

Input to BEATF Members: Sumit DasGupta

Following suggestions are based on discussions with Mayor Steve Adler:

Overarching Suggestion: All investments should be aligned with the vision and priority programs in Imagine Austin, and demonstrate substantial impact on Complete Communities Indicators

Suggestions for consideration (not in priority order):

- Active Transportation, including sidewalks and bikeways with an emphasis on investments aligned with the Vision Zero Action Plan
- Capital Asset Repair and Renewal (Streets and Bridges)
- Affordable Housing, including Permanent Supportive Housing
- Funds for land banking in Imagine Austin Activity Centers and Corridors for future equitable and sustainable development (areas such as Colony Park, Dove Springs, etc.)
- Potential funding for workforce housing strike fund
- New / Upgraded Facilities (with possible PPP)
 - Mission Critical, e.g., new police HQ, etc.
 - Cultural Centers, e.g., AARC phase 2/3, MACC Master Plan implementation (if not funded via Downtown Puzzle), and improvements at Carver Center
- Flood Mitigation
- Parks & Open Space Acquisition and Parks improvements, including acquisition of the Rutherford tract, and elements of the Aquatics Master Plan.
- Catalyst projects identified as part of the Spirit of East Austin initiative

Suggested geographic consideration: Investments to enhance equity and economic opportunity in Eastern Crescent in priority areas listed above