



Washoe County Health District
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Chronic Disease Prevention Program













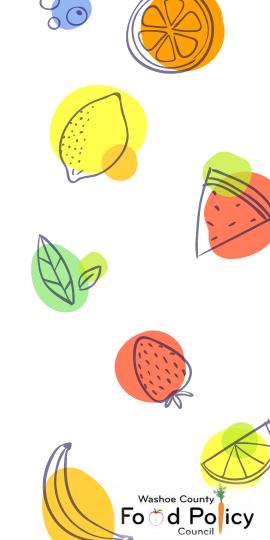






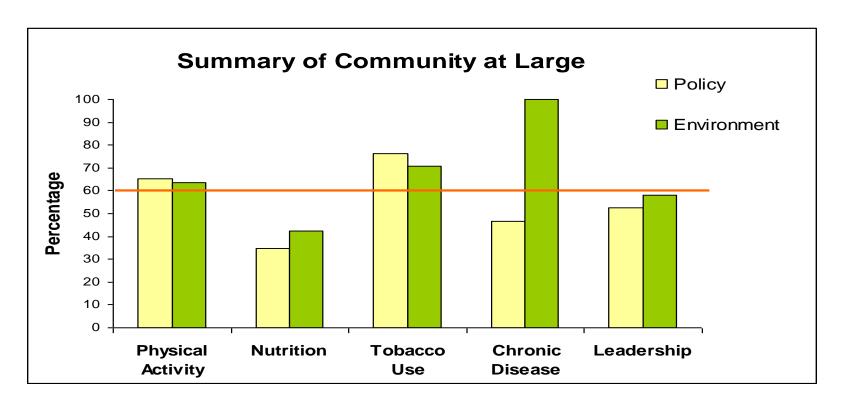
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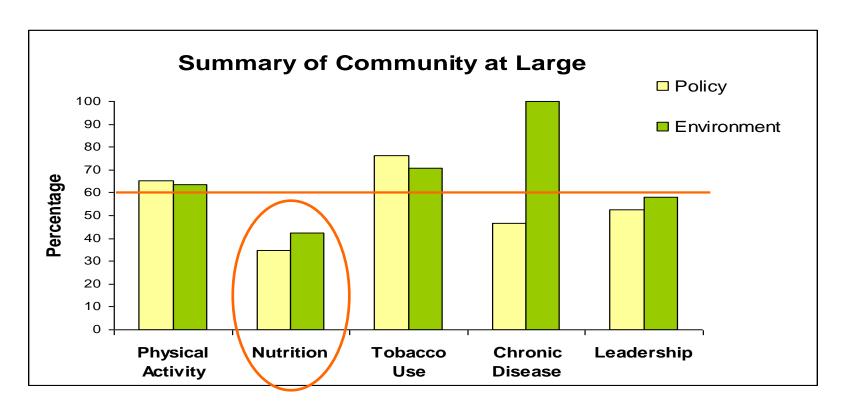


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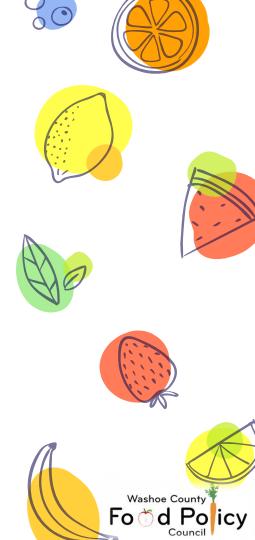


# Access to Healthy Food in Washoe County



### Washoe County Food Policy Council

- Established by the Washoe County
   District Board of Health in 2011 to:
  - Implement the Washoe County
     Food Plan (a guide for creating a healthy food system in WC)
  - Work toward reducing barriers so all residents have access to healthy food









Local governing boards and plans that regulate community development and planning that impact access to food.

The entities, agencies, and individuals that growing, mining,

produce food including raising, and harvesting

Access to food in Washoe County

The entities, agencies, and individuals that impact how food gets from the producer to the consumer. This includes the transportation and location of food retailers.

The businesses and institutions that manipulate food for consumption. e.g. restaurants, schools, etc.

FOOD PREPARATION

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system.

PUBLIC FOOD PROGRAMS

Government and social service agencies that provide food and food assistance to target populations

> Washoe County residents that purchase, prepare, and consume food at home and in the community.

CONSUMERS







Washoe

County

Food System





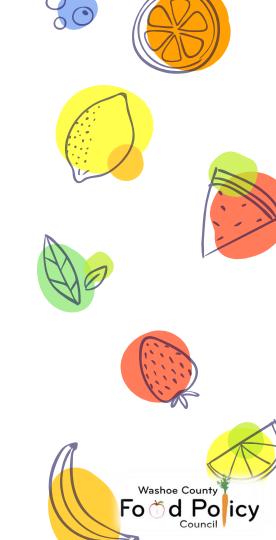






### Accomplishments

- Jurisdictional governing bodies, adopted healthy food resolutions during October of 2016
- Worked with the facilitators and creators of the Reno Master Plan to ensure language which supports the widespread food-related interests of Reno residents
- Added language in the State of Nevada Qualified
   Allocation Plan for developers to receive Low Income Housing Tax Credits if a new development includes a community garden space



#### Activities

- Monthly meetings
- Networking and information sharing
- Monitoring of community meetings and planning activities
- Legislative policy and advocacy







#### Mission

To be the resource bridging the public and the policy-makers.



#### Strategic Plan Goals

#### Goal 1.

Guide policy to improve access to healthy food.

#### Goal 2:

Increase awareness among policy makers on opportunities for improvements to Washoe County food systems.

#### Goal 3.

Build organizational relationships and collaborative partnerships.











## Food Policy Council Upcoming Activities

#### **June 2019**

Community mixer and membership drive

#### **Summer 2019**

New member orientation and determination of leadership and structure

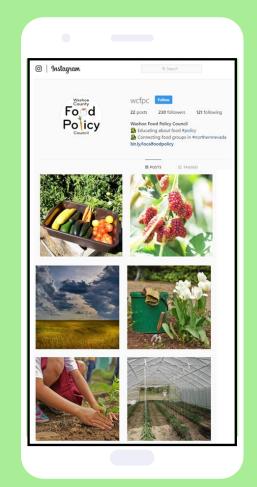




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## Thank You!





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