

Age Friendly Seattle



City of Seattle

Mayor's Council on African American Elders

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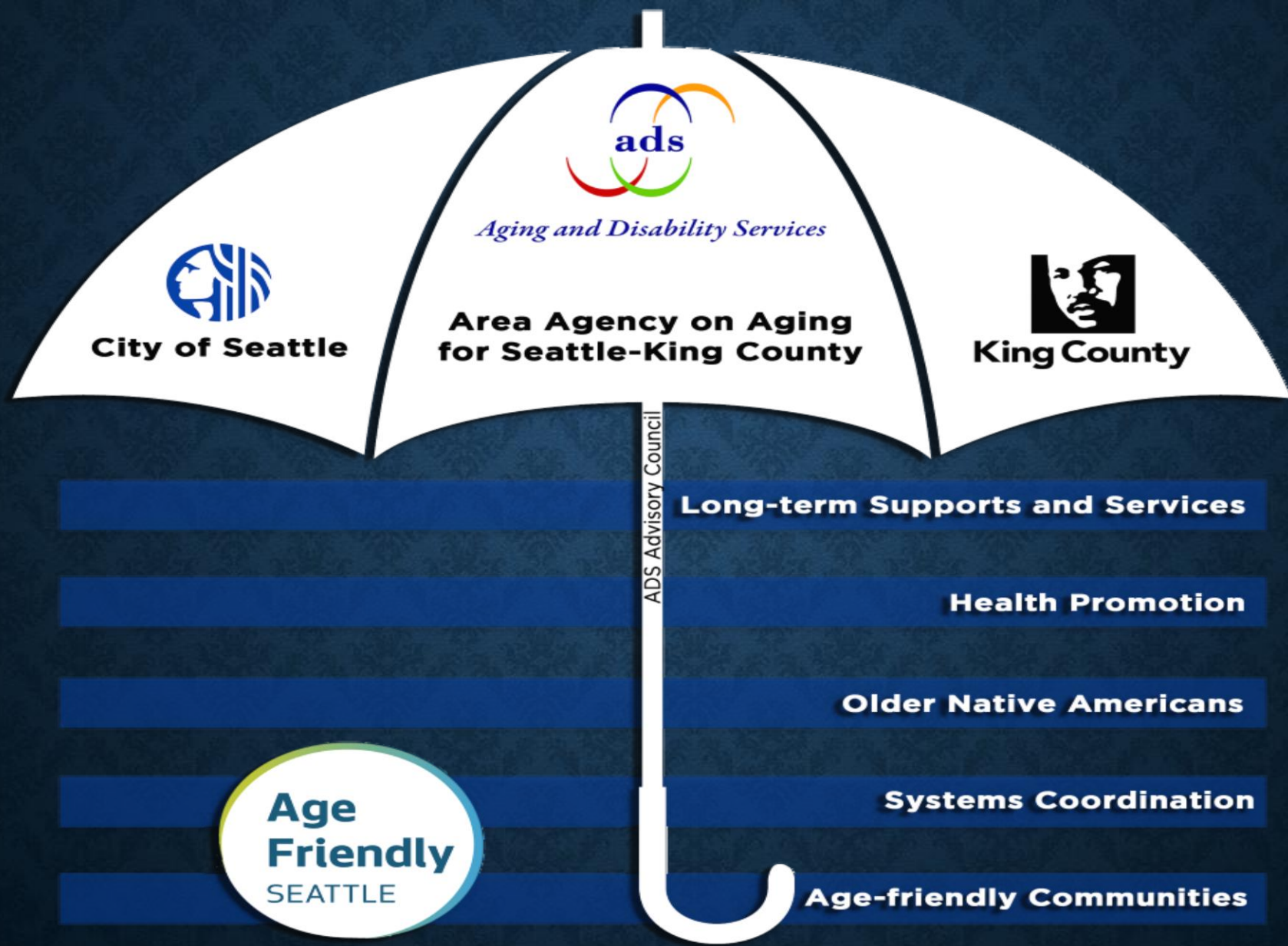
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Age Friendly Seattle Action Plan for 2018–2021

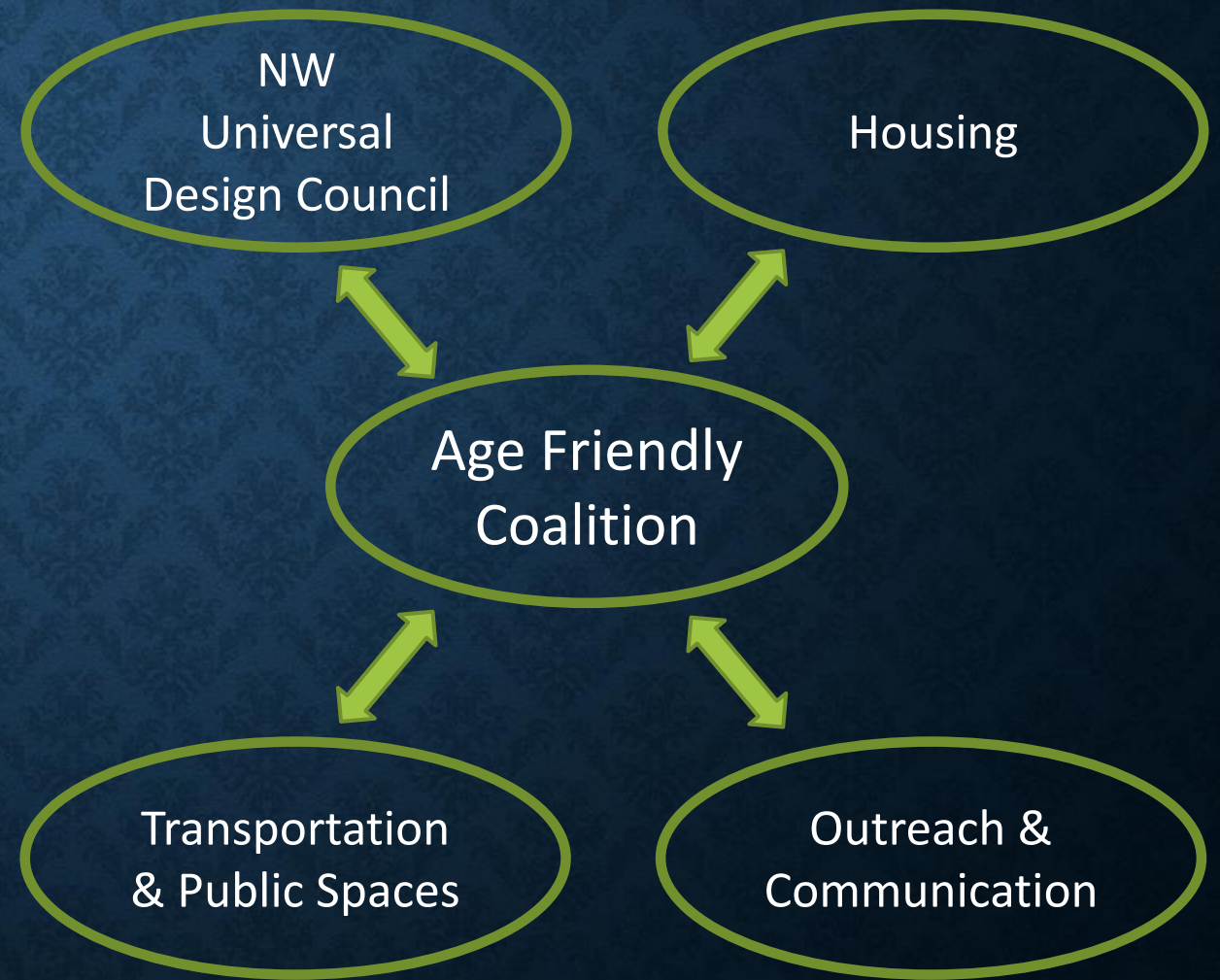


In sum, 29 goals and 86 actions

Results Based Accountability



Age Friendly Coalition for Seattle & King County



Mayoral Program Priorities

Affordable

- increase affordable and accessible housing
- improve access to money-saving programs

Accessible

- train employees to better serve older people, people with disabilities, individuals with memory loss, and their families

Connected

- connect neighbors, and assist them in getting around safely

Engaged

- encourage organizations to mobilize the wisdom and experience of older people

MCAAEE 2019 Program Priorities

Affordable

- increase affordable and accessible housing
- improve access to money-saving programs

MCAAEE 2018 Recommendation

See July 20,
2018 packet for
other projects

Africatown
30% AMI = No

1 – Develop extremely low-income
(30% AMI) housing in Seattle’s Central
District (CD).

Same as Age
Friendly Action
2.1b

Liberty Bank
30% AMI = yes

Public Square
30% AMI = No

Mt Zion – Stage 2 application
30% AMI = yes

MCAAE 2019 Program Priorities

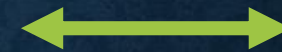
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MCAAE 2018 Recommendation

2 - Develop preference policies for neighborhoods impacted by gentrification.



Implements
Age Friendly
Goal 2.1



Liberty Bank Building, 30% AMI = yes, 87% POC
Affirmative Marketing used / Nov. 5th PP release

MCAAE 2019 Program Priorities

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MCAAE Recommendation

#3 - Property tax relief for older homeowners in Seattle and King County.



Same as Age Friendly Action 2.2a



The income limits will now be indexed at 65% the median household income in 2020.

MCAAE 2019 Program Priorities

Accessible

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MCAAE Recommendation aligns with Age Friendly Goal 7.4

#4 -Increase investments to improve service delivery for older African Americans in south Seattle and King County.



- Prioritized during 2019 collaborative funding process
- \$1.5 million awarded to support an innovative African Diaspora Hub.

2020 MCAA E Priorities Discussion

- Should some 2018 recommendations carry over to 2020?

Opportunities

Implement Levy Oversight Board
member recommendation


Reach out to the Design Review
Board for the Central Area

2020 MCAA E Priorities Discussion

- Does the MCAA E desire to add HIV/AIDS reduction efforts among foreign born blacks; e.g., Anti Stigma Working Group or other partnerships to 2020 workplan?

Foreign Born Population	
Total King County Population	2,007,779
Total Foreign Born Population	407,841
55 to 64 years	11%
65 to 74 years	6%
75 to 84 years	3%
85 years and over	2%
Speak English only	16%
Speak a Language other than English	84%
Speak English less than "very well"	43%
Below Federal Poverty Level	16%

Table 4. Foreign Born Population by Age, Language and Poverty, King County, 2009–2013¹²



Implements
Age Friendly
Action 7.1d

2020 MCAAEE Priorities Discussion

- Does the MCAAEE see any other areas of need based on the most recent vital statistics?

Questions? Comments? Suggestions?

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