

List of Vision Statements

(received from Workshop participants and HEAL Zone Steering Committee members)

1	An active community where people can get to work, school and places to play safely and conveniently without a car if they choose to.
2	Sustainable groups of Grovers who inspire, model, teach, and sacrifice in order to change environments and attitudes toward health and active living.
3	Get up on Saturday morning and walk my dogs safely to the dog park (planned), then ride my bike to yoga class downtown, then ride to the weekly Farmer's market. Then get my nails done after a healthy breakfast. Go for a swim at the community pool. Have lunch at the outdoor patio of the healthy greens restaurant. Ride my bike home and garden at the school garden. Have a healthy dinner I prepared with food from garden and farmer's market.
4	I envision that every resident of Lemon Grove has access to a safe place for physical activity and a place to purchase affordable healthy food within 1 mile of her home.
5	Better streets and sidewalks, more parks and healthy restaurants available to the residents. A health club, or community pool that everyone can use for different activities for the kids.
6	A community where residents can walk, bike, access healthy nutrition, feel safe and thrive in their neighborhood.
7	Environments that promote physical activity, school and City.
8	For all residents/visitors of Lemon Grove to be able to safely transport themselves (by foot/bike) throughout the community.
9	A fun, vibrant, safe clean community where healthy choices are easy!
10	Healthy eating and active living are a part of residents' daily lives.
11	A central place where community can gather to: enjoy healthy food, be entertained, have fun, share ideas.
12	An environment where healthy food and drink are ready available and places (churches, library, parks, and hubs) are ready for safe exercise.
13	I envision a lot more people walking the streets of Lemon Grove with their families as the sun sets as opposed to people making sure to be safe from what they perceive to be unsafe.
14	Healthy eating, i.e. access to healthy, affordable food, and active living, i.e. opportunities for safe physical activities, in all settings
15	Mi observacion con respecto a caminar es que muchas calles de Lemon Grove se encuentran obstruidas las aceras por arboles no cuidados y arbustos que estropean el paso de los peafones *esto representa un peligro. <i>[My observation with respect to walking is that on many of the streets in Lemon Grove, the sidewalks are obstructed by trees that aren't maintained and bushes that block the path of pedestrians. This is dangerous.]</i>
16	Have block parties (an old New York idea) to bring strangers together. No ugly architecture! Historic preservation makes beautiful neighborhoods and stable environments, so pass a Historic Preservation Ordinance. Farmer's market(s). Change the zoning code to limit the number of fast food outlets, hair and nail emporia and endless auto-related businesses. This town was once a wash in specialty shops and quality chains. Bring back the Children's Parade. Have City staff visit their City museum to gain better understanding of history. Signage downtown.
17	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that can provide a safer environment where all of us can be safe and know our words would be heard by city officials and include more businesses and residences to come and participate together to make our city prosper.
18	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that feels safe for residents and visitors, promotes wellness in all city and school policies, utilizes and listens to its residents to build a health and thriving community, is a partner with the County of San Diego's Live Well San Diego initiative of building better health, living safely and thriving communities.
19	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that is vibrant, safe, and conducive to healthy residents, employees, and visitors. Lemon Grove should be as beautiful and attractive to live, work, purchase, plan and worship.
20	Safe and accessible walk and bike routes. Organize activities for the youth to participate, an example could be maybe a bike day.

21	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that has a smoke-free HEAL zone where responsible retailers do not sell alcohol, tobacco, or drugs to children.
22	Cafés outside, restaurants with outdoor patios, community pool with separate time frames for adults and children. Medical office, i.e. Scripps is looking to have more smaller sites. There really are none in Lemon Grove. Farmer's Market, Open Streets/Play Streets, Bikes - like Montreal rent by day. (put in sidewalk on Ensenada St and make 1-way street. Kids play in street all the time here.
23	Bike lanes that ensure safety and that have a loop through downtown area. Having some police use bikes, or walk in area. More community events, concerts in park, car shows, farmer's market, etc. Develop sense of community.
24	Our City will be family-friendly, because Lemon Grove is a beautiful city. Making Lemon Grove beautiful, as well as being an example of healthy active living, is a wonderful community to be a part of.
25	A place where you can get up and ride your bike or walk to coffee/breakfast, go to an exercise class, shop at Farmer's Market.
26	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that is more education on the local library, school or place where the people have the opportunity to learn about the importance to physical activity and management (TIME). More persons enjoy the live outdoors.
27	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that we as a community can come together to make all the changes in the parks, farmer's markets, bike lanes, sidewalks, get together to look out for our neighborhoods.
28	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that offers convenient, healthy and affordable food and transportation choices.
29	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that is safe to walk; bike and have opportunity to attend workshops that educate our community and motivate and invite all families to become healthy individuals taking ownership of our community leading by example by having all people including government personnel, law offices, to a housewife actively being physically active and eating healthy!
30	My vision for Lemon Grove is a city that has less vagrants in downtown area (by trolley and Home Depot), more community events, multiple use increased use of library, schools, and parks and rec.
31	One that my children and I can walk, bike and play safely from home to school, parks and library, hopefully shaded, well-maintained streets, bike lanes and sidewalks. Why can't we have a Lemon Grove Trolley Boardwalk from North Street to Encanto.
32	Mi preocupacion es cuando llevo a mis hijas al parcke at muchas s be perros en el pasto de jente irresponsable que tiene mascotas y las sacanaser sus nesesidades y no las levantar y eso pasa fue los ninos se ensusien y se enfermen a parte de las moscas por doquiera. <i>[What bothers me is when I bring my daughters to the park and there are dogs owned by irresponsible people who don't clean up after them, and because of this children get dirty and sick because of the flies everywhere.]</i>
33	It was great getting involved in this city's activities in our community. I will like to get more information. I found out how important it is to know our community surroundings.