

House Santa Rosa

Planning Commission

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House Santa Rosa - Description

Grant-funded initiative to accelerate the production of housing and help local jurisdictions achieve compliance with Regional Housing Needs Assessment.



What is the LEAP Grant?



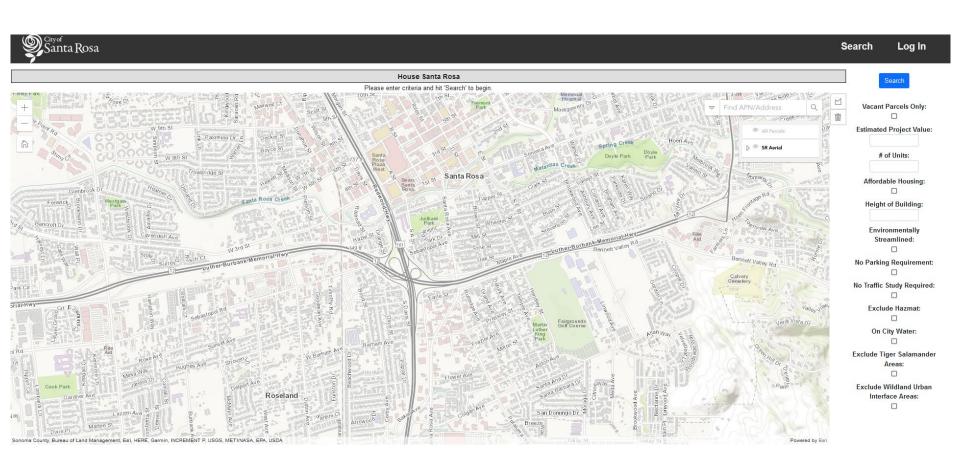
House Santa Rosa – Deliverable #1

1. Development Feasibility Map and Dashboard

- Online map that shows specific development criteria and incentives that affect how a property can be developed
- Dashboard that allows a user to enter specific criteria (residential density, vacant lot, location within Priority Development Area) and receive a list of parcels that fit those criteria



House Santa Rosa – Development Feasibility Tool





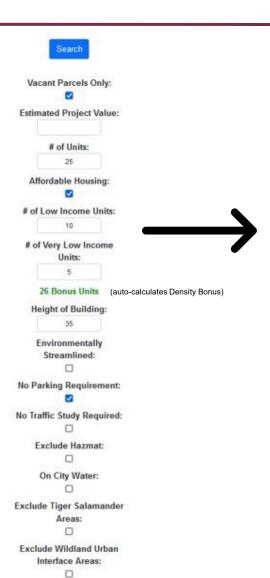
Project Concept

A developer would like to build 25 units, with five units dedicated to Very Low-Income households, and 10 units dedicated to Low-Income households.

The property should be currently vacant, allow for a 35-foot structure, be located in a Specific Plan Area, and be located in an area that does not require on-site parking.



House Santa Rosa – Development Feasibility Tool - Example

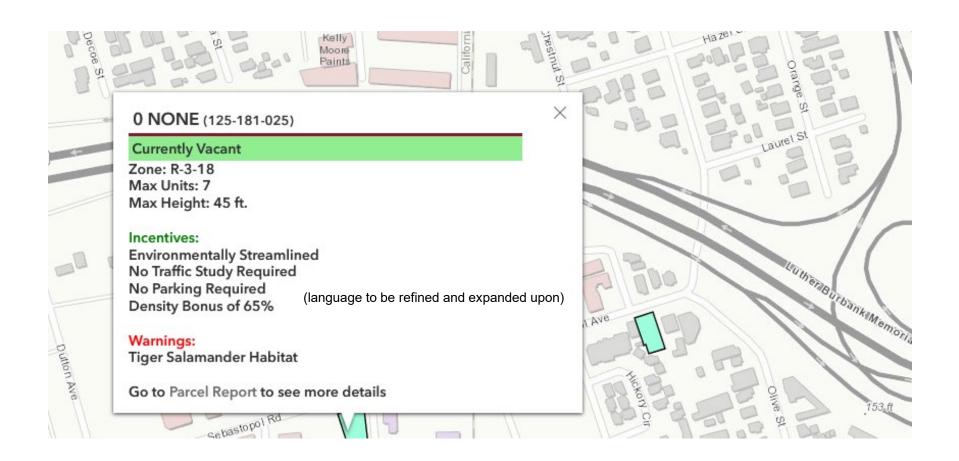




(list of resulting parcels to be located here)



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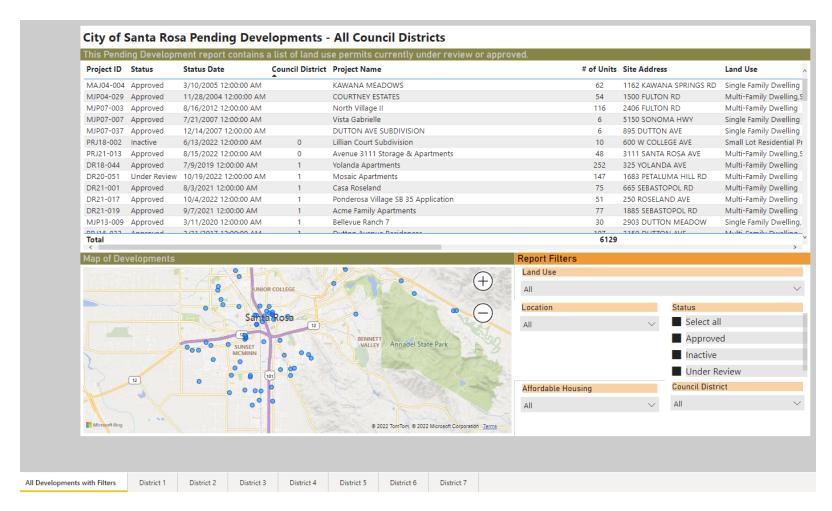
House Santa Rosa – Deliverable #2

2. Real-time Development Map and Dashboard

- Online map that displays project information, including specific details related to the development and the status of the proposal
- Dashboard that allows a user to enter project details and receive a list of projects that fit those criteria

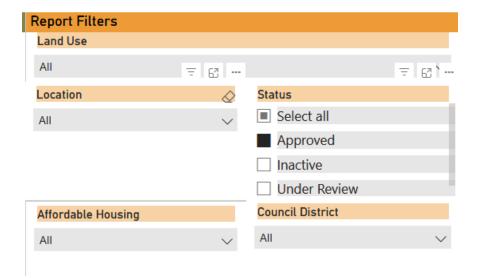


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New filters to be added
Ex: Parking concessions
Building height
Affordability breakdown
Approval date



House Santa Rosa - Objectives

- Help community members and developers understand how parcels throughout the City can be developed
- Create greater transparency regarding housing projects that are proposed and approved
- Create efficiencies related to required annual reporting.
- Simplify analysis of the effectiveness of housing policies by providing a userfriendly platform that displays where development is happening throughout the City.



House Santa Rosa – The Team

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Developer community of Santa Rosa
Santa Rosa residents/community members

....all of you!



House Santa Rosa - Timeline

January 2022 – Awarded Grant

July 2022 - Full steam ahead

December 2022 - Community surveys distributed

September 2023 – Grant must be expended



House Santa Rosa – Next Steps

Development Feasibility Tool

Build out additional regulations and incentives of development

Real-Time Development Map and Dashboard Introduce additional filters based on new data

Emphasis on intuitive User Interface

Synthesize feedback from Boards and Commissions Design Review Board – June 15th Cultural Heritage Board – June 21st



Requested Action

Ask questions, and provide input on:

- Site characteristics (regulations and incentives) that are important in determining the feasibility of development for the site
- Project details that are important to the community (phase of the project, number of units, number of parking spaces, etc)
- Anything else!



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