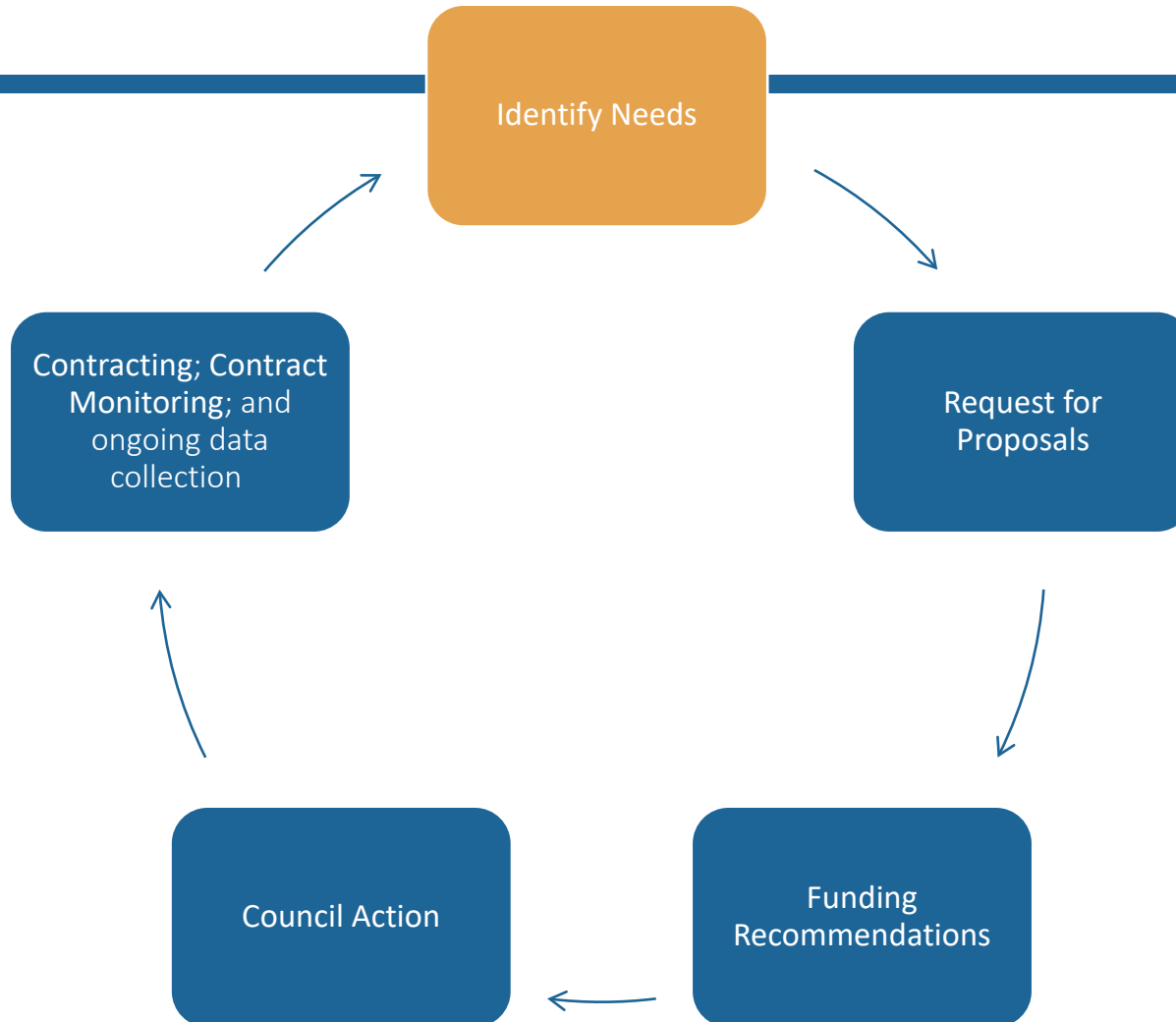


Development of 2021-2022 Human Services Needs Update

Park & Community Services Board
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Human Services Fund Cycle



What is the Needs Update?

- Compilation of quantitative and qualitative data from a wide variety of sources
- Analysis of health and human services trends and issues that affect the quality of life of Bellevue residents
- Forecasting of “most likely future”: how can the City best prepare for changes in human services in a quickly changing environment?



Purpose of the Needs Update

- Guides the recommendations of Human Services Commission for allocation of 2023-2024 Human Services Fund
- Directs the work of Human Services Division
- Provides information for providers, community groups and regional planning



Needs Update Areas of Focus

- Community Profile
- Housing Stability and Food Security
- Supportive Relationships within Families, Neighborhoods, and Communities
- A Safe Haven from All Forms of Violence and Abuse
- Health Care to be as Physically and Mentally Fit as Possible
- Education and Job Skills to Help Individuals Reach Their Full Potential
- Specific Populations: Older Adults, People with Disabilities, Refugees and Immigrants, School-Aged Children and Youth, and Veterans
- Special Focus Area: Covid-19

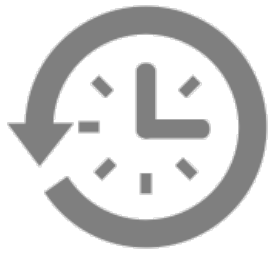




Methodology

- Phone/online survey
- Community conversations
- Provider surveys
- Consumer surveys





Timeline

- Data collection through summer 2021
- Draft report to the Human Services Commission in November 2021
- Presentation of findings to the Council in January 2022
- Distribution in February 2022



Feedback and Comments

