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Update on the Culture & Heritage Priorities Plan

Community Planning and Economic
Development Steering Committee

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Origins

- April 21st, 2016 CPED
 - “ *Request a staff report providing an update on the progress and timelines for the Culture and Heritage Priorities Plan to be presented at the next meeting of CPED*”
- 2014 Regional Plan
 - “*The Culture and Heritage Priorities Plan will provide greater direction for strategic planning and investment in culture and heritage.*”

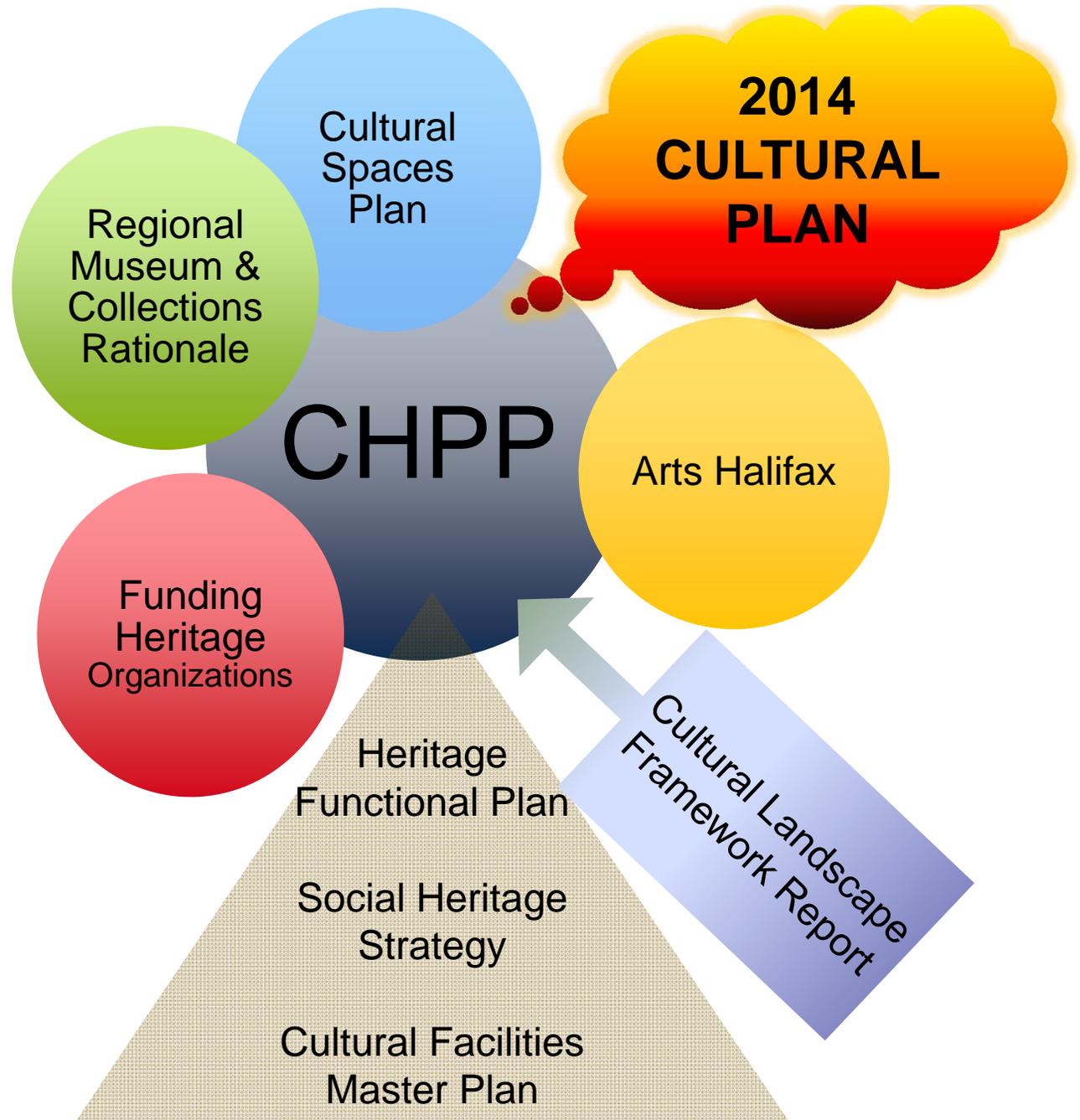
Key Questions

- What are HRM's priorities regarding Built Heritage & Cultural Landscapes, Cultural Spaces, Social Heritage, and Arts & Cultural Development?
- How should HRM's policies or regulations effectively support the above priorities?
- How should HRM's programs support the above priorities?
- What partnerships should HRM foster to support the above priorities?

Assumptions

- A broad notion of “Culture” as the means of defining people, communities and neighbourhoods
- The need for proactive and strategic planning versus reactionary measures or legacy practices
- A working partnership between HRM’s Planning & Development (policy) and Parks & Recreation (programming)
- Development through HRM staff, consultant(s), community partners, and citizen efforts
- A comprehensive plan that includes the budgets, staff resources and partnerships necessary to implement the cultural priorities and supporting policies and programs

Related Projects



Components

Pillars of the CHPP



Work to Date

- Cultural Landscape Framework Report, Phase 2 of the Halifax Green Network Plan
- Social Heritage Strategy Vision
- Community Museums (to be presented to CPED in February)
- Project Planning for CHPP including partnership with Province of Nova Scotia (CAO Sole Source Award May 2016)

Timeline

- Timeline in July report delayed due to RFP process
- RFP was unsuccessful, however alternative procurement process lead to contract with cultural mapping experts
- Phase 1- 5 months starting in February 2016

2014-2016	2016		2017										2018													
2014-PRESENT	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
PROJECT DEVELOPMENT	PHASE 1 INVENTORY										PH 2A ANALYZE						PH 2B PRIORITIZE									

Phase 1

- Partnership with Communities, Culture and Heritage
- GIS based for long term use and sharing of data
- Inventory Objectives:
 - (1) complete inventory of HRM cultural assets;
 - (2) create a common framework of categories;
 - (3) develop a toolkit for continuous collection, and
 - (4) undertake specific culture inventory work required by HRM

Deliverables

- Policies
- Programs
- Resources- Staff and dedicated Budgets
- Partnerships
- Performance Measurement



Questions?