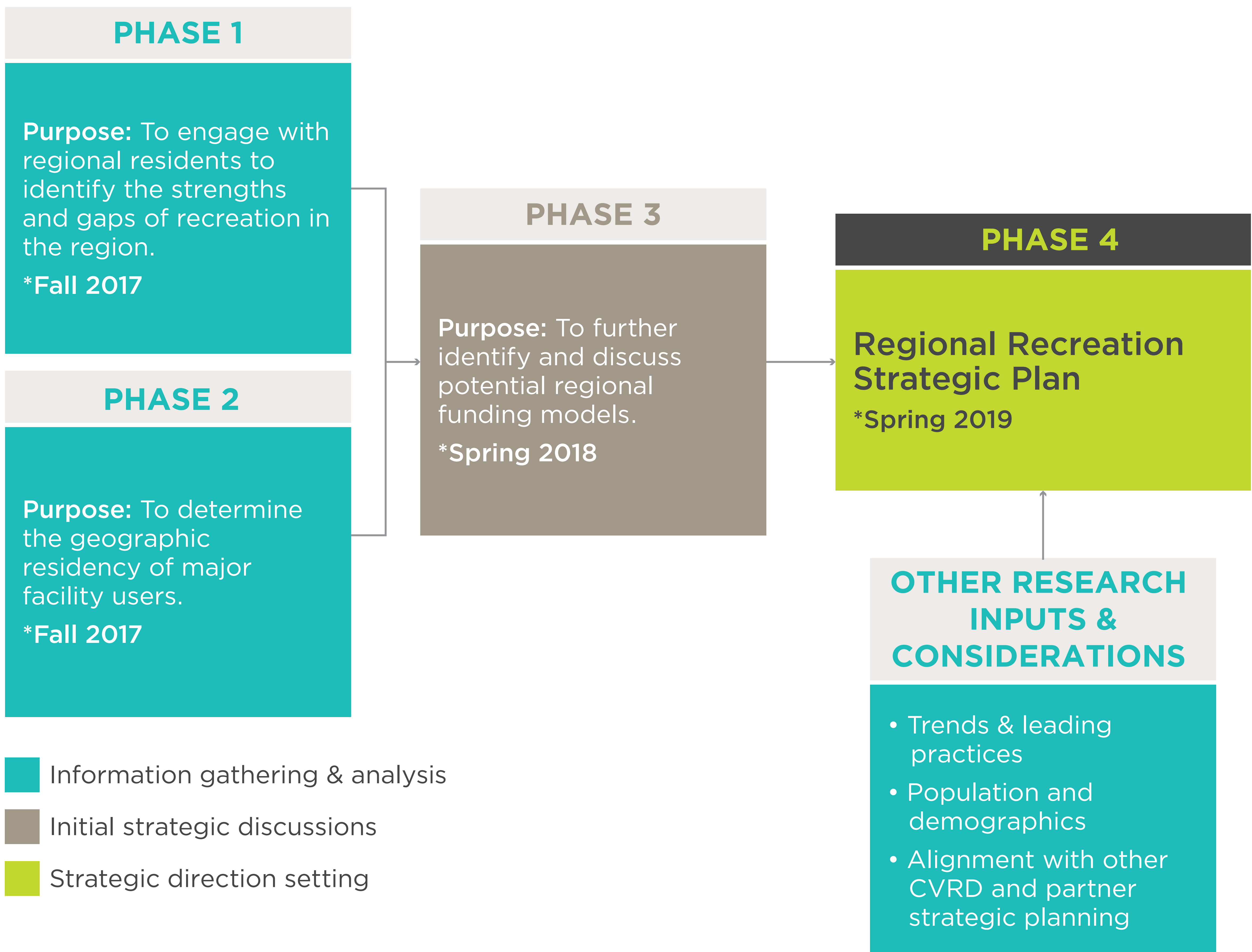


About the Project



The Cowichan Valley Regional District and its member municipalities (Municipality of North Cowichan, Town of Ladysmith, Town of Lake Cowichan, and the City of Duncan) recognize the importance of indoor and outdoor recreational opportunities to residents. Over the past year the partners have undertaken a regional recreation planning initiative to assess the current state of recreation in the region and strategically plan for the future. The final phase of this planning initiative was to develop a Regional Recreation Strategic Plan that will guide future service delivery and collaborations. **A Final Draft of the Regional Recreation Strategic Plan has been developed and is now being shared with the public.**



Public and Stakeholder Engagement



Engagement with residents and stakeholders was a key aspect of developing the Regional Recreation Strategic Plan. To ensure that a diversity of perspectives and viewpoints were heard, the project team utilized a number of engagement methods to gather feedback throughout Phase 1 of the project.

Overview of Engagement Activities



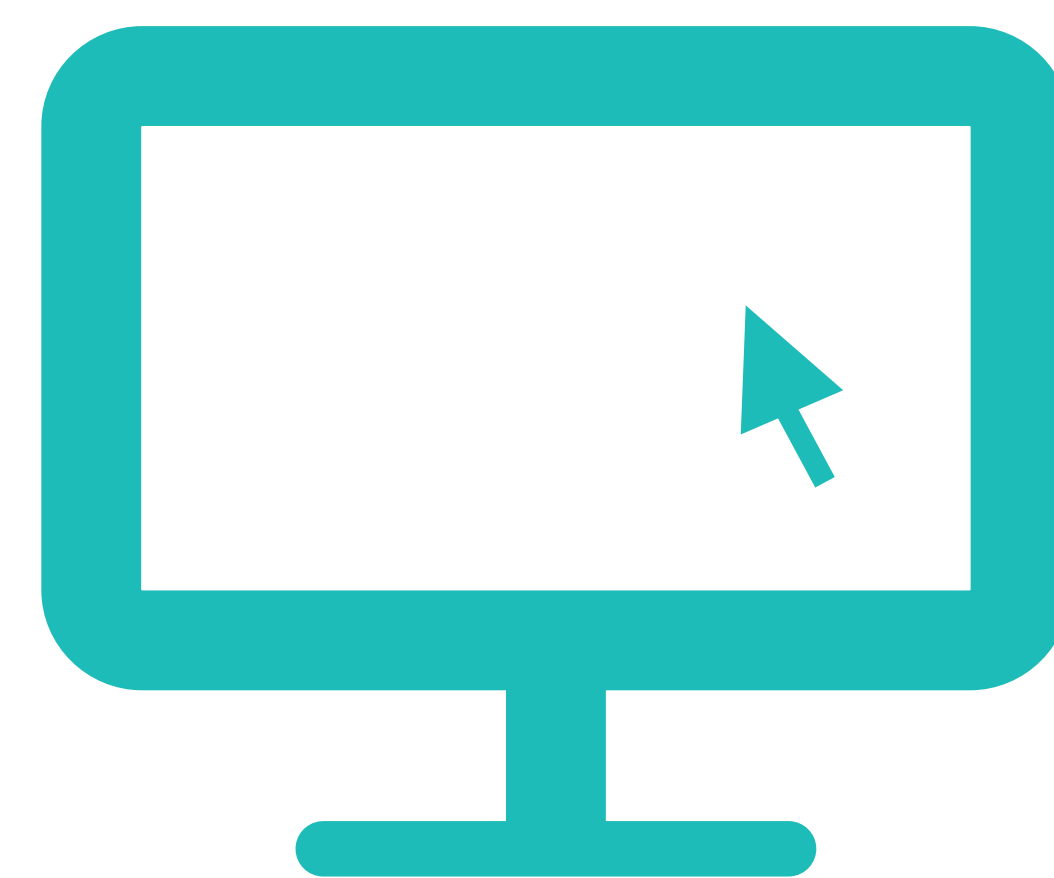
Resident Survey

1,410 responses



Focus Group Sessions

4 sessions
(~90 participants)



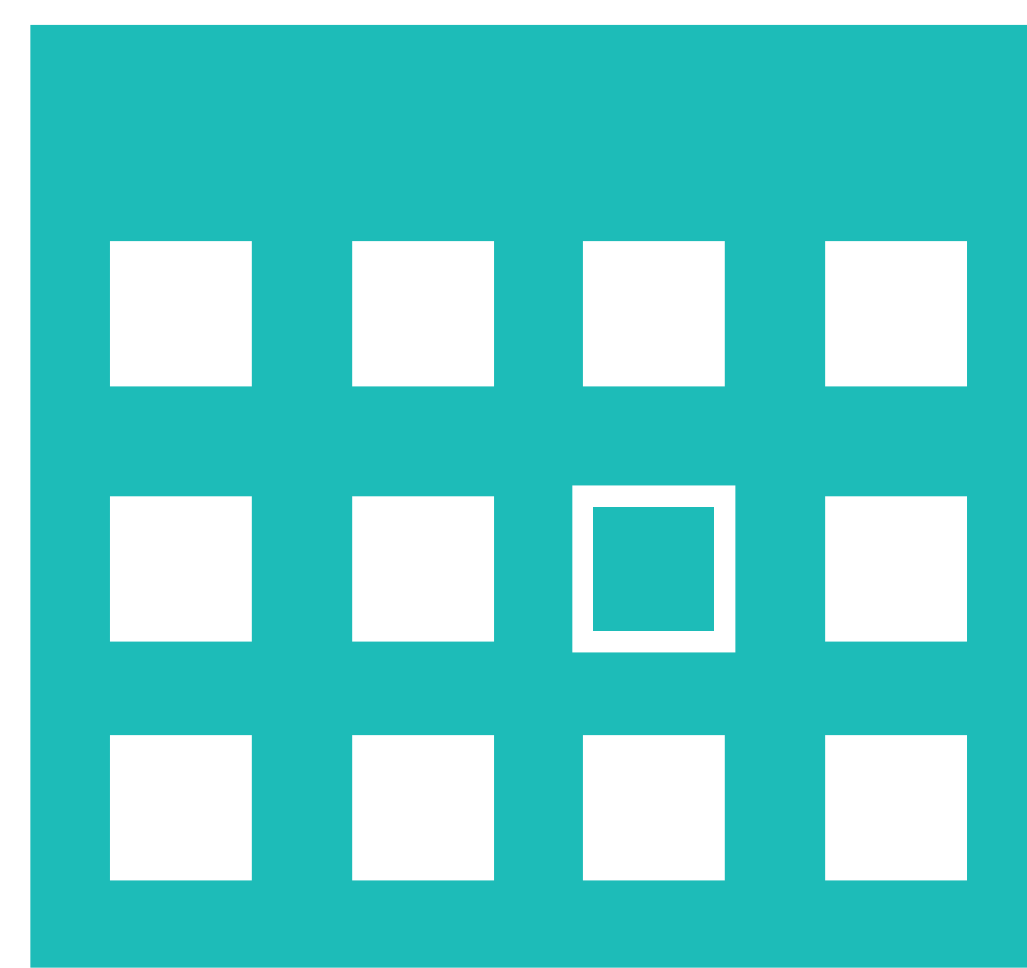
Online Engagement through PlaceSpeak

128 connected residents



Facility Displays

Residents provided comments on facility displays that were set-up at 10 regional facilities



Pop-Up Events

Members of the consulting team visited various locations in communities throughout the Cowichan Region (e.g. community facilities, retail locations, community markets).



We Want To Hear From You!

The project team is looking to gather feedback on the Final Draft of the Regional Recreation Strategic Plan. The feedback gathered through this review process will be used to help finalize the document and identify key factors that can assist with implementation.

Ways to Review the Final Draft of the Regional Recreation Strategic Plan:



A Summary document is accompanying these display panels which summarizes key aspects of the Strategic Plan. **Please help us by informing the front desk if we are out of the Summary documents!*



A full text copy of the Strategic Plan is available through the CVRD website and PlaceSpeak.

Ways to Provide Your Feedback



Leave a comment here on these display panels.



Participate in the discussion on PlaceSpeak.

CVRD Website (Project Page): www.cvrld.bc.ca/rec-plan

PlaceSpeak: Access the “Regional Recreation Strategy” topic through the CVRD website

Your Feedback



Which of the **seven Service Delivery Strategies** are most important? **Please refer to page 8 in the Summary document.*

Place your sticky notes here!

Please use the space below to provide your thoughts and perspectives on the **three Strategic Infrastructure Principles** and the **Facility and Amenity Strategies**. **Please refer to page 9 in the Summary document.*

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