

Values for Grandview-Woodland:

1) Representation

We value genuine democracy, transparency and engagement, where the citizens of Grandview Woodlands feel like they have a voice that is listened to and acted upon.

2) Change

Although change is inevitable, we value a mindful approach to the pace and type of change. Specifically, we want integrated, gradual, sustainable change that is responsive to the needs of local and city residents. Change should be inclusive and incorporate community engagement.

3) Character

We acknowledge that we are on the unceded territories of the Coast Salish peoples who are a living presence within Grandview-Woodland.

We value the character and history of Grandview-Woodland. It's people, communities, buildings and businesses are quirky and eclectic and represent multiple cultures and eras.

4) Community

We value a neighborly community that is family-friendly - safe, clean and encouraging of play for all ages.

5) Diversity

We value a diversity of people, housing, public land use and economic opportunities.

6) Affordability

We value a community where people of all socio-economic levels can live, work, play and visit.

7) Safety

We value the right of everyone to walk, ride, and drive anywhere at anytime without fear.

We value the protection of the community by collaborating with law enforcement, community policing organizations, first responders and harm reduction programs.

8) Wellness

We value a quality of life that fosters mental, physical, and social health in the places we work, live and play.

We support the green spaces, facilities and amenities that recognize people's different needs and experiences.

9) Environmental Sustainability

We value environmental conversation and restoration through ecological literacy, integrity, biodiversity and food security.

We value infrastructure that is efficient, minimizes waste and promotes the reduction of collective emissions and encourages the efficient use of resources.

10) Transportation

We value accessible, efficient, clean, safe and affordable transportation for people of all ages and abilities.

We support active modes of transportation that are safe and enjoyable, facilitate the movement of goods and services, ensure efficient emergency response, and reduce negative local impacts.

11) Arts and Culture

We value the vibrant and significant role that arts and culture plays in our community. We wish to support artists, as well as cultural spaces and events.