survey whose results cannot be twisted to justify the preordained outcome.

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56	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 13:03:38	We cannot support any housing on school property. I am fine with it being next to it, but it is inappropriate on school property.
57	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	See all comments above please.
58	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 12:15:55	No co location and no lying about it. The mayor and city council have their own agenda and should not bully ACPS regarding budget.
59	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	This survey seems designed to get the answers you want to push your project through.
60	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Emminent domain. There is a significant amount of under used and under-developed land in the city, especially with the collapse of many retail stores in light of COVID-19. The city needs to take advantage of a potential decrease in prices and buy needed land to build another high school, particularly in the northeast area. We should not be co-locating a school with housing under any circumstances, particularly not the schools that are in the MIDDLE of single family housing neighborhoods (e.g., George Mason elementary). Why don't we stop giving out free food to people that don't need it, and stop paying nonessential teachers during a pandemic (e.g., gym teachers when kids are at home) and save that money! Stop wasting money on million dollar bus stops and bike lanes.
61	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 10:20:19	Leave the green space at George Mason alone. You are making people angry.
62	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	Stop playing white savior
63	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 22:46:54	Take your time! Don't feel urgency to get this done quickly at the expense of quality.

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64	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 21:54:40	Lower our taxes and reallocate funding from ACPS. Ensure an audit is complete to make sure existing funds aren't being wasted.
65	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	Yes, the comments of the Alexandria residents.
66	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 20:09:03	Schools should never be the answer to the affordable housing issue.
67	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	Increase resident professionals in all levels of city employment - promote city residents preference.
68	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 19:33:33	Keep off school property! No collocation

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69	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	There needs to be a transparent explanation of your decision process, and assurances that you will respond to and accept community inputs. In the recent past there has been a disturbing pattern of the City just going through the motions on taking public comment when in fact no amount of community opposition and reasonable counter-arguments will sway you in the least on what appear to be pre-ordained approaches. Please consider that the course you're on, particularly the apparent drive to use school property and recreational grounds to build new housing (increasing density and the upward spiral of public service needs), will have a catastrophic and potentially irreversible impact on city neighborhoods, changing unrecognizably and permanently many wonderful, thriving and beautiful communities that have stood the test of time and kept a delicate equilibrium as community spaces almost since they were built. Please listen to us. We are your constituents, and we chose to live here for a reason - because of the character and quality of life that we have here. Please de-couple the schools and ACPS now from your development plans. Please re-examine the basis and objectives of your master plan - what are we trying to achieve and whose objectives are they? It is not my objective, or thousands of my neighbors', to increase the population of Alexandria for the sake of it, to increase housing of any kind, to increase development, density, over-crowding, and the resulting crushing burden on our infrastructure and public services. Why is it yours? Please also consider the level of deception and lack of integrity that you're deploying as you promote all these plans, and whether you want this to be your legacy as public servants. Even your survey questions were deceptive, and potentially capable of generating false appearance of support for your plans because of the twisted wording. Please listen to us.
70	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 18:52:35	Include more residents on the team and reduce the number of commercial partnerships from the team.
71	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	Stop using the language of obfuscation in your plans. Your words disguise your true objectives.
72	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	As you wrote above, solutions should be long-lasting and comprehensive. Why didn't you all think of that when you sold property to developers to build luxury and high-end housing rather than affordable housing? Why did our city and Mayor make a deal with Amazon when Arlington is getting any benefit from it. We are only getting the negative repercussions from it all. Going forward, take care of this community for a change! Listen to the residents for a change- you certainly didn't listen to the community regarding bike lanes on Seminary...
73	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 17:41:51	Try to limit future population growth. Alexandria is too crowded. Further growth will further destroy the quality of life in our fair city—quality of life that the Wilson Administration appears hell bent on demolishing.

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74	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 16:58:08	You should not consider co locating housing on school property
75	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	Consider an outreach/communication strategy for all of the neighborhood associations in the city, so that a few well-organized, very vocal and highly-resourced neighborhood associations don't control the debate. They don't speak for all of the residents of their neighborhoods, let alone the rest of the city.
76	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 15:09:39	The building of Ferdinand Day Drive in a pre-existing building seems to have been a success. I think we need to learn from our success stories and work hard to find pre-existing structures that can be reworked for facilities such as schools.
77	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 15:00:35	No housing on school property! And no more leading questions on surveys.
78	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 14:59:18	The Landmark mall site
79	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Eroding you tax base by driving down value of single family homes is not helpful. Stop letting developers remove affordable housing without replacing it at an appropriate ratio. You have caused this crisis through redevelopment in Old Town
80	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 12:44:19	Many of these questions were leading. I think you should hire someone independent to do this kind of work for the city. Because, whoever made this survey is very biased and is probably doing a poor job in other areas as well.
81	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 12:41:12	The capacity of the school system needs to drive housing decisions. It is unacceptable that our schools are 25-50% over capacity. That must be addressed before any additional housing!

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82	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	This plan is clearly a reflection of staff and not residents. Please begin again.
83	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	Co-location with schools should be a non starter.
84	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 11:57:16	Yes, the citizens of the city of Alexandria should vote on these proposals BEFORE anything moves forward.
85	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 11:42:56	You should strongly consider the impact to safety, infrastructure upkeep, and other aspects that are often forgot because of the emotional involvement you place on helping those who cannot help themselves. I firmly believe that we need more affordable housing however there are ways to maintain what draws those, like myself, to this city and still balance urbanization.
86	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 11:15:49	Use your brains, not just city coffers when thinking about things. Take the community and the environment into consideration. Don't ignore voices of citizens.
87	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	Preserving the current density. Can we really take this major increase in population that the video presentation described? Why should Alexandria have to?
88	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	Use plain language and reveal your intent in surveys, briefings and in-person meetings. Instead of "certain public facilities", list every type of facility on which the city would consider colocating housing. Instead of "vacant" and "underused" sites, specify whether the intent is to turn currently open, green space into a building or astroturf playing field. Appeal to council and other departments to stop green-lighting massive development until current public-services needs are fulfilled. Until that occurs, the city faces a Sisyphean situation.
89	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-01 21:24:05	CONSIDER shelving the plan and starting over.

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90	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	Sustainability (especially environmental) seems to be missing from the guiding principles and future planning. If Alexandria's environmental problems — flash flooding/urban-induced rainfall, sea level rise, the urban heat island effect, air pollution, antiquated sanitary sewer system, etc. — aren't prioritized and addressed first, none of the rest of the problems noted will matter. We are already at the tipping point. City leaders must now start putting the needs and safety of city residents ahead of the needs of developers to make a buck. Otherwise, Alexandria must begin handing out snorkel equipment and boats to residents.
91	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	School property should not be considered wasted space. The land is used for children and adults to exercise and for community building activities. Allowing joint use sets the precedent for unsafe colocation such as mental health services.
92	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	Trash existing plan and have all involved tender their resignations for an inability to be transparent and honest.
93	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	Include realistic and sustainable limits to population growth. DO NOT just accept unlimited growth. This is both economically and ecologically decimating to communities and certainly goes against any values.
94	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 20:06:14	Please listen to constituents. Do not have a plan in place prior to public engagement
95	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 19:50:11	Listen to the taxpayers who have been very clear that colocation is not an acceptable option. Listen to residents who have been clear that we don't want our charming city to turn into cookie cutter apartment/condo/th complexes. We live in Alexandria for the lifestyle.
96	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 18:54:31	Slowing population growth. Process bias in favor of co-locating housing with city services.
97	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	Training facilities like police, fire, emt, etc. should be regional and should be located in a larger jurisdiction.

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98	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	City's vision ACPS vision
99	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 11:01:02	No Housing On School Sites!
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 09:49:50	Whether the citizens, defined as people residing within the legal geographic confines of the City, want this JFMP.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 08:49:30	Ensure that future survey questions are more objective. Questions are worded in such a way that city-managements' preferred outcomes are pretty much baked in.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 08:41:18	Slow growth and density
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-29 08:00:39	Not putting housing on public school property
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 22:57:50	Not sure what all the noise has been about coming from my community association, they seem to be concerned about collocating schools with adult housing and they're making it sound like the city wants to collocate male prisoners with schools so my only advice would be for the city to ignore this noise.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 22:07:36	I feel like this is a push poll favoring certain answers.

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##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	Should we make city services privatized and use that land for schools.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	Stop stealing school land from overcrowded school to win political points.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 21:10:36	Will the federal government be willing to sell/donate land?
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 21:12:24	Open space needs to be maintained. Don't develop at the expense of public use of outdoor space.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 20:55:02	The current horizon for new buildings, such as the new schools, is woefully inadequate in timeframe when buildings are treated as nearly disposable to last only a couple of decades.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 20:39:33	You people seem intent on steamrolling ahead.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	Do not attempt to put housing on school grounds.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 19:59:51	The overwhelming LACK of support for co-locating housing on any school property. The George Mason ES debacle should be plenty of insight into the public's opinion on this. The huge need for existing infrastructure support, repair, and replacement should be prioritized over enabling increased density.

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##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	Put co-location of schools with low income housing on the ballot and do not proceed unless it gets a 2/3 vote within the affected school zone.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 19:01:33	DONT!
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 17:18:00	LESS DENSITY AND TELL COG TO LOOK ELSEWHERE FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING!
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 12:46:22	No co-location of housing with schools. Please keep those separate.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	Yes -- QUIT INCREASING POPULATION. It's like having an overflowing bathtub, you keep throwing towel on the floor and mopping up water -- TURN OFF THE TAP, let some of the water run out before you try and build up the sides of the tub. It's just nuts what you people are thinking.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	I beg ACPS to truly keep our children at the heart of any master plan. Parents across the city are watching their kids struggle with virtual learning platforms, limited technology and a continued reduction of green space. While there are lots of needs across the City, building on top of or next to school buildings will provide yet another distraction for our children. We are bursting at the seams and schools should prepare for the additional capacity needs before opting to build housing, fire stations, police stations - all which pose safety issues for parents and children. The City needs to figure out a way to address these needs without sacrificing the education of the children enrolled in its public schools.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 11:03:24	Keep it democratic- if you are going to have co use facilities- you need to let the community decide. Not a joke of a city council with 100% at large seats. No one is tied to an actual neighborhood- no one is beholden to a sub section of the city.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-28 09:49:58	This survey is the equivalent of asking is it ok to beat your cat? Of course the answer is no, but this a blatantly disingenuous attempt to direct the answers where the city wants them. Everyone of the questions will be used to say that the city residents want this or that, when they don't.

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##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	Take housing off the table for school sites.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-27 23:20:29	Serving the residents of Alexandria by meeting their municipal needs; not increasing density or committing to more density during a global pandemic. Too much residential flooding; preserve permeable land.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-27 22:49:41	Practicality of actual sites. You can't keep saying you can drop housing on any vacant sites, unless its going to be through tents and campers. There also needs to be a consideration of the tax base. Putting up housing in vacant commercial properties continues to push the full tax load on residents.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-27 19:58:36	Do not put affordable housing on school properties.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-27 19:14:06	Don't co-locate schools.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	I've seen very little within this survey that is truly original. And leave the schools alone. It's interesting there's so much chatter about projects with schools all of a sudden. Is this because in Alexandria they are often located at, or near, prime properties?
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-26 10:18:14	Separate City Council and Schools. The two should not be working as close together as they are now. It makes the focus look like ACPS is now in the business of Affordable Housing, instead of addressing the overcrowding; the crumbling buildings; the lead in the water, etc.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	Philosophy of democracy, humanism, and Earth Justice. Not just an agora, but a community of all ages, backgrounds, and abilities and contributions. Also basic needs like safety, clean water, sewage, garbage pickup, and utilities that include Internet. One thing: I propose dog toilets. We have Backlick and Holmes and Cameron Runs. Flush dog sewage twice a day like Paris! Along with human refuse. Dog owners believe every little patch of mulch and flower is there for their dog. Some strips of grass smell like dog urine in summer. Intolerable.

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##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-25 10:53:42	Basic city services come first. Get that right before you expand your portfolio.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-25 08:04:31	Ignore the Cameron Station Civic Association's attempts to breed racism and elitism by their fear-mongering.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	Don't share school properties with housing for adults.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	People don't always listen. People don't always read. Internet sites and a habit of sharing or over-sharing will help with both of these problems. Also, when you get negative feedback, don't get defensive; always ask for the person's alternative idea.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	No
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 15:53:46	The City of Alexandria needs to live within its budgeted means and resources available
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 15:42:00	Neighborhood groups are already gearing up to fight this. I was directed here by mine to oppose co-location. That makes me really sad to have such selfishness in the planning phase. Be careful with your announcements. Educate strategically and fully so you minimize opposition from the start. Be careful that your press releases do not make co-location look like a "done deal". Good luck!
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	Yes - stop it.

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##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-24 09:24:08	Please preserve our green space. Stop developing every square inch of alexandria.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	Open, trustworthy communication is key. Even this survey was worded to force agreement while feigning to ask an opinion. Yes, we agree land is expensive but that doesn't mean that I (or others) don't think we should incur the cost. If we want more public housing, we should be prepared to pay for it. Not take half steps to ruin existing sites. If we need a new fire station, our community should invest in it, not stick it on a school site. Buy properties, stop leasing others. We should be in this for the long-game.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	The citizens are strongly opposed to building housing on school fields.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-22 12:41:20	Housing should not be the number one priority for the City.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	Yes, the public comment period of two weeks (after months of non-engagement) should be extended to allow for greater review and input. The public survey with leading questions that do not speak to the real issues also needs to be revised, per comments here.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	Develop criteria for ranking needs. Provide details/ links to your Framework and Roadmap
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	Do not give Community Associations a veto.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	Creative on-site renewable energy production facilities by private developers

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##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	Existing zoning. Public support.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-16 18:58:22	Citizens who object or oppose plans have insight that should be recognized and respected
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	Listen to the citizens of Alexandria. There are a lot of brilliant minds in our City. Start listening!
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-16 14:24:16	Only surveys from Alexandria residents should be evaluated and those from non residents should not be considered by the City.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-14 20:47:48	Most of these survey questions were slanted for an agree or strongly agree response.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-14 20:32:08	Write a better survey and try to engage people instead of checking off the boxes.
##	Open Question #18: Is there anything else we should consider before we advance the Joint Facilities Master Plan?	2020-09-14 18:56:42	Housing of any type on school property with a school building should not be an option at any point.

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Answered: 120 Skipped: 199

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2	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 22:57:02	Continued updates and feedback, and advocating for a master plan that centers equity
3	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 21:55:49	I would like to receive updates.
4	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 21:19:19	Thank you for your consideration of my views. Yes, I would appreciate being informed.
5	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 20:23:26	Do not build housing on school property. The city and children need green space.
6	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 20:11:36	Complete transparency. This town has lost a lot of credibility in its ability to make positive changes.
7	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 17:39:13	I will attend meetings and participate as best I can.
8	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 13:47:49	I want to be able to review all public comments received by the City/ACPS well before future City/ACPS proposals (and comment deadlines).
9	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 12:53:07	City of Alexandria's processes are difficult to get involved into since alot of work and decisions are done in small internal meetings which are not open to the public.

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10	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 11:15:13	Happy to be constructively involved, not looking for easy, quick cookie cutter solutions to complex problems; however, if the cake is baked and citizen input is merely for optics or to validate the best of a series of bad choices then do not waist our time. In the end it comes down to whether we are defining the root problem and real solutions or simply doing triage because we refuse to address the real problem(s).
11	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 11:12:29	I am happy to help in anyway I can. But, as a minimum, I would like the opportunity to be informed and feel confident we have full transparency into how our community is being managed and how our taxes are being invested back into the community.
12	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-11 06:15:55	I can help by consulting.
13	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-10 21:44:21	It's already in the works and this survey, like many other attempts to get resident approval, I is biased. Your questions are stated in such a way that to disagree seems not realistic.
14	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-10 20:58:06	I will continue to review any proposals and attend public meetings to discuss this process.
15	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-10 17:46:53	All citizens should have a voice and the process should be transparent rather than the backdoor methods currently employed by staff.
16	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-10 15:56:47	I already am.
17	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-09 18:04:33	I would love to support positive ideas coming from the community and help in convincing my neighbors to support good ideas. I have 3 kids in ACPS and absolutely love this community. I am hoping to support Alexandria's future and that means changing minds along the way.
18	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-09 17:14:38	Be transparent. Release the videos of all past meeting along with staff notes. Be truthful. The person who originally proposed housing on school grounds needs to come forward. This question has been asked by residents and by the school board chair. Time to be proud of your work and come forward!

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19	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-09 16:36:32	I would like emails of progress and notices of meetings.
20	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-09 07:31:38	This survey was skewed to have people agree with overarching principles which the city will use to build affordable housing on school sites. There were no specifics and this was too high level!!!! So, the city will use this questionnaire to say that residents want multi use properties and then build affordable housing on school property. Then, the city will eliminate police presence from schools. This is a recipe for disaster!!!!
21	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-09 06:44:22	Already am.
22	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 19:30:37	Would like to know in detail every aspect of this plan and will be as involved as Alexandria allows. The City seems to generally not be very transparent.
23	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 19:07:05	I'm not sure how to answer that question. I'd like the city officials and school board to faithfully carry out their jobs and keep the health of our citizens and city as a top priority. NO MORE BUILDING AND SAVE OUR TREES! I'm not an urban planner professional, just a citizen who is truly worried about the track our fair city is on and the loss of mature trees and open space, and the impact it has and will have on us all.
24	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 11:30:35	Webinars/virtual meetings.
25	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 16:20:34	I'm involved every time I pay my considerable tax bill.
26	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 14:55:26	be notified of future meetings and surveys
27	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 14:24:26	I have taken part in processes like this in the past, and I have very little desire to participate in the future because I don't believe the city leaders actually listen to residents

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28	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 12:22:23	Review proposals in transparent public meetings.
29	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 12:03:45	let us vote on topics and give opinions in a civilized manner
30	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 11:00:58	Expressing my opinions and expecting that they are read and considered. You were elected and are being paid to make the right decisions.
31	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 11:01:35	i would like to be kept in the loop.
32	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 09:49:39	I already attend meetings and fill out surveys. I plan do do this moving forward.
33	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 08:31:10	Having been "involved" in a few city "processes" recently, it is apparent that my and other residents. "Involvement" has been a sham. I will continue to be engaged but am persuaded that these "processes" will only yield reasonable outcomes in the hands of a different administration.
34	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 08:16:45	Many of these agree/disagree statements are broad and theoretical. I would appreciate surveys that propose specific ideas for consideration/feedback.
35	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 08:12:31	My expertise is in education, family involvement, and equity. Where there is an overlap with your processes, I'm happy to advise.

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36	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-08 00:25:34	My background is in the construction of learning centers and systems for training and education that involves the appropriate application of advanced instructional technology. I have served as a consultant to Walt Disney's EPCOT Center, CPB, IBM, Apple, KPMG, numerous universities, libraries, public schools, tribal governments, correctional systems, the military, and the White House. I am now retired and interested in developing a superior and sustainable educational system for my grandchildren. I also worked for nearly 15 years in the commercialization of university-developed technology ("tech transfer"), so I could potentially be of considerable value in interfacing with Virginia Tech.
37	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 20:09:43	Please be transparent in the process.
38	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 19:43:52	Given true ability to weigh in instead of having finalized plans shoved down our throats
39	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 18:18:57	Keep me post
40	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 17:54:47	Place me on your email list. Give me input before strategies are selected. Make your decision-making process steps more visible and involve people in clarifying what steps you will take--I can help with this.
41	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 16:19:43	I'd like to move away and leave Alexandria and it's city politics forever.
42	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 15:37:37	I will be opposing any effort to undermine existing communities as has been proposed repeatedly and as this survey attempts to skew attention towards. There's no point in saying I'd "participate" because there's a preset, flawed agenda.
43	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 15:24:40	My background is in GIS, city planning, emergency management, and public administration. If you think you need someone that can fit that bill on your citizen team, let me know.

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44	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 15:01:21	An actual survey.
45	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 12:52:06	Continuing as interested homeowner.
46	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 11:46:04	Surveys, city council meetings.
47	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 11:44:35	Maybe, I will reach out in the future if I feel it is warranted, mostly I will VOTE.
48	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 10:40:57	Major decisions and guidelines should be put to a city vote. Get the vote from your constituents beforehand, or we will vote you out.
49	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-07 09:44:32	Keep the public well informed so we can comment and be involved
50	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 22:46:54	Community input via polls.
51	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 21:54:40	I don't care to be involved.
52	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 20:50:56	I think it's time to meet in person (with everyone wearing masks, obviously) so people can speak their minds. It's a bit scary when everything is communicated online b/c it doesn't look like you all are acting on our comments. It's like it's: 'OK, checked that box, now full speed ahead.'

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53	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 20:09:03	I think further surveys and public participation is needed here.
54	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 19:38:18	Serve on Committees with true Mayor and Council support. Search committees for leadership job vancancies.
55	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 19:33:33	Keep off school property!
56	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 19:17:19	Ideally I would like you to do your jobs in coming up with well reasoned and sound master planning proposals that benefit the citizenry of Alexandria and maintain or improve the same quality of life across our neighborhoods without causing detriment to any. This includes abandoning your frankly shocking plans to destroy important public green spaces and focus areas for multi-generational recreation such as George Mason Fields. But since I can't trust you to promote well-reasoned plans and tell the truth about your decision process, I would appreciate the right to be privy to your planning processes including reviewing meeting notes and emails and understanding all of the pressures being brought to bear on you including sponsors, developers, contractors who have an interest in seeing a certain outcome.
57	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 12:48:47	Thanks for surveying us and pay attention to our responses this time.
58	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 18:14:22	The city needs to be transparent and LISTEN LISTEN LISTEN TO ALL OF US!
59	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 17:41:51	I will join any political campaign that opposes this administration's plans to destroy what little greenery remains in Alexandria and promote yet more population density than we already have. I will support any effort by the administration to listen to voters, rather than stack the deck by asking questions biased in favor of co-locating affordable housing on school sites as this survey does.
60	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 16:09:09	Not sure, but if there's a way that I can be helpful, please contact me.

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61	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 12:45:27	Public hearings
62	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 12:16:46	Please host more meetings be they be in person or virtually..
63	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 12:10:54	I want to/plan to vote out the current city leadership.
64	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 11:42:56	I would would like the opportunity should one of the commissions/committees have a vacancy to take part as a member of the committee so I can leverage my extensive background in leading large organizations and City/Installation planning to support Alexandria's growth.
65	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-06 11:13:16	Voting in the City Council election.
66	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-05 19:59:01	Please email notices of all activity on this plan so that I may pass them to my civic association. When a working group is formed to draft the plan, reserve voting seats for every civic association.
67	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-02 13:52:53	Email updates
68	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-01 12:56:36	email
69	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-01 09:48:31	I will provide feedback based on information made public through city websites.

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70	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-01 09:04:29	Information
71	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-01 08:11:13	I think there should be a chance to vote on issues that will determine if I will leave the city. Adding housing to school fields should be decided by residents and not a few people who are not elected officials.
72	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-10-01 00:31:54	Sure, put me in charge of the whole thing.
73	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-30 21:07:01	Alexandrians should have a say in what happens on their school properties. You shouldn't shove collocation down our throats because it's an innovation you really want to be known for.
74	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-30 12:59:43	How would you like for me to be involved, or would you? I am filling out this survey, paying attention to what you are doing and commenting about it, as well as writing to the paper, etc. I am ready to help. Just ask.
75	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 22:10:55	I'd like to be included on any task force to represent working families in this city who already pay taxes and use the school system.
76	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 20:06:14	Email communication
77	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 19:50:11	I'd be happy to participate in planning sessions.
78	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 12:38:53	Reviewing and commenting on plans.

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79	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 12:20:36	Focus group participant
80	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 11:01:02	No Housing On School Sites!
81	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 09:49:05	Provide written or spoken testimony
82	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-29 08:49:30	Please be sure all meetings are widely advertised in advance. If I know something pertinent is about to occur, I'll be sure to zoom in.
83	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 22:57:50	happy to answer more surveys
84	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 21:52:02	Get a weekly newsletter
85	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 21:27:11	I don't unless hosing is off the table.
86	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 21:10:36	Answer surveys.
87	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 20:39:33	You already know what you want. The only way to stop this is at the ballot box & in the court room.

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88	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 20:36:21	Real community engagement and actual consideration of what we want vs. what urbanists and consultants from outside the city want.
89	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 19:42:24	As a spokesman for taxpayers and parents
90	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 19:01:33	Every single tax payer in this city should be able to vote on projects that cost more than \$10M
91	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 12:00:45	Why? This school district and city has shown you don't give a rat's rear end what we think, and you will roll right over us. We need to throw all of you out of office.
92	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 11:10:27	I would like to be involved in whatever capacity is available. It is crucial that parental input is provided as ACPS and the City Council make long-lasting, decisions that will impact the health, well being and education of our city's children.
93	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 11:03:24	Actually ask and actually listen to the community. Be genuine
94	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-28 09:49:58	This survey is the equivalent of asking is it ok to beat your cat? Of course the answer is no, but this a blatantly disingenuous attempt to direct the answers where the city wants them. Everyone of the questions will be used to say that the city residents want this or that, when they don't.
95	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-27 23:27:52	Happy to support anyone who takes housing off the table from consideration.
96	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-26 21:53:06	Not at all. The whole thing reeks of being rigged.

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97	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-26 10:18:14	More citizen input, and not just for show. Actually listen to us. The perception is that minds are already made up, and plans in place ready to go. Asking for input feels insincere and you are just checking a box to say you asked citizens and this is what they want, which is not true. You need to work really hard to win back our trust.
98	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-25 11:31:39	Proposals made transparent to all Alexandrians.
99	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-25 08:04:31	Online.
100	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-24 21:31:21	Advocate to overcome NIMBY mentality. Alexandria will either grow or fall behind Arlington. A lot of opposition to growth without consideration if we don't grow areas around Alexandria will leaving Alexandria behind.
101	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-24 18:08:18	I will follow the progress.
102	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-24 17:05:00	I'm not sure how much time I will have to dedicate to this project, but I'm putting my name in my response to Question 20 below. Reach out with your needs and I'll see if I can fill them. I'm known among friends as "the voice of reason".
103	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-24 16:20:01	No thanks. I'll watch the news for details.
104	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-24 15:41:07	We will vote, don't worry.
105	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-24 09:24:08	Any way I can

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106	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-23 17:49:45	I will be paying close attention.
107	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-23 06:48:11	I will vote out anyone involved in building on school fields.
108	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-22 12:57:09	I would like to be included on the email list for future updates.
109	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-22 12:41:20	I think more community meetings (virtual until it can be in person), surveys that are publicized and given adequate time to respond.
110	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-22 08:38:49	Thank you for keeping the public updated via City announcements. Please bring this process out of Zoom backrooms and back to the public spotlight, as the City was doing pre-COVID.
111	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-21 20:16:59	Keep us informed of any decisions that the JFMP intends to make and allow input from the Alexandria residents.
112	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-21 19:50:48	Keep me informed and I will give ideas, and spread info to like minded people
113	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-21 17:52:27	Please send me updates
114	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-20 21:02:08	I would like to be notified of any public hearings or community meetings that are set up to give the residents information.

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115	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-17 16:03:07	Keep my neighborhood association informed.
116	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-16 16:52:59	It depends. Will anyone listen, or are plans already decided?
117	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-16 16:04:47	As a taxpayer, I would like to be told the truth about costs of projects and see the City and ACPS actually not consider taxpayers as an ATM that just keeps pushing out cash for overdone and over-budget projects. How about some fiscal restraint?
118	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-16 14:24:16	I want to receive all updates on this process
119	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-14 20:32:08	Any plan should be put to the voters as a referendum. We should make this as democratic as possible.
120	Open Question #19: How would you like to be involved in the process in the future?	2020-09-14 18:56:42	committee, survey feedback