Stability Through Transitions: Fort Lauderdale, Florida

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Starting with a Vision

WE ARE CONNECTED.

We move seamlessly and easily through a safe transportation system where the pedestrian is first.

WE ARE READY.

We are a resilient and safe coastal community.

WE ARE COMMUNITY. We are a neighborhood of neighborhoods.

WE ARE HERE.

We are an urban center and a vacationland in the heart of South Florida.

WE ARE PROSPEROUS.

We are a subtropical City, an urban laboratory for education and business.

WE ARE UNITED.

We are a strong and vibrant kaleidoscope of multi-generational cultures, ethnicities, and community partners.

We are Fort Lauderdale, a community of choice. We are the City you never want to leave.







Developing a Strategy











Neighbor Feedback





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Putting Our Plan Into Action









Bringing It All Together

FY 2017 FL²STAT STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT SYSTEM



PRESS PLAY FORT LAUDERDALE: 2018 STRATEGIC PLAN





Bringing It All Together







Quality Management System

CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

FL² STAT - OUR APPROACH TO CONTINUOUS EXPONENTIAL IMPROVEMENT

QUALITY POLICY

The City of Fort Lauderdale is committed to providing the highest quality of public services and to continuously improve service delivery for our neighbors through the implementation of FL²STAT, our quality management system.

The mission of the City is "We Build Community" where residents are considered neighbors and employees are considered community builders. We provide high quality public services through:

- Identifying and addressing the community priorities of our neighbors;
- Collaborating across departments and contributing to shared goals;
- Ensuring accountability, transparency and measured results through performance management and process improvement;
- Innovating and streamlining our services in order to increase value and reduce waste; and
- Developing and improving our professional competencies.

Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM City Manager

November 7, 2016









- Every 2 months in our Emergency Operations Center (EOC)
- Department Directors and Assistant Directors, Key Department Staff, City Manager's Office
 - Over 100 staff
- Topics Include:
 - Strategic Initiatives
 - Performance Indicators
 - Key Topics And Issues As Needed





What we heard

- Fear of presenting, or not knowing an answer when asked
- Too many people in the room
- Limited collaboration since topics were not applicable to all staff
- Too much work with no additional resources







What we heard



- Data quality and integrity were questioned
- Targets were not strategic, perhaps even arbitrary











Our Own Continual Process Improvement







Our Transformation

- New Perspectives
- New Approach
- New Structure
- 75% of our positions turned over in 8 months

























Commission Annual Action Plan Strategic Initiative Teams

- Led by a Department Director
- Different than the Department Director in charge of implementing the project
- Volunteer team members from across City



 Report out monthly on progress







Reimagining FL²STAT







Reimagining FL²STAT

- Create a culture focused on more cross-functional collaboration and action
- Addressing key areas for improvement within the organization
- Streamlining processes and structure



Lifelong Kindergarten Group, M/T Media Lab







- Core Processes for each department
 - Processes
 - Key Performance Indicators
 - Areas for Improvement
- Department Reports
 - Important Information to share
 - Issues





Core Processes

• What is it you would still do if we went bankrupt and could only provide missioncritical services?



• What performance measures would you want to measure the quality of those services?







Core Processes

• What processes or policies related to those mission-critical services would you want to improve?











- More Strategic Participation
- More Frequent Reviews
- More Focused

Simplify, Excel, Expand!

















