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- Better parking and wayfinding signage. Possibly more parking
- Dog park!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
- A yearly farmers market!
- Convert Cole and Griffith area to pedestrian only and move traffic around that area.
- How about several feedback boxes located in the library, local halls, etc for those folks that are not in to social media methods?
- I would like to see more family events in Enumclaw. There used to be a city Easter egg hunt along with other things that are no longer there. So it would be nice to have a place to bring the community together. I would also love to have movies in the park or summer concerts here so you don't have to go to Bonney Lake, Buckley, and Auburn to participate in something like this.
- A dog park
- Outside, sound does not carry. You can bypass using expensive sound systems by building a curved concrete wall behind the stage to act as a sound shell to assist in carrying voices, vocalists and musical instruments. Acoustics would be amazing and funnel the sound toward the audience, especially with a roof to assist.
- The senior center needs new carpet badly. The office needs better cooling system in summer as it is like a greenhouse.
- New playground, green grass, garbage cans, picnic tables, bathrooms
- I'd very much like to see a farmer's market. MAYBE are strong interest in idea, but I need more info on location of features. Are pavilion and stage permanent structures?
- Pedestrian only streets, no cars allowed scheduled days/times/seasons, etc. seasonal decorations, expanded. Outside, sidewalk seating w/tables (Paris). Late night (10:30p) closed off Street and opened businesses (Puerto Vallarta).
- Love the spray park. Would love an outdoor pool instead of all above.. free to residents.
- play or learning structure for children of all ages
- Farmers Market every week through summer
- These would all be great ideas provided there is also a plan to provide for how management of potential homeless and transients may impact use of the spaces mentioned.
- My concern is that these would be attractions to the homeless population and deter the rest of the public.
- Be prepared, a covered seating pavilion will invite more homeless to stay a while in Enumclaw.
- Whatever is done, please be sure to find a way to keep the homeless or drug users from making it a camping site or a night sleeping site.
- I beg of you to check out small tourist towns like Sandpoint, ID or Kimberly, BC. Making parks that run for blocks, provides enough space for larger farmers markets, street fairs, concerts etc without necessitating streets closing. Especially interesting is a town like Kimberly, where cars are limited in the core of town, freeing it up for pedestrians, outdoor ping pong tables, outdoor chess, and gatherings where the restaurants can spill out into the pedestrian zones for special occasions (ie wine walks, sidewalk sales, soccer or football games. The idea of a community firepit or double sided fireplace is wonderful. Enumclaw could easily merge its Eastern European, farming/logging, and ski town/hiking-biking town into a really cool, pedestrian friendly town.

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- Crosswalk signals or signs. It's hard to see pedestrians when there are cars parked in front of/behind crosswalks. Especially by the Thai food place, and by the Lee!
- I would love to see Enumclaw do a weekly summertime street fair/farmers market on Cole. San Luis Obispo does this on their main street, (year round because their weather is better), and it draws huge crowds.
- Not sure about the spray Park because there is always mud mountain dam, and that area seems pretty popular.
- We are a Sound, Lightning & Staging Company called AT Productions! We do Summer Concert's in Auburn, Issaquah Community Center, Newcastle, Northbend. We also are into installs as well. We would love to meet with you to help y'all out. Josh Dunham 253-335-9789
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- Spray park has such limited use and so many liabilities associated with it. Covered pavilion and stage might be nice but Enumclaw has such a history of neglecting similar structures (Chinook Park and downtown by Ranchito) to the point where they become public hazards due to druggies and vandalism. Why not just close Cole Street occasionally (like the street fair) instead of building more infrastructure. So much money was spent on that street scape with the promise that Cole street would be closed off and used for more activities.
- There is already a "pavilion" next to the hotel/Ranchito 2 restaurant, which never seems to be used. Do something with it!
- Activities for kids of all ages. Year round like bowling. Skating. Etc. Also, better shopping for general clothing and household items.
- And stores with stocked shelves. So tired of driving to bonney lake for everything!
- Fix the problems we currently have! Do not build a structure as the homeless and druggies will take it over!
- Close down cole street from CC's to griffin. Then from griffin to vacant lot for just pedestrians year round. Making cobble stone on road. Better for businesses, pedestrians, and allows the restaurants to make larger out door seating during good weather.
- Farmers market
- Upgraded/replaced skateboard park
- Tree-lined streets that provide shade in summer.
- New Skatepark closer to community center.
- I think a fenced dog park should be first.
- How about a monthly food truck night along with some entertainment. It's different enough from the restaurants so it wouldn't compete. Not everyone can afford a night at the restaurant, but they might come out for food trucks and then have entertainment like musicians or clowns or magicians or something. Get the community out together.
- Stop building shit in Enumclaw. The small town it once was is gone, the rise in illegal drug use is skyrocketing and there is still a continuation of building housing developments. It's ridiculous, just stop destroying this city.
- Connect the trail with Buckley
- All it's going to do is give added places for the tweakers.
- Farmers Market
- This is a fantastic idea!
- All is dependant on the proposed area. There are locations I could reality say yes to all the above but others locations that I would never say yes to any of the above. This is to cryptic

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- I do not want more items that attract loitering by the drug sellers and users of the community.
- Love the fire pit idea but could see all the druggie people that hang out around downtown making it their "hangout" and then it wouldn't be safe
- We need flashing pedestrian crossing signs at crosswalks in towns without traffic signals like the ones by the hospital
- A pedestrian square with a traditional fountain in the center and tables, chairs, benches, etc. would be a wonderful gathering place. I'm afraid a splash pad would attract non-locals, crowd up our town, and eventually become broken and ugly like Les Gove in Auburn. We have Mud Mountain for that. Make our city beautiful like the cities of Europe! :)
- Spray park for kids is a must!! :)
- Play area for kids

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- Save money for future generations
- A public fire pit seems like a huge insurance and safety liability
- Dog park
- Id like to see downtown updated. Its run down looking and dull. In fact the street along Griffin all the way to 410 is dull. Landscaping would be a plus along that stretch of Griffin.
- I feel like a water park would bring people from other communities to Enumclaw because the nearest one is in Puyallup/Sumner area.
- A dog park #2
- A design that would project sound naturally from the stage.
- upgrades to Senior Center ie new carpet and a cooling system for office of which is like a greenhouse in summer
- Farmer's market
- Stores that sell things people need
- Pedestrian friendly,
- Sound Equipment! We are a Dealer and can find you the best pricing.
- Anything to promote a farmers market!
- Dog park
- Fixing our roads and sidewalks
- Farmers market #1
- More bus routes. Specifically at Krain corner.
- Upgraded/replaced skateboard park
- shade trees, sculptures, drinking fountain
- Remodel of skatepark
- Fenced dog park first
- I changed my mind on the fire pit. I would love it, but I can see that would be a huge attraction for activities that we might not want to encourage or have the time to police. Life size games would be fun, too. Check out the equipment, but have the boards in place permanently.
- More lighting around all sides of the library and along the trail where people keep getting attacked
- Farmers Market
- Again to cryptic
- The survey is flawed because I don't want of these things, but it makes me answer or it won't go on. With the exception of lighting, all these choices will make it easier for loitering by drug sellers and users.
- Dog park fully fenced
- Square with traditional fountain and benches

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- Homeless patrol for citizen safety
- I would love to see a covered pavilion large enough for year-round usage. Outdoor markets, swap meets and festivals during the rainy season.
- Over the last weekend, I watched from time to time, who was driving through and who was stopping. Those with RV's were not stopping, maybe because there are no places to park RVs. People traveling in RVs usually have at least four people, possibly more inside. We need more parking for larger vehicles and more importantly, once travelers stop once, we want them to stop again on their way through.
- We need higher end condos above retail space downtown for young professionals and for retirees. Not everyone with money money wants to have to take care of property and walkability is important to those of us trying to drive less. We also need to get serious about becoming a recreation destination. Mountain biking and hiking should be a much bigger business around here. Crystal Mt really needs to get with the times and put in biking trails and an alpine slide for summer tourism.
- Farmers market... cleaning up the buildings and being more selective about the businesses... the new spin/workout facility in the old building on the corner is not what we need... that building could be used for more appropriate things. Watching people work out as others walk by is strange and doesn't fit with the other wonderful shops people like. The new lotion/essential oil boutique is great! Also we need to make more places dog friendly as we have so many animal lovers in our sweet town! I think a community farmers market once a month would be a perfect addition for seasonal treats and produce from the area...
- More parking.
- Improve Parking. And the trees/shrubs on the corners make it hard to see cars and pedestrians.
- Activities for young families
- Mmmm
- Farmers market
- More retail and restaurants.
- More Unique shops. A good steakhouse restaurant! A THEME! we are cow country. But most importantly I think the parking in front of stores should change (I know that we have the big parking lot by seeders but hear me out.) If Cole St was a one way street with side parking than people would swing into a parking stall in front of a store they would like to visit. More parking. Also Peoples swing car doors open on that small st and the visibility is awful. It could use a good power washing on the sidewalks too. :)
- Getting the homeless and drug addicts out of the city. In a perfect world this would be nice, but until we can get rid of drifters it will just become an attraction for them
- More events to draw people in like movies in the park, summer concert series, community gatherings like picnics, farmers markets, and a water park for the kids.
- My concern would be the current homeless/transients and how to make something welcoming the all, but not taken over so that the public truly does have access to a safe place
- No to the covered pavilion as it would just be a shelter for our homeless population making it less likely for families to use.
- Flowers, a uniformed look and feel, removing services from retail space along Cole street
- unsure
- I'm not sure. I know we're growing. More parking space, possibly.

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- No spray park is definitely needed
- wine walks, festivals etc.
- updating the Senior Center
- Maybe have more things shopping wise or more things for people to do in the evening considering most things close at 6-7
- Farmers Market
- Off leash dog park
- Better seen crosswalks. I watch people drive right past someone waiting to walk all the time.
- Only allow retail business and restaurants on the main downtown street, professional services, hair, insurance etc and gyms don't attract tourist money, maybe an ordinance if possible about renters (I know the city doesn't own the buildings). Also put in a design clause about building facades so the town looks cohesive and choose a theme. The easy street parking is great though everyone loves the curbsless curb, don't change that. A safe downtown area is a great addition but the town could still use more retail.
- More parking
- More designated crosswalks with signals. There are a lot of blind spots where you do not see pedestrians waiting.
- More to do with kids.
- Light poles for parking along the road that are taller and more visible
- More mixed development with condos
- Types of businesses, alternative hours, pedestrian times, outlining establishments come to the town core specific day(s) & hrs. (Truckee Tuesdays). Food trucks. Farm "life" for tourists. Horseback presence. Bands, choir, quartettes, Magic Strings, etc
- Farmers Market on Thursday evenings on Kasey Kahne Way. ;)
- year round farmers market. We need stores that sell things we need, not knick knacks and gifts. A marijuana store would bring so many people to town who would spend money in other areas. We need to stop being prudish and grab that money for our town, I don't even use it but can see the money driving past us right into Buckley
- A kids' play structure, downtown.
- some sort of play or learning structure. if we do build this structure/project we should make sure that it is accompanied by programs for all ages including and perhaps especially teens. we need to keep them in safe town and off the highways
- I'm a little nervous about having a covered pavilion. We already have a lot of homeless people about and teens seem to smoke and do drugs at the library, gazebo and parking areas in town...
- Live music, farmers market
- Potential use not intended for the appropriate use of the space. How it will be managed as our population grows.
- Parking! More of it please! More obvious cross walks? The light up signs are nice may crossing Griffin before and after Cole Street seem to be difficult as a pedestrian. Thank you for your time in planning this!
- More parking
- Not sure
- Shopping
- More crosswalks on griffin

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- Filling the empty stores with more permanent tenants.
- Get the vacant buildings rented, get some retro style buildings built on the two major downtown lots.
- Encourage diversity of retail and entertainment businesses. Would love to see a coffee house/acoustic music venue.
- Car free zones. I can stress it enough. When highways run right through a town, it is hard, but there could be several places that could be split easily: either side of Cole car free on Griffin, either side of Railroad car free.
- There's quite a few drunks/druggies/homeless that seem to need help. Offer services to those that want it.
- Getting rid of the tweakers around the library and across the street.
- Keep it a small town.
- Street vendors.
- Summer Concert Series just Like Issaquah and Auburn would make it more Family Friendly Oriented.
- making walking and biking safer to get there.
- Improved parking
- Like I said above, anything to promote a farmers market.
- Stop the merchants from parking in front of their businesses. Utilize the streetscape that we spent so much money on and allow businesses and organizations to close off Cole on certain evenings for events where we can gather as a community. Allow restaurants to serve on the street (including alcohol) during these events. Let's be frugal and make use of some of the already great facilities that we have invested in (curbless streetscape) before we spend money on something else that needs to be maintained and policed. A spray park is by far the worst idea I have heard of. For the 20-30 days a year it is hot enough, why not just open a fire hydrant and put out sprinklers? Maybe because there aren't lockers, changing rooms, etc.? Try the spray park idea with a temporary solution before building infrastructure. Where are all those kids going to go to the bathroom, eat, change, etc? I appreciate the opportunity to give my opinions. Thanks for making this poll public. Keep up the good work on brainstorming ideas, but let's watch our purse strings, too.
- A farmers market needs to be a priority. it's inexcusable that our farming community can't seem to get one going while neighboring non-farming towns have thriving markets. There is a large demand for fresh and organic produce and eating locally in our community and a farmers market would both boost foot traffic to neighboring businesses, as well as create connections with local farmers, fostering a tighter knit community.
- Safety. Fun for kids. More modern.
- A decent clothing store, so we don't have to go to Bonney Lake or Maple Valley. Also a lumber store.
- More parking
- Get rid of the stupid green light posts on cole!
- Better choices for locals to shop for every day things. Better/more parking.
- See comment on q1
- Make it a safer place and get the druggies out of there. Remove/relocate the clinic for druggies OUT of our downtown.

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- Most of these are really great ideas but really do not fall under the responsibility of city government. The priorities of government should be to protect residents and maintain roads, for example. Kust these two have NOT been met. Enumclaw should not even consider "extras" until all her obligations have been met! Most of these projects should be privately funded by citizens and businesses VOLUNTARILY.
- Keep franchises out
- A community center
- Downtown needs a delicious bakery!
- I'd love to see more opportunity for our at risk youth to connect with positive role models. More community education like the party house scenes at the fire station. Free events so those on restricted income can participate fully in the community events. Thank you for asking.
- I think a spray park downtown would be wonderful! It would attract people who are usually just driving through and it would be great for us locals too.
- Cole street should be blocked permently to vehicles make it more pedestrian friendly. Place a large parking lot at either end.
- Making the main drag a one way with angled parking.
- Parking and fixing streets/ sidewalks
- Play park
- Inviting more small buisnesses into downtown district. Let's fill those empty places with buisnesses that draw people to town. Not insurance companies, medical offices, and such. We have enough thrift stores downtown. Need to find a way to encourage them off of downtown streets.
- Paved sidewalk down battersby- I often ride my bike or walk downtown to work and would feel a lot safer on a sidewalk. More businesses to fill the vacant store fronts somehow :-)
Farmers market!!
- More community planned activities such as farmers market, 4-H, splash pad for kids, concerts, more involvement/activities planned for holidays.
- Pedetrian zone
- With an upgraded/replaced skateboard park, you could host skateboarding events and training classes. You could build an entire venue that could focus on changing the perception of the "tweaker" skateboarder. There is even a pro skateboarder that's FROM Enumclaw that I'm sure would get involved.
- farmers market, food trucks, entertainment
- The possibility of a community center including new teen and senior center / as well as a new skatepark closer to downtown even as a part of the same plaza. Also adjust zoning to retail/food only to downtown area.
- Better parking situation, especially if we build a pavilion or stage.
- Bring in a bunch of food trucks in the Summer on the empty lot downtown
- Game days or evenings in the parks would be nice. You could come alone and find someone to play rummy, checkers, backgammon or cribbage with. Seniors could mingle with teens. It would be great to have someone around to check things in and out and kind of faciliate things.

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- I feel like there are a lot of public areas already downtown that are not put to much use. The covered area across Griffin from the library could be used to host more outdoor events rather than building a new pavilion. One of the more empty parks, perhaps the one on the corner of Battersby and Farman could have a spray park added to get more kids interested in going there. I'm thinking completely new spaces are unnecessary.
- Recycling bins?
- Get rid of drugs and set up a camp or shelter for those who are homeless before wasting money on cosmetic fixes to downtown
- We don't need visitors. Stop building this city into Auburn.
- Spray park
- There is a serious drug problem and they should worry about safety first
- Enumclaw has desperately needed a Farmers Market for years!! A covered pavilion would be perfect for that and much more!!
- Attracting business so there is a reason to spend time shopping locally community events to build a sense of pride
- More retail business and fewer service-based companies in the downtown center.
- Improving the city parking lot!
- A spray park, a fire pit, restrooms (year round) lighting, and a covered pavilion would be amazing. I think it would bring more business to downtown and make the town more modern and attractive to young people.
- I think having a farmers market would be a great idea for local people to buy from local people. That is something that is important for the community of Enumclaw to survive and thrive.
- The outside library seating encouraged drug dealers and users to hang out at the library. In the evenings, the Gazebo at the park, across from the library, is also a hang out. Covering the electrical outlet helped, and the take was removed for awhile, which helped even more. Address the problem of the drug activity. Putting in community facilities will not draw visitors if the facilities are not safe and welcoming destinations.
- More signs promoting our great restaurants and to the parking lots.
- I think something like this would be a gathering for the druggies and homeless and detour people from frequenting just like the library.
- More police so certain areas downtown feels safer at night. Farmers market!!! Go to Roslyn, Washington on a Sunday and the town is BOOMING thanks to the farmers market.
- Crossing flashing lights for pedestrians
- Enumclaw is not perceived as a safe downtown place any longer. Until we are able to address the homeless issue and drug use on a larger scale, these other things are only making the outside pretty but not safer. I should not have to worry about my teenage daughters using the restroom at the library!
- More community events like the music evenings that Buckley and Bonney lake do. This would give opportunity for local businesses to have more walk in customers.
- Beauty is really important in a town. Please dont put anything in place that will detract from its beauty in the long run. Add something that is classic and will be appreciated and useful even a hundred years from now.
- More flowers

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- Signage, parking, stores open into the evening hours
- Bicycle Taxis