



SBStat Post Meeting Notes

Urgent Issues Review During Meeting: N/A

2019 Project Highlights and Takeaways

- Sidewalk Repair Program distributed all annual funds for the first time this year
- New Zoning Ordinance creates opportunity for rezonings and streamlined building permit applications
- State legislation change will allow for differential billing of water and sewer fees, which will be implemented in 2020 in partnership with Real Services
- Implementation of the RSVP Ordinance has been a heavy lift, but staff already see positive outcomes
- City Climate Action Plan will require future policies soliciting participation from residents and businesses, not just City-implemented changes, in order to meet targets
- Proactive maintenance of fire hydrants and waterline valves make it easier to respond to resident needs

2020 Prospective Projects

- Sidewalk repair and street resurfacing programs need to be analyzed to establish performance targets and appropriate funding levels in response to community priorities
- Residents require education about trash pickup, as well as separating trash and yard waste, in addition to potential changes to how citations are issued
- Owners of vacant commercial properties can be incentivized to activate the space through ordinances encouraging varied uses, in addition to developing a plan to cite properties that are not well-maintained
- Opportunities exist to document historic program investment and growth, including Neighborhood Cleanups, Home Repair, and SBARC

Other Topics Discussed

- 2018 Community Survey responses are aligned with current Departmental priorities and the upcoming 2020 survey provides a chance to collect data on progress toward these goals