

#### **Envision Comanche**

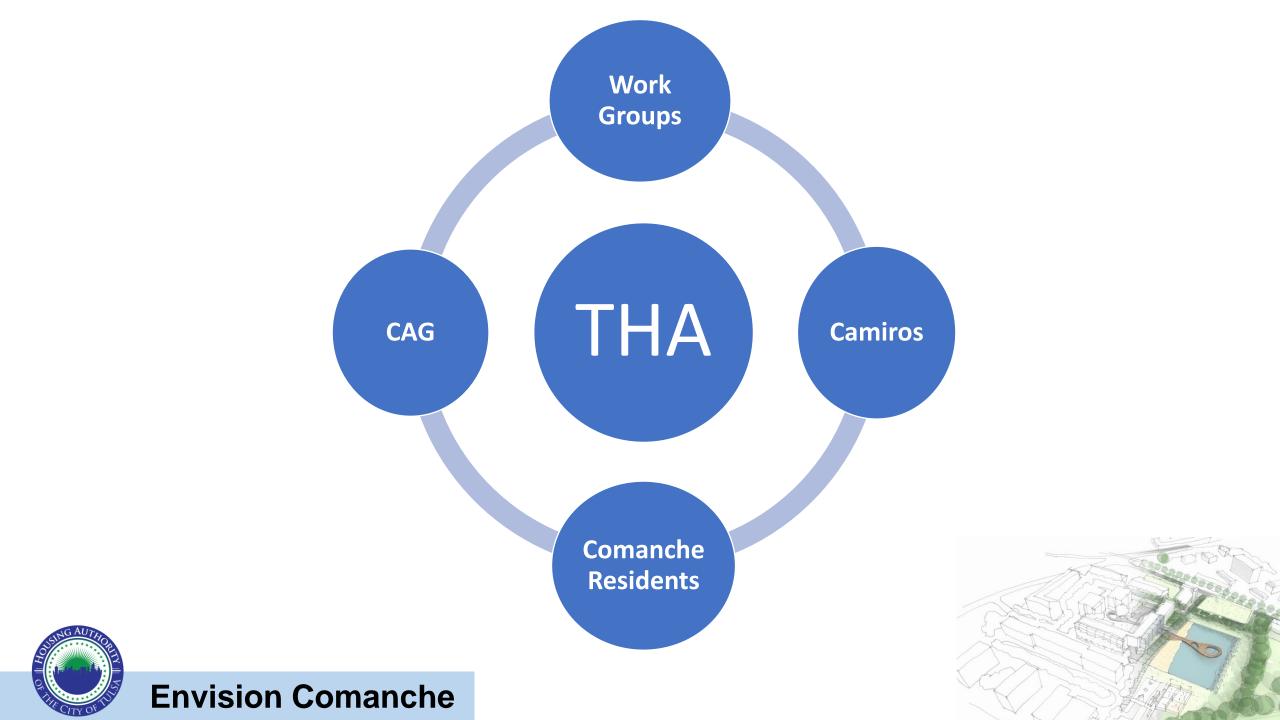
Master Planning Update April 2019

## **Purpose and Vision**

Transform this portion of the 36<sup>th</sup> Street North corridor into a mixed-income community while ensuring a strict one-for-one replacement of all existing apartments at Comanche Park

- Resident-led, community supporting planning process
- Priority in minimizing the disruption to residents' lives
- Highlight, enhance and improve economic and cultural diversity of the 36<sup>th</sup> Street North corridor
- Commitment to create a green, sustainable and financially feasible development
- Commitment to connecting with and leveraging other local initiatives





## Planning Schedule







## **Work Groups Overview**

People

- Crime prevention strategies
- Employment and self-sufficiency plan
- Cradle to grave education plan
- Health and wellness initiatives

Housing

- Physical site plan
- Phasing plan
- Relocation strategies

Neighborhood

- Transportation plan
- Recreation and green Space
- Commercial/Retail plan
- Pedestrian/Connectivity plan



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## **Existing Site**

- Built in 1969
- 271 units serving over 600 residents
  - 17 1 bedroom
  - 96 2 bedroom
  - 128 3 bedroom
  - 20 4 bedroom
  - 14 5 bedroom
- 26.1 total acres
- Property includes resource center with gymnasium, computer access and community room





# **Target Neighborhood**





## Resident Needs Assessment Update

- 103 completed surveys (representing 49% of occupied units)
- 73% female/27% male; 86% single or divorced
- 66% of respondents between ages of 25-44
- 75% reported having at least 1 individual under the age of 18 in the home
- 72% of respondents reported educational level of high school diploma or lower
- 45% reported as unemployed, with additional 19% disabled, and 16% actively looking for employment
- 49% reported having always lived in North Tulsa, with 88% of all respondents living in Comanche Park for 5 years or less
- 61% reported choosing Comanche Park because of Affordability
- 67% stated "yes" as to if they would live in the redevelopment community (with an additional 20% requesting more information)



## Resident Needs Assessment Update

- People, Quiet and affordability were top listed items that people liked by Comanche Park currently
- Crime and more opportunities for kids were top items listed for what people want to see changed most about Comanche Park
- Transportation was listed as the primary barrier impacting daily life
  - 61% reported not having a drivable car
  - 53% stated transportation as barrier to social services
  - 60% stated transportation as barrier to financial services
  - 81% stated transportation as barrier to obtaining and keeping employment
  - 59% stated transportation as barrier to accessing healthcare
  - 51% stated transportation as reason for not attending meetings or events at schools
  - 40% stated transportation as reason for middle schoolers not taking part in after-school programming
- New Parks, Grocery Store, Updated Street and Lighting Improvements, and Play Areas were listed as the Most Important Neighborhood Improvements.



#### **Planning and Design Team**

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#### **Vision for Comanche**







#### **Community Design Workshops**



#### **Questions or Comments?**

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