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CREATING NEW BUSINESSES & JOBS
In 2040, the Greater Newport Area collaborates to create economic opportunities and living-wage jobs that help keep Newport dynamic, diverse, and affordable. Our economy is balanced and sustainable, producing living-wage jobs in the trades and professions, while supporting new start-up companies and small businesses based on local talent, entrepreneurship, ideas, and resources.

LEARNING, EXPLORING, & CREATING NEW HORIZONS
In 2040, the Greater Newport Area takes pride in our community's education, innovation, and creativity. helping all our residents grow, thrive. Our schools are appropriately funded through means of support to meet the highest standards of educational achievement. The college and university prepare students for rewarding lives and productive careers. The arts and opportunities for creative expression and learning are high quality, diverse, and available to everyone.

IMPROVING COMMUNITY HEALTH & SAFETY
In 2040, the Greater Newport Area is safe and healthy, equitable and inclusive, resilient and always improving. We volunteer, help our neighbors, and support those in need. Our community’s physical, environmental, social, and economic assets allow all of our residents, including families and children, young people, and seniors, to live healthy lives and find the support and services they require, including excellent, affordable, and accessible healthcare and childcare.

FOSTERING COLLABORATION & ENGAGEMENT
In 2040, the Greater Newport Area local governments and public agencies, schools and higher education institutions, businesses, local employers, nonprofits, community groups, faith based institutions, and residents work together as true partners in our shared future. Governments reach out to engage and listen to residents, involve them in important plans and decisions, and collaborate for a better community in a rapidly changing world.