Regional Growth Strategy
Development of a Preferred Alternative
April 4, 2019
Growth Management Policy Board
Overview

- Environmental Review Process
- Tools to Select a Preferred Alternative
- Upcoming Schedule
- Next Steps
Environmental Process

VISION 2050 SEPA Process

- Final EIS issued for VISION 2040
  - Spring 2008

- Scoping for Supplemental EIS
  - Spring 2018

- Process to select alternatives
  - Fall 2018

- Issue Draft SEIS, comment period
  - March 2019

- Select preferred alternative
  - Spring 2019

- Issue draft VISION 2050 plan
  - Summer 2019

- Issue Final SEIS, adopt VISION 2050
  - Spring 2020
# Growth Alternatives

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<th>Stay the Course</th>
<th>Transit Focused Growth</th>
<th>Reset Urban Growth</th>
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<td>Growth focused in Metropolitan and Core cities</td>
<td>More compact growth focused in high capacity transit (HCT) areas</td>
<td>Growth more distributed throughout the urban growth area</td>
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Information for a Preferred Alternative

- Draft Supplemental EIS
- Public comment
- Supplemental technical evaluation
- Discussion of board priorities
Preferred Alternative Schedule

March 2019: Board & committee presentations on DSEIS

April 2019: Begin discussion of priorities

May 2019: Review comments, discuss priorities, develop preferred alternative concepts

June 2019: Refine and finalize draft preferred alternative

July 2019: Release draft VISION 2050 plan for comment
Board Discussion

• What outcomes or principles should guide development of the preferred alternative?

• What are high priorities for development of the preferred alternative?
How to Comment

Draft SEIS Review - Feb 28-April 29

More info at: www.psrc.org/vision
Thank you.

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