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?

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 3: Create great places

1. Strengthen our existing urban areas
2. Develop dynamic new centers
3. Preserve our heritage, character and prized places
4. Redevelop our vacant and underutilized land
5. Build complete streets and iconic civic places
6. Accessibility to places, keep local, local

Select top 4 choices
### Objectives
What are the best ways to accomplish our goals?

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Strengthen the identity of our unique communities, small towns and cities, and enhance their character to make them great centers of activity.

To create great places across the region, we need to:

**Capitalize on the unique identity of our communities**
Strengthen the unique character and pride of place in our communities, cities, and towns that are so highly valued.

**Strengthen our existing cities and towns**
Maintain and continue to invest in cities and towns so they become great places to live, work, play, shop, and raise a family.

**Develop dynamic new centers**
Develop new places that are diverse and dynamic, offering choices that are not currently available.

**Redevelop our vacant and underutilized land**
Focus first on re-using buildings, land, and infrastructure to turn eyesores into great, fresh, vibrant, and dynamic new places.

**Transform our streets and create iconic civic places**
Create civic spaces and places that increase property values and inspire investment, including streets for walking, biking, transit.

Indicate which three objectives you would support by choosing:
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

For each goal, you may also choose one favorite:
- [ ] Favorite

[Suggest another / Comment] Next
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Create Great Places

- Redevelop our vacant and underutilized land: Yes - 128, Favorite - 51
- Transform our streets and create iconic civic places: Yes - 110, Favorite - 22
- Strengthen our existing cities and towns: Yes - 108, Favorite - 23
- Capitalize on the unique identity of our communities: Yes - 97, Favorite - 12
- Develop dynamic new centers: Yes - 48, Favorite - 7
Goal 7: Enable a choice of housing types

1. Remove barriers, provide incentives to expand housing diversity
2. Enable housing diversity within established neighborhoods
3. Embrace mixed use, mixed housing development
4. Promote inclusive housing options (race, income, etc)
5. Housing in variety of places (urban, rural, small lots, etc)

Select top 3 choices
Changing demographics require more housing for an aging population and a rising generation of millennials less inclined to want large houses on large lots.

To enable a broader choice of housing, we need to:

**Maintain and enhance a variety of housing locations**
Provide housing in a variety of places such as cities, urban neighborhoods, suburbs and rural settings.

**Embrace a mix of new housing types**
Support development that offers choices of housing types, values and settings.

**Support inclusive communities and neighborhoods**
Make our neighborhoods stronger and more resilient by encouraging diversity in age, ethnicity and income.

**Create opportunities to live closer to work**
Provide housing options to reduce transportation costs which frequently exceed the cost of housing.

**Enable housing diversity within existing neighborhoods**
Strengthen existing neighborhoods through investments in a wider variety of compatible new housing.
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Housing Choices

- Create opportunities to live closer to work: 115
- Embrace a mix of new housing types: 97
- Support inclusive communities and neighborhoods: 82
- Enable housing diversity within existing neighborhoods: 79
- Maintain and enhance a variety of housing locations: 78

Yes
Favorite