Meeting 6 Recap & Input Round 4 Preliminary Results
Working Group Meeting 6 Recap
• Developed objectives
• Prioritized to objectives for each goal

Round 4 Details
• May 28 – June 28
• About 165 participants to date
• Two Formats (Metroquest):
  • Online
  • Meeting in a Box

Two questions
• Step 1: Rank Goals
• Step 2: Prioritize Top Objectives to Reach Goal
Choose Goals

What do we want to achieve?

Most Important

Drag your top 5 goals above this line.

Efficient Infrastructure
Clean Air & Water
Housing Choices
Transportation Choices
Local Food Production
Create Great Places
Regional Prosperity
Healthy People

Efficient Infrastructure

Building infrastructure extensions to serve low density sprawl and leapfrog development is not as efficient as developing near existing roads, sewers, and utilities.

To make the best use of our current investment and to keep operating and maintenance costs low, we must fully use our existing infrastructure.

This goal is not above the line.

Would you like to add a comment?

Add a comment about this goal
Suggest a goal
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Goal Rankings in Top 5

- Clean Air & Water: 159
- Healthy People: 141
- Regional Prosperity: 124
- Transportation Choices: 121
- Efficient Infrastructure: 118
- Local Food Production: 106
- Create Great Places: 92
- Housing Choices: 84
## Goal 1: Focus on the Regional Economy

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Choose Top 5
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Objectives What are the best ways to accomplish our goals?

To compete on a global stage and grow and attract new business that will build a foundation for regional prosperity, we must invest in both people and infrastructure.

To build a prosperous region, we need to:

**Attract and retain talent**
Attract talented workers and keep our locally grown talent here.

**Educate and train local talent**
Develop the facilities and support systems to grow our young people into contributing members of the local economy.

**Provide adequate infrastructure**
Provide transportation, water and energy systems to support the growth of our economy.

**Take advantage of our economic assets**
Use our natural assets wisely and leverage our existing institutions and economic assets fully.

**Collaborate throughout the region**
Provide opportunities for regional collaboration, since our prosperity is better if we all work together.

For each goal, you may also choose one favorite:
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Regional Prosperity

- Educate and train local talent: 131 (Yes), 49 (Favorite)
- Attract and retain talent: 104 (Yes), 21 (Favorite)
- Take advantage of our economic assets: 99 (Yes), 16 (Favorite)
- Provide adequate infrastructure: 91 (Yes), 10 (Favorite)
- Collaborate throughout the region: 88 (Yes), 18 (Favorite)