

AmCan is Parks & Recreation



CITY OF
AMERICAN
CANYON





Summary



OUR TEAM



WHAT WE DO



OUR PARKS &
FACILITIES



COMMUNITY
EVENTS



OPEN SPACES



COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER
OPPORTUNITIES



PROJECTS



COMMISSIONS &
STAY CONNECTED



VOLUNTEER
PROJECT



Our Team



Skiler Padilla

Recreation Coordinator
Special Events/Rec Classes



David Farley

Recreation Coordinator
Facility Rentals/Sports & Fitness



Ashley Logan

Recreation Coordinator
Aquatics / Senior Services



Addy Vargas

Office Assistant



Jo-Anne Paragas

Office Assistant



Kayra Yu

Office Assistant



Jenny Cortez

Administrative Clerk I



Jeff Freed

Recreation Supervisor



Alana Behn

Recreation Manager



Allie Ikeda

Deputy City Manager

WHERE We Want To Go

VISION
American Canyon ...
HOME TO AN ENGAGED, DIVERSE COMMUNITY
DESTINATION FOR OUTDOOR RECREATION and NATURAL BEAUTY
HUB OF OPPORTUNITY and ECONOMIC VITALITY

WHY We Exist

our MISSION
OUR MISSION IS TO DELIVER EXEMPLARY SERVICES THAT ARE RESPONSIVE TO COMMUNITY PRIORITIES, ENSURE A HEALTHY and SUSTAINABLE ORGANIZATION, AND DRIVE US TOWARD OUR SHARED VISION FOR THE FUTURE.

HOW We Serve

STRATEGIC VALUES—HOW WE ACCOMPLISH THE CORE VALUES...

- creativity and innovation
- collaboration and teamwork
- community engagement
- results oriented
- leadership

Our Goals



Community and Sense of Place

Build on the strength of our local community to develop a clear 'sense of place' and establish our unique identity.



Economic Development & Vitality

Attract and expand diverse business and employment opportunities.



Infrastructure

Develop and maintain infrastructure resources to support sustainable growth.



Organizational Effectiveness

Deliver exemplary government services.



Outdoors and Recreation

Expand opportunities for use of outdoor recreation and an active and healthy lifestyle.



Public Safety

Ensure American Canyon remains a safe community.



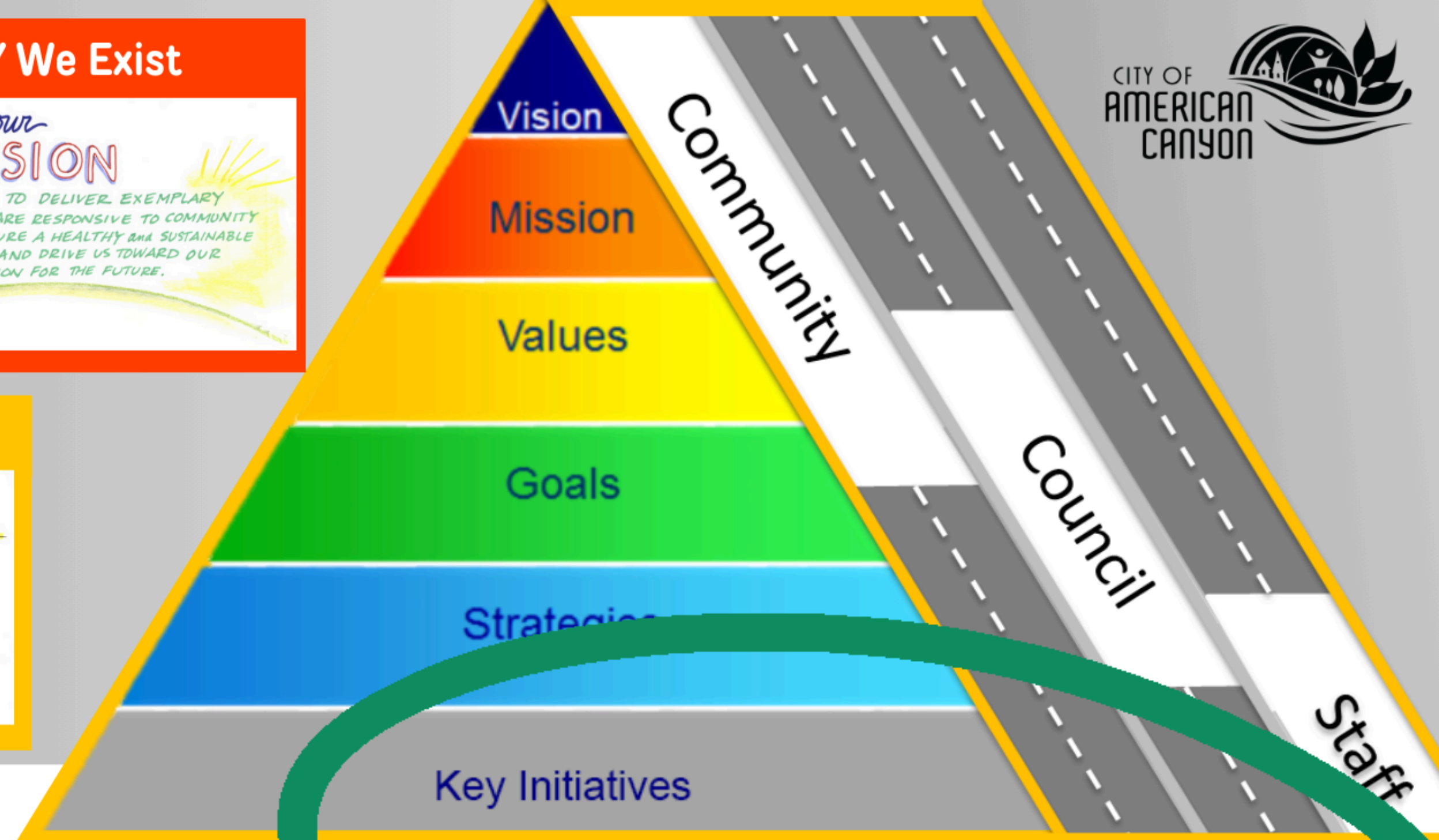
Sustainability

Demonstrate leadership in environmental sustainability.



Transportation

Improve the transportation network within the City to alleviate congestion and enhance the quality of life for the community.



WE ARE

Parks & Recreation



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WE *Do it all!*

Promote physical, emotional, and mental health.

Strengthen the community's identity.

Foster social cohesiveness.

Create memorable experiences.

Sustain and steward natural resources.

Support the economic vitality of our community.

Programs & Services



Aquatics



Senior Services



Sports & Fitness



Community Events



Open Space & Volunteer Opportunities



Season Camps & Enrichment Programs



Picnic & Facility Rentals



Community Services

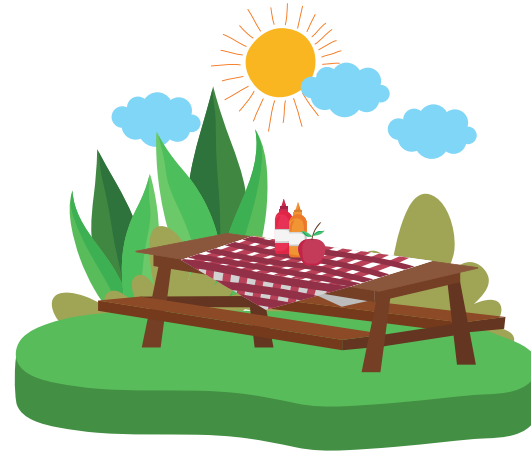
Our Parks & Facilities



1 Dog Park



1 Skatepark



11 Reservable Picnic Area



1 Aquatics Facility



1 Little League Complex



1 Community Center



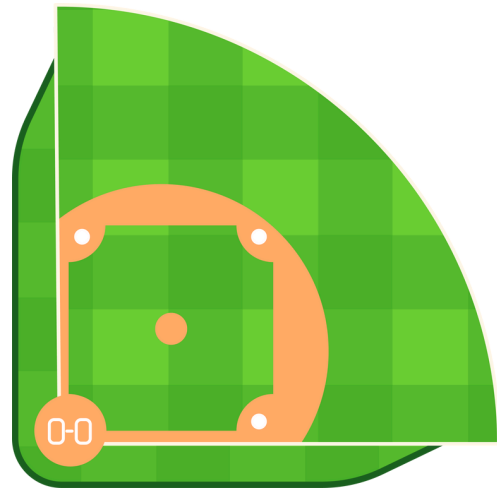
1 Park with Bocce Ball Courts



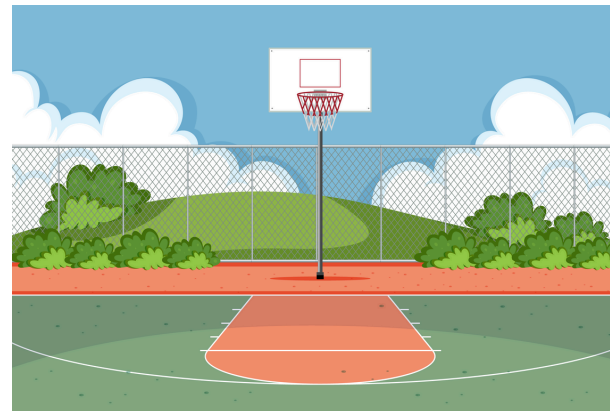
1 Adult Activity Center



15 Playgrounds



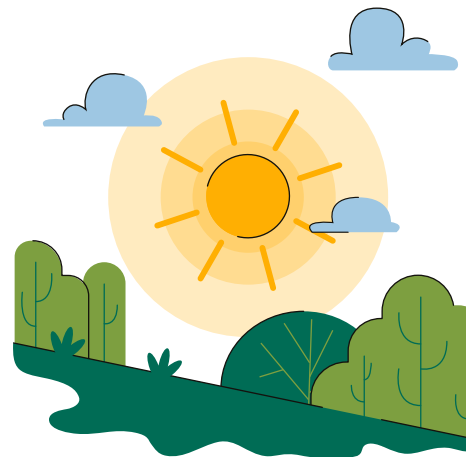
4 Baseball/Softball Fields



6 Basketball Outdoor Courts



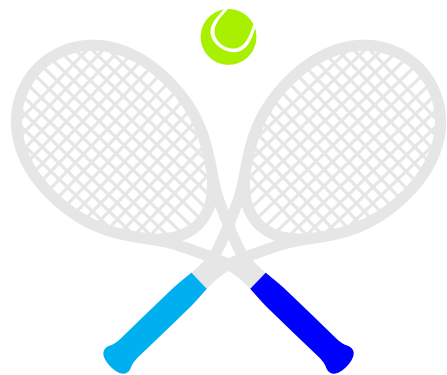
9 Parks BBQ



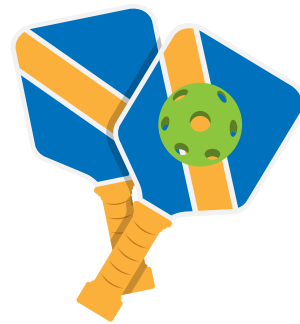
2 Open Space Preserves



1 Rec Center



2 Tennis Facilities



1 Pickleball Facility

Community Events



The Wall That Heals
October 16-19, 2025
Independence Park



Veterans Day
November 11, 2025
AC Middle School Gym



December 5, 2025
Shenandoah Park



Volunteer Appreciation
April 25, 2026



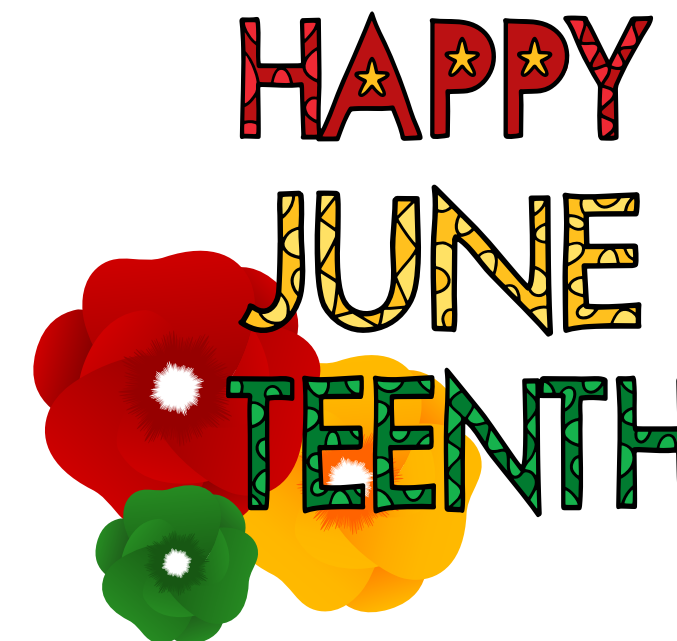
Memorial Day
May 25, 2026
Veterans Day



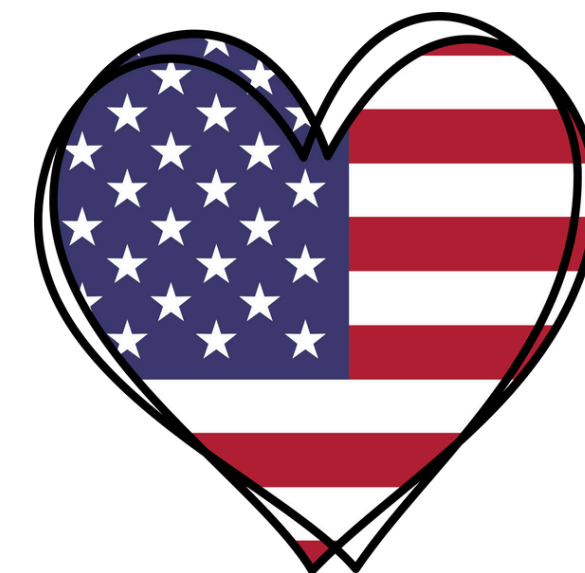
PRIDE Flag Raising Ceremony
June 1, 2026
City Hall Flag Pole



National Trails Day
June 6, 2026
Newell Open Space Preserve



Juneteenth Celebration
June 21, 2026
Main Street Park



4th of July Celebration
July 4th, 2026
Community Park II

Newell Open Space Preserve

seasonality



OPEN DAILY: SUNRISE
TO SUNSET

**SORRY
WE'RE
CLOSED**



PARK RULES



Wetlands Edge Preserve

seasonality



OPEN DAILY: SUNRISE
TO SUNSET



**SORRY
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NAPA RIVER & BAY TRAIL MAP



Our Partners



California Coastal
Commission



NAPA COUNTY REGIONAL PARK &
OPEN SPACE DISTRICT





TOGETHER WE  *care*
FOR OUR COMMUNITY.



300
Volunteers



1,500
Volunteer Work Hours

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

**The Wall That Heals
October 15-19, 2026**

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COMING TO AMERICAN CANYON



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THE WALL THAT HEALS

VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL REPLICA & MOBILE EDUCATION CENTER

A PROGRAM OF THE VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL FUND
FOUNDERS OF THE WALL

OCTOBER 16-19, 2025

INDEPENDENCE PARK

20 Benton Way ★ American Canyon, 94503
24 Hour Access ★ Closing 2 p.m. Sunday

THE WALL THAT HEALS IS COMING TO AMERICAN CANYON



This exhibit brings the official three-quarter scale replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial to everyone in Northern California.

If you are interested in participating as a volunteer, learn more and sign up!

All volunteers will be required to attend the Volunteer Meeting on Wednesday, October 15 at 6 p.m.



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WE WANT YOU TO VOLUNTEER

OCT 16-19 AT INDEPENDENCE PARK

To sign up, visit AmericanCanyon.gov/TheWallThatHeals

WELCOME HOME PARADE OCT 14 - 1 P.M.

Line the streets along American Canyon Road, Elliott Road and at Independence Park to honor our Vietnam Veterans with the Welcome Home they deserve.

WELCOME HOME CEREMONY OCT 16 - 6 P.M.

Finally and officially welcome Vietnam Veterans home 50 years after the war and honor Bay Area Hometown Heroes

IN MEMORY CEREMONY OCT 18 - 6 P.M.

In tandem with the "In Memory" program, this ceremony preserves the legacies of those we've lost. The Wall That Heals will be lit TEAL for PTSD awareness

CLOSING CEREMONY OCT 19 - 1:30 P.M.

A final community gathering and recognitions before The Wall That Heals departs for its next location

AmericanCanyon.gov/TheWallThatHeals

Work & Play Together



**44 Nonprofit
Organizations**



**40
Nonprofit
Events**



**4,710
Youth
Community
Sports Hours**

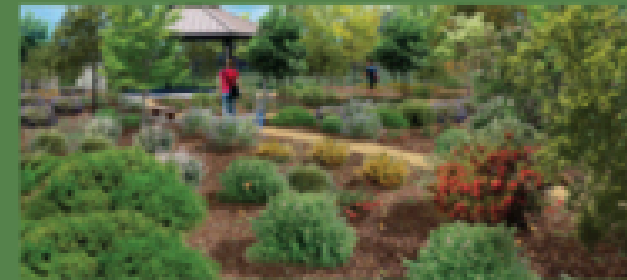
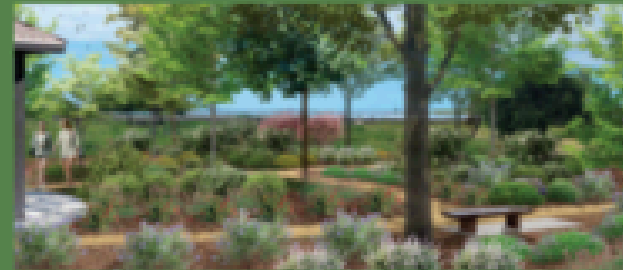
CIP Projects





WETLANDS EDGE PROJECT

COMING SOON!



AmericanCanyon.gov/Wetlands-Edge-Park



Learn
more!



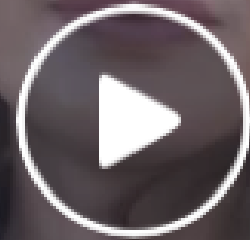
✓ Outdoor Education Project



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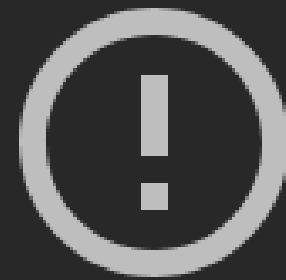


Alexandra Ikeda
Parks and Recreation Director

NATIONAL PUBLIC
WORKS WEEK
MAY 18-24, 2025



✓ Newell Open Space Project



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✓ Northampton Shade Structure

Projects in the Works



SILVER OAK PARK & NORTHAMPTON PARK RESTROOMS

Install park restrooms at Silver Oak and Northampton Parks, and a picnic shade canopy at Northampton Park. **IN DESIGN.**



MELVIN TENNIS COURT IMPROVMENTS

Resurface and fix cracking for two tennis courts. **LOOKING FOR BIDS.**



MELVIN PARK IMPROVEMENTS

Install a new park experience in front of Napa Cover Apartment Complex on Melvin Road. **LOOKING FOR BIDS.**



VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK PLAYGROUND & SURFACE UPDATE

Replace playground equipment and play surface. **IN DESIGN.**



MAIN STREET PARK IMPROVEMENTS

Add ADA access from the street into Main Street Park – with ramp and potentially stairs. **IN DESIGN.**

Parks & Community Services Commission



Ian Smith
COMMISSIONER



Shirley Koot
COMMISSIONER



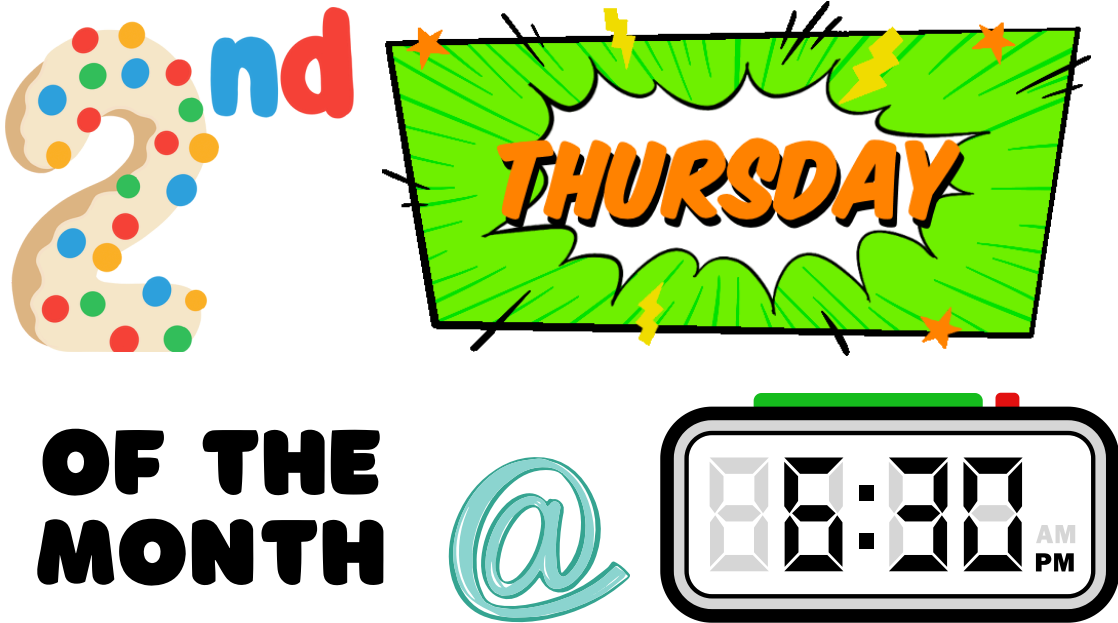
Gina Griggs
CHAIR



Elston James Mallory, Jr.
VICE CHAIR



Scott Myer
COMMISSIONER



FY 2025/26 WORK PLAN	
	NEXT MEETING, THURSDAY 10/9.
	AGENDA:
	1. WELCOME YOUTH COMMISSIONERS
	2. PARKS MASTER PLAN OPEN HOUSE
	FUTURE ITEMS
	1.COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM
	2. EVALUATE REVENUE MEASURE

Save the Date

OPEN
HOUSE

10/09 at
6:30PM



Open Space. Active Transportation & Sustainability Commission



Barry Christian
COMMISSIONER



Debbie Chavarria
COMMISSIONER



Nance Matson
CHAIR



Tara McClinton-Horner
VICE CHAIR



Sean Hughes
COMMISSIONER

monthly

MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT SUN

1ST

WEDNESDAY

OF THE MONTH @ 6:30 AM PM

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2. MAP SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVES FROM GENERAL PLAN	



THE LEAGUE
OF AMERICAN BICYCLISTS
since 1880



WHAT'S IT LIKE TO BIKE IN AMERICAN CANYON?

CLOSING

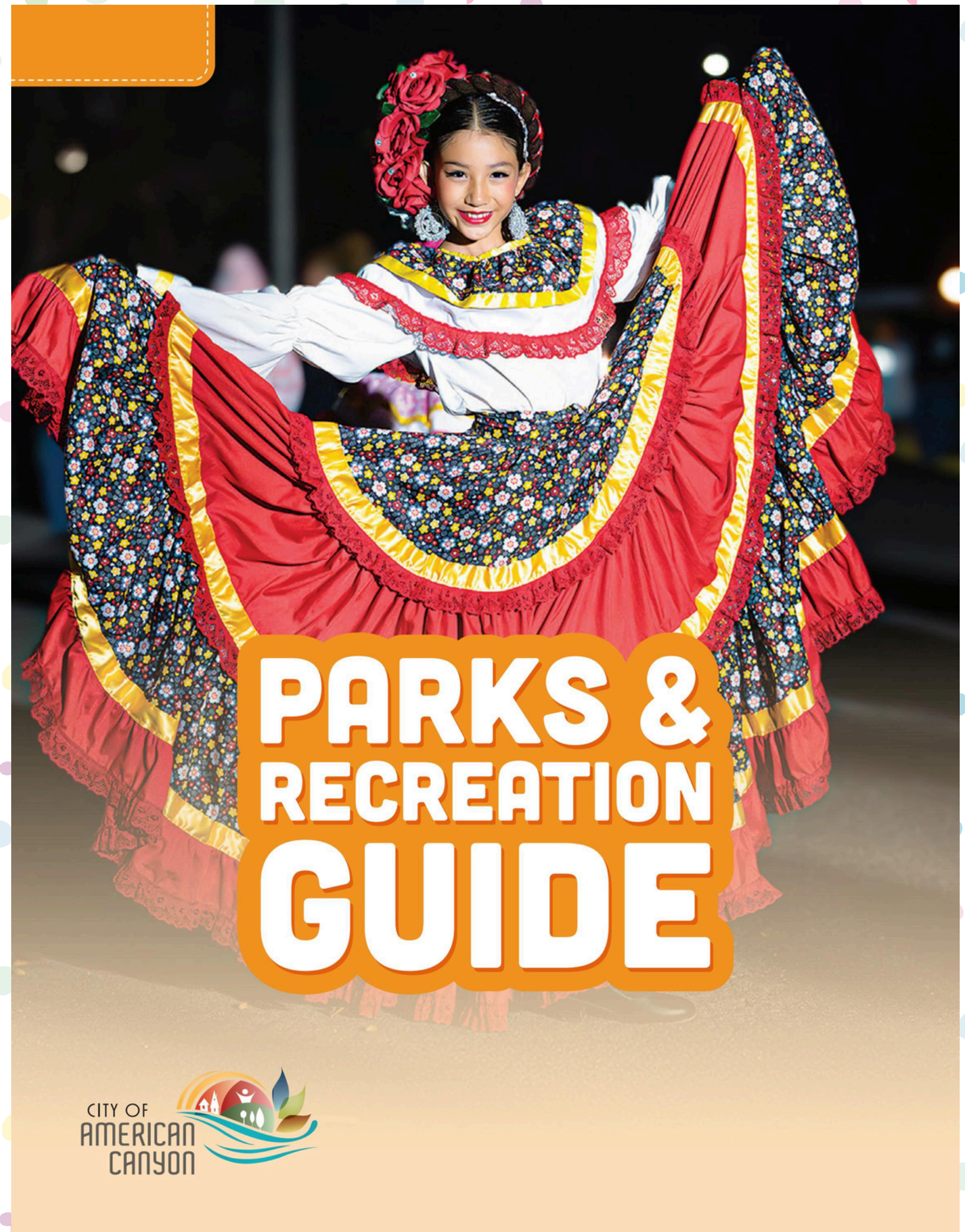
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TAKE THE SURVEY TODAY!



Stay Connected

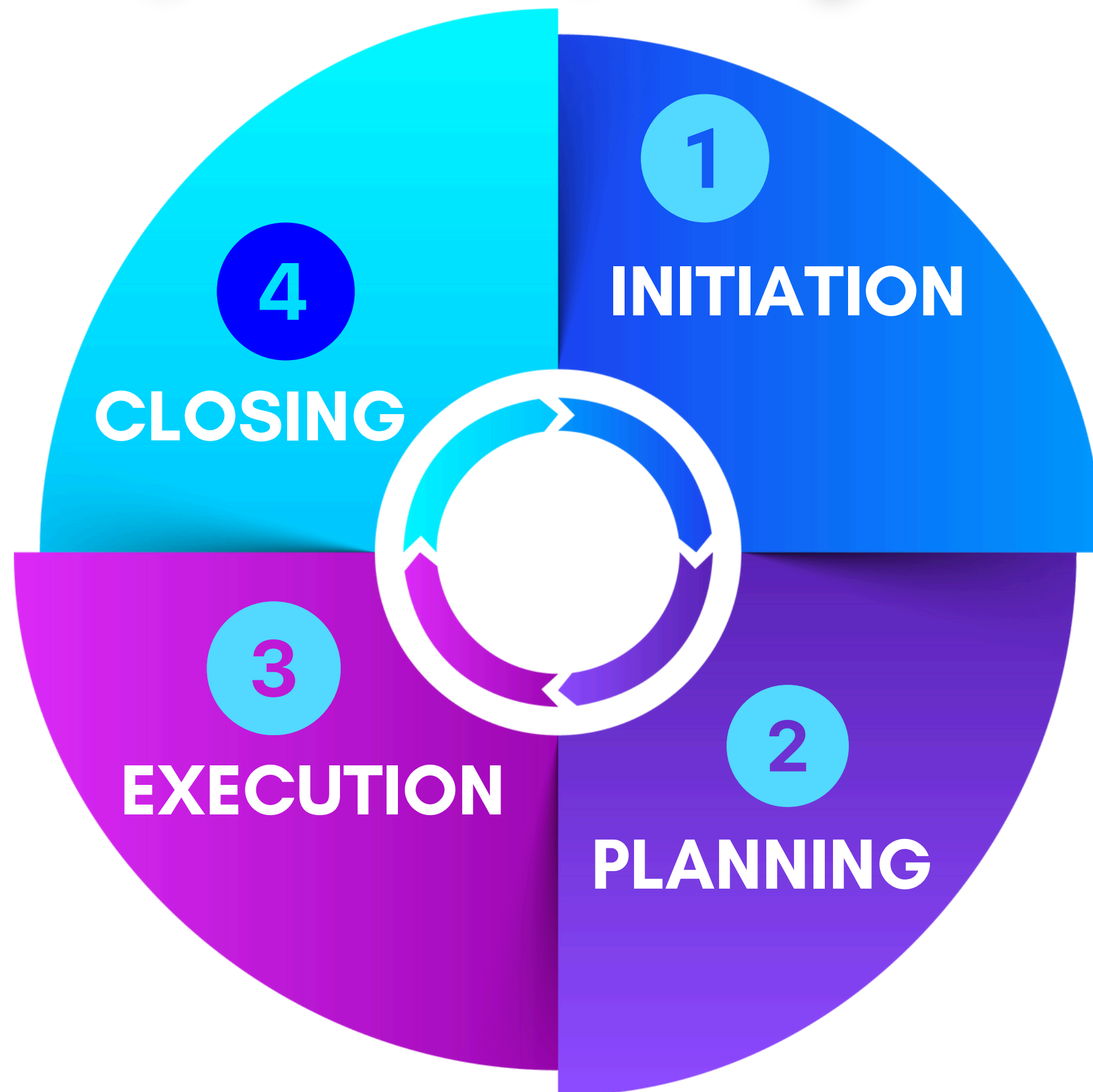


CITY OF AMERICAN CANYON
CITIZENS ACADEMY
Volunteer Project

Saturday, 11/15 9am-12pm



Project Life Cycle



1

Initiation

1. PROJECT IDEAS



2. GOALS!

3. PLAYERS

2 Planning



PROJECT SCOPE



DATE: 11/15



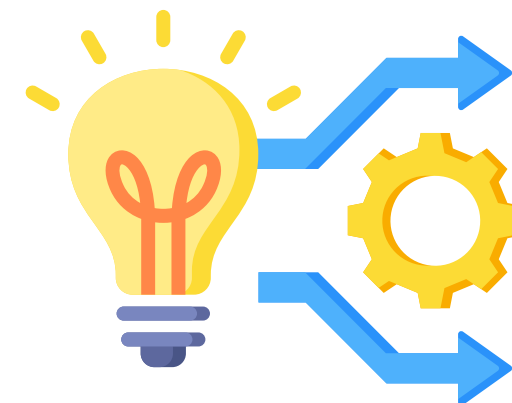
IDENTIFY A BUDGET



LOOK AT RISK



WORK FLOW PROCESS



ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

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Group **ACTIVITY**

NEXT

STEPS





Questions



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Thank you

