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Highland Park District 15 Plan FAQs

What is D-15?

District 15 of the city of St. Paul is Highland Park. The area is defined as from Randolph Avenue south to the Mississippi River and east to I 35E.

What is the D-15 Plan?

Good question. Every 10 years the city asks for community input on planning in each of its 17 districts. This is an update of the 2007-08 plan.

Does it include all of Highland Park?

No. The D-15 does not include the Ford Site, because it has special zoning. In addition, it does not include the Shepard Davern neighborhood, or the West Seventh area. That subdistrict plan was written and passed in 2016. It is an addendum to the D-15 Plan. It's there if you want to read it.

What is different about this plan compared to the prior one?

Not much. As our neighborhood continues to grow, the plan advocates for following:

- Improving pedestrian and biking safety
- Creating safe streets for children walking to school
- Maintaining and expanding parks
- Increasing promotion and visibility of the arts
- Promoting equity and community diversity
- Promoting a wide range of housing styles, from multi-family to senior to single-family
- Increase vibrancy of commercial districts such as Highland Village, West Seventh, Snelling Avenue
- Continue our record as one of the safest neighborhoods in St. Paul and Ramsey County
- Continue to provide opportunities for our growing number of senior citizens
- Help manage planned increase in density in some parts of the neighborhood through community outreach and work with planner
- Market the community to businesses and potential residents

How can I help?

We want you to take an online survey and select for us your priorities. Please log on to https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DBY2PJ5 or pick up our business card with more information.

The Highland District Council's mission is to foster opportunities for the people that live, learn, work, and play in Highland Park to engage and connect with neighbors, businesses and local government and to help build a more vibrant, welcoming, and safe neighborhood.

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