

Goals/Objectives (2014-2018 Consol. Plan)

1. Redevelop abandoned/underutilize industrial sites.
2. Eliminating slum and blighting influences.
3. Addressing the needs of low-moderate income neighborhoods.
4. Expand Economic Opportunities
5. Decent and affordable housing.
6. Delivery and provision for providing social services or outreach programs.

1. Redevelop abandoned/underutilize industrial sites.

- Remove barriers to sustainable development
- Planning for improved neighborhoods

2. Eliminating slum and blighting influences.

- Address the conditions of abandoned properties
- Improve facades within commercial corridors
- Acquire and remove properties with the conditions of blight
- Address conditions of blight through effective code enforcement in LMI neighborhoods

3. Addressing the needs of low-moderate income neighborhoods.

- Planning for improved neighborhoods
- Improve the conditions of neighborhood parks and public open spaces
- Improve and develop the infrastructure for public facilities
- Reduce crime through awareness programs

4. Expand economic opportunities

- Educate and provide technical assistance to entrepreneurs
- Help advance the creation of small business
- Facilitate the retention and expansion of jobs that provide family-supporting wages
- Foster new employment opportunities
- Job training

5. *Decent and affordable housing*

- Provide homeowner housing loan programs to improve the conditions of the current housing stock
- Preserve quality affordable rental units through a rental rehabilitation loan program
- Promote homeownership through counseling and providing down payment assistance
- Acquisition or demolition of foreclosed properties

6. Delivery and provision for providing social services or outreach programs.

- Improve access to health and recreational services for elderly and disadvantaged
- Reduce crime through awareness programs
- Provide programs for youth
- Job training services