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Strategic Plan - Key Priorities Action Items							
Environmental Responsibility	2019	2020	2021	2022			
■ Complete Climate Resiliency Strategy							
■ Recognize climate change and the impact on our community through our plans, strategies, bylaws, and actions							
■ Complete a natural asset inventory and strategy							
■ Conduct Downtown Mobility Study							
■ Update Community Sustainability Action Plan							
 Work with Regional District of Nanaimo to increase public transit service and availability in the community 							
 Work with the Regional District of Nanaimo and other community organizations to develop food security for the region 							
Governance Excellence	2019	2020	2021	2022			
■ Implement a new model of governance that allows Council to participate in an enhanced decision making process							
 Undertake a review and update Council Policies and Bylaws 							
 Continue to work with Snuneymuxw First Nation through the Protocol Agreement Working Group to address issues and topics of mutual interest 							
 Enhance stakeholder relations with the Nanaimo Port Authority, School District 68, the Greater Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce and the Regional District of Nanaimo 							
 Seek grant funding opportunities from the Federal and Provincial government for capital projects 							
 Advocate to the Federal and Provincial governments to take responsibility for mental health, affordable housing, and social disorder issues 							

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Livability	2019	2020	2021	2022
■ Undertake a coordinated review of the Official Community Plan, Parks Master Plan and Active Transportation Plan				
■ Implement the Affordable Housing Strategy (short term rentals and adaptable housing regulations)				
Adopt an age-friendly City plan to support Nanaimo being recognized as an Age Friendly British Columbia (AFBC) Community				
■ Support arts, culture and recreation as an integral part of everyday life				
■ Continue to ensure our facilities and programs are safe and accessible to all peoples in our community				
■ Update the Water Supply Strategic Plan				
■ Complete and update the Fire Service Delivery Plan				
■ Work with the RCMP in setting annual policing priorities and responding to emerging community safety issues				
Economic Health	2019	2020	2021	2022
Identify and implement the most appropriate economic development model for Nanaimo				
■ Complete an Economic Development Strategy				
 Continue to work with tourism sector (i.e. Nanaimo Hospitality Association, Tourism Nanaimo, Vancouver Island Conference Centre) to increase tourism in Nanaimo 				
■ Complete feasibility work and conceptual design for on-beach options for the Departure Bay Waterfront Walkway				
■ Construct an interim walkway around One Port Drive				
■ Develop City property at One Port Drive				
■ Council advocate for a fast ferry service, or other forms of transportation improvements, for connectivity				

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