

### NEIGHBORHOODS

- To continue the City's neighborhood traffic calming efforts to reduce residential neighborhood cut-through traffic.
- To monitor construction activities associated with the Woodrow Wilson Bridge and PTO projects, and minimize truck traffic noise and other impacts on adjacent residential neighborhoods.
- To implement the City's strategic master plan for open space and recreation which defines City actions over the next 15 years to improve and expand parks, recreation facilities and programs, and open space.
- To improve the City's communication efforts to better inform citizens about programs, services, and the major issues facing City Council.



### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- To begin redevelopment of Samuel Madden downtown property which will include the construction of 52 public housing units, as well as the development of three other properties on Braddock Road, South Whiting Street, and South Reynolds Street with a total of 48 public housing units.
- To implement the Plan for Planning by preparing land use plans, based on community consensus, which will guide development in the eastern end of Eisenhower valley and redevelopment in Upper Potomac West/Arlandria and along Mount Vernon Avenue.
- To develop a partnership with local businesses to enhance the King Street commercial corridor to make it more attractive for commercial tenants, visitors and shoppers.
- To maintain the City as an attractive place to do business for technology firms, trade associations, and similar businesses.
- To begin implementation of the plan for Upper Potomac West/Arlandria by making infrastructure improvements along Mount Vernon Avenue and working with



merchants to define and carry out a retail marketing program for the area.

## TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION

- To develop a comprehensive transportation policy and program which will define the City's major transportation projects and activities over the next decade.
- To define a long-term program for the expansion of DASH bus service, the requisition of new DASH buses and the construction of a new DASH facility off of South Quaker Lane.
- To complete, in collaboration with adjacent neighborhoods, a preliminary design for the realignment of the Monroe Avenue bridge and to secure funding for the project.
- To define, for the Potomac Yard corridor in Alexandria and Arlington, the provision of transit services that will best reduce reliance on the single occupant vehicle.

## SERVICES TO CITIZENS

- To preserve and expand the supply of affordable rental and ownership housing units throughout the City.
- To strengthen communications with, and provide outreach services to, the City's immigrant population to improve their knowledge of and access to City services.
- To implement improvements in the City's child welfare programs to ensure the protection of City children.
- To make significant progress on the City goal of reducing teen pregnancy by 25% by 2005.



## PUBLIC SAFETY

- To ensure that the City is prepared to respond, immediately and effectively, to emergency situations that threaten the safety and health of citizens.
- To continue the Police Department's program of community policing and enhance the department's partnership with neighborhoods in the fight against crime and nuisance activities.
- To meet the need for expanded police, fire and emergency medical services and related facilities due to the City's increasing population and commercial development.
- To educate citizens about the West Nile Virus, and to undertake effective protective measures.

## ENVIRONMENT

- To implement the plan to address inflow and infiltration problems in the sanitary sewer system in the City's older neighborhoods.
- To enhance efforts to protect the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries and other City water

resources.

## TECHNOLOGY

- To expand citizens' opportunities to access City services, learn about City activities and programs, and conduct business with the City, through the Internet and the City's web site.



## SCHOOLS

- To fund the capital and operating needs of the Alexandria public schools based on increased student population and facility requirements.
- To enhance collaboration between the City government and the City schools on jointly-used facilities and programs.
- To define, with the schools, a feasible program for the reconstruction and expansion of T.C. Williams High School.

