2.0 FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT

2.1 GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND POLICIES,

2.1.1 Introduction

This section presents the City's land use goals, objectives, and policies. The City's land use goals, objectives and policies were derived from its analysis of land use, environmental, infrastructure, housing and population characteristics and trends. It is also based on the City's evaluation of its past performance in meeting its land use goals, objectives, and policies as found in the City's 2006 Evaluation and Appraisal Report. The Future Land Use Map is included as Figure 2-1of this element. Hallandale Beach is located in Broward County, which is a charter county, having specific land use requirements in that charter, implemented through its county-wide Land Use Plan. The consistency with Broward County's Land Use Plan is addressed in Section 2.4 of this Future Land Use Element.

2.1.2 Hallandale Beach's Goals, Objectives and Policies

The City has established the following definitions for the terms, goals, objectives, and policies as described in the Florida Administrative Code Rule 9J-5:

"GOAL" means the long-term end toward which programs or activities are ultimately directed

"OBJECTIVE" means a specific, measurable, intermediate end that is achievable and marks progress toward a goal

"POLICY" means the way in which programs and activities are conducted to achieve an identified goal (FAC Rule 9J-5.003)

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GOAL 1: To provide a coordinated and compatible mix of land uses which encourages a high quality of life meeting the social, economic and physical needs of the present and future population of Hallandale Beach, while insuring reasonable environmental protection and timely and efficient provision of services.

OBJECTIVE 1.1: Levels of Service: The City shall continue to condition approval of development applications upon maintaining the provision of services at the Levels of Service (LOS) which meet or exceed levels specified in this Comprehensive Plan.

POLICY 1.1.1: The City shall maintain, within the Comprehensive Plan Elements, Level of Service standards for City facilities which will meet the existing and future needs of Hallandale Beach population and the standards established by Chapter 163 F.S., and Rule 9J-5 F.A.C.

POLICY 1.1.2: Any development order or permit shall be approved only when adequate public services and facilities are in place, or will be provided to support the development at Levels of Service adopted by this Plan.

The necessary facilities and services shall be available concurrent with the impacts of development or through any of the following situations:

- A. The necessary facilities are in place at the time a development order or permit is issued, or a development order or permit is issued subject to the condition that the necessary facilities will be in place when the impacts of the development occur.
- B. The necessary facilities are under construction at the time a development order or permit is issued.
- C. The necessary facilities are the subject of a binding contract executed for the construction of those necessary facilities at the time development order or permit is issued.
- D. The necessary facilities have been included in the annual City budget and capital improvements program at the time development order or permit is issued although the facilities are not yet the subject of a binding contract for there construction.
- E. The necessary facilities are committed facilities at the time a development order or permit is issued.
- F. The Hallandale Beach City Commission assures the necessary facilities will be in place within a reasonable period of time consistent with the requirements of Chapter 163. At a minimum, the necessary facilities are to be included within a financially feasible capital improvements element which is determined by the Florida Department of Community Affairs to be in compliance with Rule 9J-5 of the Florida Administrative Code and

- supported by all necessary implementing land use development regulations and a monitoring system for provision of the necessary facilities.
- G. An applicant may choose to satisfy concurrency requirements by making a proportionate share contribution to mitigate the impacts of new development on the City's infrastructure system <u>pursuant to the methodology provided in the Land Development Code</u>, in accordance with Section 163.32803180 F.S.
- **POLICY 1.1.3**: The City will require a development impact analysis to be submitted for developments which contain ten (10) residential dwelling units or more, or developments containing four thousand (4,000) square feet of nonresidential gross floor area or more. The applicant or his agents will be responsible for preparing the impact analysis which shall evaluate the overall effect of a proposed development on its surrounding neighborhood and the overall community.
- **POLICY 1.1.4**: The City shall, through development regulations direct commercial and industrial land uses to areas with existing public facility capacity.
- **POLICY 1.1.5**: The City shall maintain criteria and procedures, which obligate developments causing expansions or extensions of City services to contribute a proportionate share of the cost of provision of these supporting services and related facilities.
- **POLICY 1.1.6**: The City of Hallandale Beach will provide sanitary sewer, solid waste, drainage and potable water facilities and services to correct deficiencies and to meet existing and project demands identified in this Plan.
- **POLICY 1.1.7**: Permitted residential densities on the future land use plan map or as allowed in the element text shall not be increased beyond the ability of the surrounding roadway network and public transit system to accommodate projected traffic flows and ridership without degradation of levels of service for these facilities below that standard adopted in the plan.
- **POLICY 1.1.8**: Prior to approving a building permit or its functional equivalent, the City shall consult with the water supplier to determine whether adequate water supplies will be available to serve the new development no later that the anticipated date of issuance of a certificate of occupancy or its functional equivalent in the City.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.2**: Land Use Compatibility: Continuously review and reevaluate existing and potential land use conflicts and recommend solutions, in order to enhance land use compatibility and quality of life.
- **POLICY 1.2.1**: Upon completion of the Citywide Master Plan, the City will reevaluate the various City neighborhoods, corridors, districts, and small area redevelopment plans

for appropriate action which may include revising existing plans or developing new plans that promote land use compatibility and decrease land use conflicts.

- **POLICY 1.2.2**: Hallandale Beach Boulevard: The City shall continue to utilize the City's Zoning Code, Land Development Regulations, Citywide Master Plan and the Design Guidelines Manual in review of development and redevelopment within the Hallandale Beach Boulevard Corridor.
- **POLICY 1.2.3**: South Federal Highway: The City shall utilize the South Federal Highway Neighborhood Plan as a guide in the development and redevelopment of the South Federal Highway area.
- **POLICY 1.2.4**: North Federal Highway: The City shall continue to utilize the City's Zoning Code, Land Development Regulations, Citywide Master Plan and the Design Guidelines Manual in review of development and redevelopment within the North Federal Highway Corridor.
- **POLICY 1.2.5**: Fashion Row District: The City shall continue to implement the Fashion Row District Plan by upholding and enhancing the Fashion Row Overlay District, and funding improvements to the District provided there is sufficient private effort by the merchants and investment from property owners to justify City expenditures.
- **POLICY 1.2.6**: North Dixie Highway: The City shall continue to implement the North Dixie Corridor Plan. The City will have succeeded in meeting this objective if all further development is consistent with plan recommendations and overlay district standards, and if additional City investment occurs.
- **POLICY 1.2.7**: South Dixie Highway: The City shall continue to implement the South Dixie Corridor Plan. The City will have succeeded in meeting this objective if all further development is consistent with plan recommendations and overlay district standards, and if additional City investment occurs.
- **POLICY 1.2.8**: County Line Road Corridor: The City shall continue to implement the County Line Road Corridor Plan to the extent possible.
- **POLICY 1.2.9**: Pembroke Road: The City shall continue to implement the Pembroke Road Corridor Plan. The City will have succeeded in meeting this objective if all further development is consistent with the plan recommendations and overlay district standards, and if additional City investment occurs.
- **POLICY 1.2.10:** Foster Road: the City shall continue to implement the Foster Road Corridor Plan. The City will have succeeded in meeting this objective if all further development is consistent with the plan recommendations and overlay district standards, and if additional City investment occurs.

- POLICY 1.2.11: The City shall reduce land use conflicts through prohibiting incompatible commercial uses in residential neighborhoods, through enforcement of the Hallandale Beach Zoning District requirements. Commercial development shall be limited primarily to the perimeter areas of Hallandale Beach's planning districts (as delineated in this Element). Well-planned mixed use projects and appropriate neighborhood commercial uses in defined neighborhood commercial nodes are encouraged where they will improve an area or serve as neighborhood centers. However, commercial uses within residential areas shall not be considered incompatible if, through proper screening, buffering, design and access control, there are no significant noises, odors, fumes, vibrations or other negative impacts beyond the site boundaries, and provided the use is either tied to a neighborhood commercial node, or a peripheral commercial corridor or area.
- **POLICY 1.2.12**: The City shall not approve zoning variances from the nonconforming use provisions of the land development regulations, unless denial of the variance would result in inability to use the property for any conforming use in the foreseeable future.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.3**: Residential Land Use: Maintain at least 2 residential land use categories and corresponding zoning districts, covering at least 30% of the City's land area, providing for low (single-family only) and medium to high densities. At least 25% of land designated for residential use shall permit only single-family residential uses.
- **POLICY 1.3.1**: Maintain categories of residential land use on the Future Land Use Plan map consistent with those categories contained within the Residential Permitted Uses listed in Section 2.3 of the Future Land Use Element.
- **POLICY 1.3.2**: Permit those land uses within areas designated for residential use on the Future Land Use Map (FLUM) which are identified in the Residential Permitted Uses Implementation Section 2.3 of the Future land Use Element.
- **POLICY 1.3.3**: The City shall maintain land development regulations intended to preserve and protect existing single-family neighborhoods from the negative impacts of incompatible land uses and nuisances.
- **POLICY 1.3.4**: Low and medium density residential areas should continue to be buffered from high intensity residential and nonresidential uses and should continue to be located with access to existing local, collector and minor arterial streets.
- **POLICY 1.3.5:** High density residential developments should continue to be located with direct access to major arterial streets.
- **POLICY 1.3.6**: The City adopts Broward County's rules and regulations for flexibility of residential densities.
- **POLICY 1.3.7**: The City shall focus on compatible infill residential development.

- **OBJECTIVE 1.4**: Subdivision and Platting: The City shall continue to provide for subdivision and platting regulations which promote well-planned, orderly, and attractive development and accommodate public facilities. They are to be consistent with the locally adopted capital improvements element, and, the goals, objectives and policies of the Broward County Land Use Plan and the Hallandale Beach Land Use Plan.
- **POLICY 1.4.1**: The City shall maintain platting requirements and land development regulations to ensure they are in conformance with, and/or more stringent than, the Broward County Land Use Plan platting regulations, and, Local Government Comprehensive Planning and Land Development Regulation Act and the requirements and criteria of this Plan.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.5**: Commercial Land Use: Maintain at least 2 commercial/business land use categories and corresponding zoning districts, covering at least 20 percent of the City's land area, providing for neighborhood commercial, general commercial uses and commercial recreation uses. At least 40 percent of the land area designated for commercial use shall be devoted to commercial recreation and ancillary uses, however, the City may elect to approve a proposed land use plan amendment to convert a portion of any parcel designated commercial recreation land use on the City's Future land Use Map, even though when the result may be a reduction in total commercial recreation land use below the 40% threshold, provided that the proposed land use designation compliments the commercial recreation land use category.
- **POLICY 1.5.1**: Maintain categories of commercial land use on the Future Land Use Map consistent with those areas identified in the Commercial Permitted Uses listed in Section 2.3 of the Future Land Use Element.
- **POLICY 1.5.2**: Maintain a Commercial Recreation Category including Hallandale Beach major commercial recreation facilities, i.e., Gulfstream Park Race Track and Casino, Mardi Gras Racing and Casino and Diplomat Golf Course and Country Club. The Commercial Recreation Category will allow public and private recreationally-based facilities. Conversion of these facilities to other uses having increased impacts on public facilities will be contingent upon the new developments ability to maintain adopted level of service standards for affected public facilities and a land use compatibility determination by the City.
- **POLICY 1.5.4**: The City adopts Broward County's rules and regulations for flexibility of commercial areas on the Hallandale Beach Land Use Plan.
- **POLICY 1.5.4**: Commercial areas will continue to be regulated by development standards, such as, but not limited to, size and bulk regulations, landscaped medians, right-turn only exits and other controls or designs intended to improve vehicular and pedestrian safety.
- **POLICY 1.5.5**: The commercial policy statements and categories in the Hallandale Beach Land Use Plan shall form the basis for zoning categories and land development

regulations which establish different intensities of commercial development compatible with their respective service areas and adjacent and surrounding land uses.

- **POLICY 1.5.6:** The City shall restrict further commercial development, or reuse of existing commercially-zoned property, of the auto maintenance nature along Hallandale Beach Boulevard, US-1 or A1A.
- **POLICY 1.5.7**: Development and redevelopment along Hallandale Beach Boulevard and U.S. 1 shall continue to be reviewed and evaluated based on guidelines established for these corridors in the City's Zoning Code, Land Development Regulations, the Citywide Master Plan and the Design Guidelines Manuel. Recommendations from the Citywide Master Plan should also be considered and incorporated upon the Plan's completion expected in late 2008.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.6**: Industrial Land Use: Maintain at least 2 light-industrial and/or employment center land use categories and corresponding zoning districts, covering at least 2 percent (50 acres) of the City land area, to provide for non-polluting, innocuous light manufacturing, high-technology, and related research and development uses.
- **POLICY 1.6.1**: Maintain a Light Industrial category and/or an Employment Center category on the Future Land Use Map in order to allow for the development of certain light industrial and employment center uses in order to improve the community's overall economic base. Allowable light industrial and employment center uses are enumerated in Permitted Uses listed in Section 2.3 of the Future Land Use Element.
- **POLICY 1.6.2**: The location of the Light Industrial category and/or the Employment Center category on the Land Use Plan Map shall continue to be based upon providing access to major transportation facilities, i.e., highway and railroad, while safeguarding the environment, tourism, community preferred life style, and residential areas from adverse impact of industrial development.
- **POLICY 1.6.3**: New residential uses are disallowed in areas designated for industrial and employment center uses except for motel and hotel uses in employment center areas.
- **POLICY 1.6.4**: Industrial land uses and/or employment center uses should continue to be buffered from existing and proposed residential areas by yard setbacks and sufficient landscaping or other screening to effectively screen the use(s) from public view
- **OBJECTIVE 1.7**: Community Facility Land Use: Maintain at least one future land use category and corresponding zoning district to provide for a complete range of community facilities including but not limited to, educational, governmental, religious, utility, civic, recreational and cultural facilities adequate to meet the current and future needs of Hallandale Beach's population.

- **POLICY 1.7.1**: Continue to designate an Institutional category on the Land Use Plan Map which will meet the intent of Objective 1.154 of this Plan Element and will allow uses as numerated in Permitted Uses listed in Section 2.3 of the Future Land use Element.
- **POLICY 1.7.2**: Future institutional uses should be located in, or in close proximity to, population areas they are intended to serve.
- **POLICY 1.7.3**: The City shall continue to designate a public parks category on the Future Land Use Plan map to preserve existing park and open space areas and protect them from encroachment by future development. Allowable Public Park uses are enumerated in the Permitted Uses Implementation Section of the Future Land Use Element.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.8**: Local Activity Center Land Use: Maintain a Local Activity Center (LAC) land use category within the city to encourage compact development that includes a mixture of community-serving uses such as commercial, office, employment, civic and institutional, recreation and open space, hotel, and/or residential. Development shall be characterized by efficient infrastructure, close-knit neighborhoods with a sense of community, preservation of natural systems, promotion of pedestrian circulation, and convenient access to mass transit facilities.
- **POLICY 1.8.1:** The City shall use the Local Activity Center designation as a means to carry out recommended land use policies within a unified planning district based on an adopted master or redevelopment plan.
- **POLICY 1.8.2:** Local Activity Centers shall support the location of uses in a manner oriented around a five-minute (i.e. quarter mile) walk. Multiple nodes of activity oriented around a five-minute walk may be included within one Local Activity Center.
- **POLICY 1.8.3:** Local Activity Centers shall support the location of uses and internal circulation such that pedestrian mobility is a priority. All land uses in a Local Activity Center shall be directly assessed via pedestrian ways, and accessible to existing or future alternative public transportation modes, including bicycle and transit.
- **POLICY 1.8.4:** Local Activity Centers with multiple nodes of activity shall be connected by pedestrian ways and/or transit services.
- **POLICY 1.8.5:** A uniform streetscape program shall be implemented within a Local Activity Center to include pedestrian amenities, public plaza areas, bicycle facilities, unified way-finding signage, and transit related amenities.
- **POLICY 1.8.6:** The City will adopt, as part of its land development regulations, design guidelines to encourage pedestrian oriented development and consistent architectural design within Local Activity Centers.

- **POLICY 1.8.7:** Parkland and/or open space that is accessible to the public shall be included as a functional component of a Local Activity Center. Parkland and/or open space may include defined landscape and pedestrian areas, squares, greenbelts, greenways, playgrounds, private plazas accessible to the public, and/or walking paths or promenades; however ill-defined residual areas such as buffers and berms, for purposes of this criteria, are not considered park land or open space.
- **POLICY 1.8.8:** Housing opportunities shall be included as a functional component of any Local Activity Center. Residential development shall be limited to multifamily units as one means to encourage compact development and integrate mixed-use development.
- **POLICY 1.8.9:** The City may direct public housing programs funds into designated Local Activity Centers consistent with the policies adopted in the Housing Element of the City's Comprehensive Plan as one means to encourage affordable housing opportunities within these centers.
- **POLICY 1.8.10:** The City shall actively promote the provision of affordable housing opportunities within Local Activity Centers during the review and approval of design plans and guidelines for these centers by favoring urban development patterns characterized by reduced lot sizes, construction of zero lot line and cluster housing, vertical integration of residential units with non-residential uses, the allowance of accessory dwelling units, and/or through other mechanisms proven effective in increasing the stock of affordable housing units.
- **POLICY 1.8.11:** Local Activity Centers should encourage the rehabilitation and use of historic structures identified within the designated center as one means to reinforce the local history and community character that is unique to the City of Hallandale Beach. To this end, the City will contact representatives of the Broward County Historical Commission, the Florida Department of State Division of Historical Resources, and the National Register of Historic Places during staff review for any proposed Local Activity Center and, when historic buildings and/or sites are identified, the City will determine the reasonable rehabilitation and reuse of historic buildings located on the site.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.9:** Regional Activity Center Land Use: Consider a Regional Activity Center (RAC) land use category within the city to encourage attractive and functional mixed living, working, shopping, educational and recreational activities.
- **POLICY 1.9.1:** The City shall use the Regional Activity Center designation as a means to carry out recommended land use policies within a unified planning district based on an adopted master or redevelopment plan.
- **POLICY 1.9.2:** Non-motorized transportation as well as mass transit shall be encouraged to serve a Regional Activity Center to reduce reliance upon automobile travel.

- **POLICY 1.9.3:** To facilitate public transit access, integrated transportation systems should be encouraged to serve a Regional Activity Center.
- **POLICY 1.9.4:** To enhance pedestrian movement and safety, the separation of pedestrian and vehicular traffic should be encouraged within a Regional Activity Center.
- **POLICY 1.9.5:** Redevelopment activities should be encouraged within a Regional Activity Center.
- **POLICY 1.9.6:** A Regional Activity Center should provide for substantial housing opportunities to allow people to both live and work within the Regional Activity Center.
- **POLICY 1.9.7:** A Regional Activity Center shall include opportunities to address the affordable/workforce housing needs of the city.
- **POLICY 1.9.8:** Park land and/or open space that is open to the public must be included as a functional component within a proposed Regional Activity Center.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.10**: Historic and Natural Resources: Ensure that no development adversely impacts historic resources, pollutes the aquifer, surface water bodies or air, contributes to beach erosion or tree removal in excess of tree replacement, disturbs migratory aquatic wildlife, or harms beach vegetation in excess of permitted and acceptable levels, as determined by the City, water management and environmental monitoring and permitting agencies. This objective will be achieved if there is no degradation of these resources attributed to specific development or development within the City, in general.
- **POLICY 1.10.1**: The City shall protect, by regulation, acquisition and/or restoration, existing natural areas.
- **POLICY 1.10.2**: The City of Hallandale Beach Code of Ordinances shall continue to regulate development in the 100-year flood level areas, as designated by the federal flood insurance program, and particularly in the Coastal High Hazard areas.
- **POLICY 1.10.3**: The City shall continue to require building construction elevations consistent with minimum federal flood insurance regulations.
- **POLICY 1.10.4**: Minimum road crown elevation standards as implemented by the South Florida Water Management District shall be applied to all new roadway construction in the City.
- **POLICY 1.10.5**: Encourage the preservation of historically significant structures in the City by designating them on the FLUM and Official Zoning Map to provide for their preservation and appropriate use.

- **POLICY 1.10.6**: The City shall protect historical structures by enforcing Broward County regulations for the preservation of locally significant historical structures.
- **POLICY 1.10.7**: The City shall maintain procedures for incentives, bonuses, and penalties to implement the preservation of historical structures.
- **POLICY 1.10.8**: The City of Hallandale Beach shall continue to evaluate development proposals with respect to pervious area requirements specified in the Land Development Code.
- **POLICY 1.10.9**: The City shall continue to discourage developments which may handle, generate or store hazardous material from locating within a wellfield cone of influence.
- **POLICY 1.10.10**: The City shall protect the ground water aquifer within the cone of influence in conjunction with its agreements with Broward County Water Resources Management Division and the Broward County Wellfield Protection Ordinance and through the enforcement of the policies set forth in the "Infrastructure" Element of this Comprehensive Plan, and the regulations of the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD).
- **POLICY 1.10.11**: The City shall continue to protect its natural resources and maintain its environmental quality through the provision of land use regulations which are consistent with the policies of this Comprehensive Plan.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.11**: Coastal Area Densities, Hurricane Evacuation: Maintain coastal area densities in order to maintain the hurricane evacuation times listed in the South Florida Regional Planning Council's (SFRPC) Regional Hurricane Evacuation Model Traffic Study.
- **POLICY 1.11.1**: The City shall continue to enforce development regulations which are consistent with the policies of the Coastal Management Element, emphasizing the safety of life and property in the Coastal High Hazard Area.
- **POLICY 1.11.2**: The City shall continue to require building construction elevations consistent with minimum federal flood insurance regulations.
- **POLICY 1.11.3**: Encourage development and redevelopment in the coastal high hazard area to include hazard mitigation measures for beach and beachfront property protection to minimize loss of life and property and protect against beach erosion.
- **POLICY 1.11.4**: The ordinances which the City will continue to enforce and update include the Flood Ordinance, and the Coastal Construction Code, as part of Florida Building Code.

- **POLICY 1.11.5**: The City shall direct populations away from Coastal High-Hazard Areas, to the extent legally feasible, through establishment of redevelopment regulations for Coastal High Hazard Areas.
- **POLICY 1.11.6**: The City shall establish limits on levels of service and areas of service for infrastructure systems within the Coastal High Hazard Area.
- **POLICY 1.11.7**: The City shall require that proposed developments, which would result in a concentration of elderly and/or handicapped residents, provide plans and methods of evacuation as part of their development planning. The City will continue to enforce its Emergency Operations Plan which requires all condominiums to have a natural disaster plan in place.
- **POLICY 1.11.8**: The City shall restrict construction or redevelopment in areas controlled by State Coastal Construction Control lines (CCCL) and require State agency approval prior to the City issuance of building permits for any portion of a structure seaward of the CCCL.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.12**: Land Use Consistency: The City shall manage growth and development through the continued administration, and enforcement of the Hallandale Beach Zoning and Land Development Code which shall ensure that future land uses remain consistent with this Plan.
- **POLICY 1.12.1**: As part of the development review and approval process, the City shall continue to implement a system of Comprehensive Plan compliance review for all development and approval petitions
- **POLICY 1.12.2**: The City shall continue to ensure that the provisions of the Hallandale Beach Zoning and Land Development code include all necessary site plan requirements to further the intent of this Comprehensive Plan. These requirements shall include but not be limited to adequate drainage and stormwater management, landscaping and open space requirements, signage regulations, subdivision regulations, safe and convenient on-site traffic flow, vehicle parking and consistency of land uses with Plan designations
- **POLICY 1.12.3**: The City shall continue to review, evaluate and update the City's Unified Land Development Code.
- **POLICY 1.12.4**: The City shall maintain innovative land development regulations that encourage mixed-use developments and incorporate site design planning techniques that will enhance the quality of large scale developments or redevelopment areas.
- **POLICY 1.12.5**: The City shall continue to require adequate pervious areas to improve aquifer recharge and look for alternative ways to increase stormwater recapture.

- **POLICY 1.12.6**: The City shall study and consider amortization and other methods of requiring nonconforming mobile home parks to meet Codes, including replacement of the parks with conforming uses by 2012.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.13**: Housing: The City shall decrease the amount of substandard living conditions and blighting influences in the Hallandale Beach community through actions identified in the Housing Element to achieve stated objectives.
- **POLICY 1.13.1**: The City shall continue its involvement in coordinating State, County and Federal funding allocations directed toward new construction, rehabilitation, and/or demolition of irreparable residential and nonresidential structures, strict code enforcement program, and the provision of public facilities and services which target low and moderate income households and neighborhoods.
- **POLICY 1.13.2**: The Hallandale Beach Zoning and Land Development Code provisions which contain design standards relative to landscaping, setbacks, and other site controls, shall continue to be strictly enforced to meet the intent of the Goal, Objective and Policies of the Future Land Use Element of the Plan
- **POLICY 1.13.3**: The City should continue to commit resources to the Community Redevelopment Area where neighborhood improvements are needed.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.14**: Capital Improvements: A five year schedule of Capital improvements will be maintained. The schedule will be oriented toward implementation of concurrency requirements of Chapter 163.F.S. that require public facilities and services be available, at levels of service consistent with those adopted in the Comprehensive Plan, when the impacts of development occur.
- **POLICY 1.14.1**: The City shall determine the status and capabilities of existing and proposed facilities (including water, wastewater, solid waste, traffic, stormwater, and recreation/open space) to accommodate current, new, and redevelopment demands, and any projects necessary to maintain adopted levels of service. These projects will be added to the five-year Capital Improvements Plan.
- **POLICY 1.14.2**: The Development Services Department shall evaluate impacts resulting from new developments to ensure that adequate facilities are either in place or planned so that Level of Service standards are not reduced.
- **POLICY 1.14.3**: The City shall adopt level of service standards and shall be used as the basis for determining the availability of facility capacity. See the Capital Improvements Element for a complete list of adopted Level of Service Standards.
- **POLICY 1.14.4**: The assessment of needed capital improvements shall be based on the Level of Service standards adopted in the Transportation Element, Sanitary Sewer, Solid Waste, Stormwater Management, Potable Water, and Natural Groundwater

- Aquifer Recharge Element, and Recreation and Open Space Element of the Comprehensive Plan.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.15**: Transportation: The City shall not issue a development order or permit which results in a reduction in level of service on any portion of the City roadway system below adopted level of service unless the development is located within an urban infill or redevelopment area and satisfies objectives and policies relating thereto and mitigation is provided (Note: the entire City is located within an urban infill area).
- **POLICY 1.15.1**: The City shall through implementation of the Broward County Trafficways Plan and the minimum City right-of-way standard of fifty (50) feet, secure right-of-way dedications at time of development review to ensure that adequate right-of-way is provided to serve existing and future development.
- **POLICY 1.15.2**: The City shall minimize future curb cuts on arterial and collector roadways during development review as identified in the Unified Land Development Code.
- **POLICY 1.15.3**: The City shall encourage developments that promote safe and efficient on and off-site transportation improvements.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.16**: Intergovernmental Coordination: Maintain or improve existing mechanisms and establish new ones as required to ensure coordination and cooperation between the City of Hallandale Beach and other units of local, County, Regional, State, and Federal governments regarding planning and development matters.
- **POLICY 1.16.1**: The City shall use existing and establish new procedures as needed to ensure consistency and coordination between the City and County Comprehensive Plans, the State of Florida Comprehensive Plan, the Regional Policy Plan for South Florida, plans of adjacent municipalities, and plans of other units of local government which provide services within the City, but do not have regulatory authority.
- **POLICY 1.16.2**: The City, in coordination with the Broward County School Board, encourages the location of schools proximate to urban residential areas to the extent possible, and to collocate public facilities, such as parks, libraries, and community centers with schools to the extent possible.
- **OBJECTIVE 1.17**: Transportation Concurrency Exception Areas: Maintain urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s) within the City containing residential and nonresidential uses where public services and facilities are in place.
- **POLICY 1.17.1**: Urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s) shall be mapped within the Future City and Broward County Land Use Plan Maps.

POLICY 1.17.2: Designated urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s) must contain residential and nonresidential uses and must be identified on the Future Land Use Plan Map Series consistent with the following criteria.

Where any two areas meeting the criteria for designation as urban infill, urban redevelopment or downtown revitalization area(s) are contiguous, they may be combined on the Land Use Plan Map as one distinct geographical area for the purposes of permitting development pursuant to the goals, objectives and policies of the Plan.

Urban Infill Areas

- a. The boundaries and approximate acreage of the area must be identified.
- b. Public facilities and services such as sewage treatment systems, schools, and recreation areas must be in place.
- c. Mass transit must be available within a quarter mile of 75 percent of the urban infill area and transportation facilities.
- d. An analysis must be included considering the impact of the urban infill area on the Florida Intrastate Highway System.
- e. Average residential density for developed residential areas must be at least 5 dwelling units per acre.
- f. Average nonresidential intensity for developed nonresidential areas must have a floor area ratio of at least 1.0.
- g. Vacant, developable land must not constitute more than 10 percent of the area.
- h. Alternatively, in addition to meeting criteria (a), (b), (c) (d), (e), (f) and (g) above, the area may be a designated Community Redevelopment Area per Chapter 163, Florida Statutes.

Urban Redevelopment Areas

- a. The boundaries and approximate acreage of the area must be identified.
- b. Public facilities and services such as sewage treatment systems, schools, and recreation areas must be in place.
- c. Transportation facilities and mass transit service must be available within a quarter mile of 75 percent of the urban redevelopment area providing a headway of thirty minutes or less, available at least 5 days a week.

- d. An analysis is required, considering the impact of the urban redevelopment area on the Florida Intrastate Highway System.
- e. In addition to meeting criteria (a), (b), (c), and (d) above, such area must be over 80% built-out, regularly served by mass transit and the subject of a locally adopted revitalization/redevelopment plan.
- f. Alternatively, in addition to meeting criteria (a), (b), (c) and (d) above, the area may be a designated Community Redevelopment Area per Chapter 163, Florida Statutes.
- g. The Urban Redevelopment Areas must be within an urban infill area or within an existing service area.

OBJECTIVE 1:18: Urban Infill and Redevelopment: Establish criteria which encourage development of urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s) to promote economic development, increase housing opportunities, and maximize the use of existing public facilities and services.

POLICY 1:18:1: Increase economic development and employment opportunities within urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s).

POLICY 1:18:2: Adequate housing opportunities necessary to accommodate all segments of present and future residents shall be provided within urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s).

POLICY 1:18:3: The Hallandale Beach Land Use Plan shall encourage mixed use developments within urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s).

POLICY 1:18:4: Designated urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s) shall be excepted from transportation facilities concurrency requirements consistent with Chapter 163 Florida Statutes; however, application will be subject to providing a traffic analysis consistent with the Transportation Element and potential improvements to minimize impacts.

POLICY 1:18:5: Notwithstanding the above, all development is subject to Broward County Transportation Concurrency Management Area (TCMA) Level of Service criteria and the payment of Transit Impact Fees as determined by Broward County prior to the issuance of permits.

POLICY 1:18:6: Integrated transportation systems, mass transit facilities, bikeways and pedestrian corridors should be encouraged to serve urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s) to reduce reliance upon automobile travel.

The City shall address the transportation needs of the exception areas through Objectives and Policies identified in the Transportation Element, the Citywide

Transportation Plan and participation in existing or new County, MPO and FDOT programs and projects. These programs and projects include:

- Development of a Traffic Management System to monitor the traffic impacts of all developments approved within the exception areas.
- The Broward County Congestion Demand Management Plan
- The "Downtown (Fort Lauderdale CBD) Transportation Management Area" ride-sharing, flex-time guaranteed ride home and mass transit programs for any commuters living in Hallandale Beach.
- The I-95 Master Plan participation on the I-95 Master Plan (including Tri-Rail System) project will include coordination with Florida Department of Transportation to identify alternative approaches to address the transportation needs of the exception areas. Coordination will also identify the traffic impacts of the exception areas and evaluation of proposed I-95 alternatives on the overall Hallandale Beach Transportation System.
- The City actively encourages the use of the City Mini Bus System and implements bicycle and sidewalk improvements.

POLICY 1:18:7: The Hallandale Beach Comprehensive Plan and LDRs shall establish standards and monitoring procedures for the expansion of mass transit, pedestrian travel and other forms of non-automobile travel within urban infill and urban redevelopment area(s).

OBJECTIVE 1.19: Crime Prevention: The City shall review all major developments for their use of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) principles and standards.

POLICY 1.19.1: The City shall maintain a CPTED review policy and procedure in the form of administrative policy or land development regulations. The policy shall require plan review by the Development Services and Police Departments, at a minimum.

POLICY 1.19.2: The City shall incorporate CPTED principles into the Unified Land Development Code by 2011.

OBJECTIVE 1.20: The City shall continue to implement its energy-efficient "grid" Future Land Use Plan and discourage urban sprawl accounting for existing and future energy power generation and transmission systems.

POLICY 1.20.1: The City shall ensure the Comprehensive Plan and Land Development Code do not prevent the construction of electrical substations and transmission systems in the City. This shall not preclude the City from requiring proper siting and buffering.

- **POLICY 1.20.2:** The City shall continue to enforce the provisions of the most recent edition of the Florida Building Code, particularly the updated Energy Code (adopted 3/09) to achieve higher energy efficiency in buildings.
- **POLICY 1.20.3:** The City shall require the use of low water use plumbing fixtures in new construction and continue to encourage the use of low water use plumbing fixtures in building renovations through periodic give-away toilet retrofit programs and encourage energy efficient electrical systems, such as retrofitting lighting fixtures in City buildings.
- **POLICY 1.20.4:** The City shall continue to provide educational materials to its residents / property owners on energy saving strategies and water conservation methods such as domestic water use, rainwater recycling for irrigation, landscaping techniques, etc. The City will continue periodic give-away rain sensor retrofit programs for sprinkler systems.
- **POLICY 1.20.5:** The City shall allow the use of alternative, renewable sources of energy including the use of solar panels. This shall not preclude the City from requiring proper installation locations and buffering.
- **POLICY 1.20.6:** The City shall continue to encourage mixed-use development and concentrations of higher land use intensities along major transportation corridors by allowing urban-type development standards (i.e. height / setbacks), residential use and density bonuses in designated commercial areas via Flex Allocation.
- **POLICY 1.20.7:** The City shall continue to foster its "sustainable" community character with a variety of housing opportunities at varying price ranges, employment and retail uses, educational, community facilities, parks and recreational uses, etc. to the extent possible.
- **POLICY 1.20.8:** The City shall continue to maintain, upgrade and complete missing segments of its pedestrian and bikeway networks connecting development to transportation systems, schools, public facilities and commercial areas.
- **POLICY 1.20.9:** The City shall continue to reduce the heat island effect by improving its green infrastructure (i.e. tree canopy / parks and open spaces / landscaped medians) and requiring private lands to comply as well. The City has previously adopted a Resolution to achieve a 30% tree canopy by 2030.
- **POLICY 1.20.10:** The City shall initiate Comprehensive Plan amendments within one year of publication of approved DCA guidelines (Rules) for implementing the 2008 statutory requirements for energy reduction and subsequently amend its Land Development Regulations to adopt specific standards and strategies that address Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions, energy efficient housing, and overall energy conservation, if deemed appropriate for the City and they are financially feasible.