



City of San Leandro  
**Age-Friendly Assessment  
& Action Plan**

Community Engagement Update  
March 21, 2024



# Listening Sessions

# Summary of **Listening Sessions**

## **1. Asian & Pacific Islander Community (March 2)**

15 participants, mix of Chinese, Vietnamese & Filipino

## **1. Black & African American Community (March 9)**

9 participants

## **1. Hispanic & Latino Community (March 16)**

11 participants

# Summary of **Listening Sessions** (continued)

## **4. LGBTQ+ Community (March 19)**

20 participants accepted the invite

## **4. Disability & Chronic Illness Community (March 23)**

15 participants accepted the invite

## **4. Native & Indigenous Community (April 6)**

Tabling at NAHC's Indigenous Red Market

# Summary of **Listening Sessions** (continued)

## **7. General Population\* (April 9)**

Accepting applications through March 31

## **7. Community-Serving Organizations (April 11)**

In the process of finalizing list of invitees

## **7. City Council Working Session (June 10)**

Presentation, review of draft Action Plan

# Community Survey

# Community Survey



Making San Leandro a great place to live a long and vibrant life!

## SURVEY FOR ALL SAN LEANDRO RESIDENTS

Answer all of the questions (front and back) and place in the box for a chance to win a \$50 Visa gift card

1. Your name:

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2. Your email, phone number or street address:  
(to contact you about the Visa gift card)

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3. Are you a San Leandro resident?

- Yes
- No

4. Do you live alone?

- Yes
- No

5. What is your age?

- Under 25
- 25 to 49
- 50 to 64
- 65 and older

6. What is your race or ethnicity?

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Black or African American
- Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin
- White or Caucasian
- Two or more races
- Other - please specify:

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7. How would you rank the following areas of need for older adults (age 50+) in San Leandro from most pressing (1) to least pressing (8)? You can only use each number (1-8) once.

- Civic Participation & Volunteering -----
- Economic Participation (work/shop) -----
- Healthcare -----
- Housing Security -----
- Public Safety -----
- Recreation & Social Participation -----
- Wellness Services (food/exercise) -----
- Transportation & Mobility -----

Rank each area of need from highest priority (1) to lowest priority (6). You can only use each number (1-6) once. These ideas came from interviews with community stakeholders. Please rank agefriendly for more information.

### Participation

- Programs -----
- Appropriate programs -----
- Programs -----
- Space programs -----
- Programs -----

### Participation & Volunteering

- Parking at businesses -----
- Programs for working seniors -----
- Opportunities -----
- Help seniors -----
- Family/volunteer caregivers -----

### Services

- Programs like at the Senior Center -----
- Management supports -----
- Appropriate services/clinics -----
- Healthy aging/brain health -----
- Age-related services -----

### Housing Security

- Build more affordable senior housing units -----
- Enact housing protections like rent control -----
- Expand aging-in-place models like the PACE Center -----
- Remove barriers to building Accessory Dwelling Units -----
- Repurpose underutilized buildings/space like malls -----

### Public Safety

- Cleaner, more beautiful private yards/public spaces -----
- Expand companion traveling programs for errands -----
- Expand the City Ambassadors program -----
- More lighting in public places/parks -----
- Raise awareness of emergency response/resilience info -----

### Transportation & Mobility

- Increase pedestrian safety (sidewalks/crosswalks) -----
- Increase wheelchair accessibility everywhere -----
- More bike lanes and safer bike infrastructure -----
- More disability-accessible parking spaces -----
- Raise awareness of transportation resources/options -----

# Summary of **Community Survey**

- **563+ responses (as of March 16)**
- **In-person displays at eleven (11) locations**

City Hall, Senior Community Center, Main Library, Manor Branch Library, Marina Community Center, Davis Street Community Center, VACCCEB, Korean Community Center of the East Bay, Carlton Senior Living, Fargo Senior Center, La Bombonera

- **Survey will remain open through April 12**

# Age of Survey Respondents

| ANSWER CHOICES      | RESPONSES (%)  | RESPONSES (#) |
|---------------------|----------------|---------------|
| <b>Under 25</b>     | 4.80%          | 27            |
| <b>25 to 49</b>     | 45.65%         | 257           |
| <b>50 to 64</b>     | 24.51%         | 138           |
| <b>65 and older</b> | 25.04%         | 141           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>        | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>563</b>    |

# Race/Ethnicity of Survey Respondents

| ANSWER CHOICES                     | RESPONSES (%)  | RESPONSES (#) |
|------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| American Indian or Alaska Native   | 2.31%          | 13            |
| Asian or Pacific Islander          | 20.07%         | 113           |
| Black or African American          | 31.26%         | 176           |
| Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin | 8.17%          | 46            |
| White or Caucasian                 | 33.21%         | 187           |
| Two or more races                  | 3.37%          | 19            |
| Other (please specify)             | 1.60%          | 9             |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                       | <b>100.00%</b> | <b>563</b>    |

# Updated Project Timeline

# March 2024

# April 2024

W1

W2

W3

W4

W1

W2

W3

W4

Community Survey Open Period

Survey



Listening Sessions



Engagement Data Synthesis

Participant Update Campaign

Action Plan Development

Analysis + Reporting

# May 2024

W1      W2      W3      W4

**Plan Adoption**

**Public Comment Period**

**City Presentations**

**Finalize Plan**



# June 2024

W1      W2      W3      W4

**City Council Session**

**City Council Adoption**



**June 10**

**June 18**

**July 1**

**Final Plan**

# Draft Action Plan

# Draft Action Plan **Outline**

1. Table of Contents
2. Welcome Letter from Senior Commission\*
3. Plan Background & Age-Friendly Framework
4. Vision & Mission Statements\*
5. Age-Friendly Policy & Project Descriptions, by Domain  
(including budgets, staffing, timelines, partnerships)

# Draft Action Plan **Outline** (continued)

## 6. Appendices

- Summary of Community Engagement & Planning Process, Findings & Data Analysis
- List of Local Age-Friendly Partners
- List of Age-Friendly Leadership Team Members

## **6. What else do you want to see in the Plan?**

# April 18 Commission Meeting Design

- Review discovery and community engagement data to prioritize policies/projects for inclusion in draft Plan
- We can bring a few scenarios to help make decisions; want a mix of “low-hanging fruit” and aspirational changes
- Want to limit the number of projects in Plan to ensure accountability, feasibility, and progress evaluation



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