

Coordinated Comprehensive Plan Meeting A Success

CITY AND TOWN OF BRILLION MEET TOGETHER FOR THE FIRST TIME

On Tuesday, February 6, 2001 at 7:30 p.m., the Coordinated Plan Committee convened for the first time to officially begin work on the Coordinated Comprehensive Plan. Nearly 40 committee members from the City and Town of Brillion were in attendance. Committee members included concerned citizens, local farmers, business owners, and representatives from the school district and local utilities. The meeting was held at the Town of Brillion Municipal Building.

The meeting began with a series of welcoming statements from OMNNI Associates, City of Brillion Mayor Robert Mathiebe and Town of Brillion Chairman Wayne Maile. Committee members were commended for volunteering to be a part of such an important project and encouraged to actively participate in the planning process to ensure that the adopted plan reflects community issues and concerns.

Following the opening remarks, committee members introduced themselves and stated why they volunteered to serve on the committee. Specific responses varied greatly, but the consensus seemed to agree that a plan was necessary in order to ensure a promising future for both the City and the Town of Brillion.

During the meeting, OMNNI Associates, presented information about developing a "vision." In planning, a "vision" is a general statement used to provide a glimpse into the future and express broad community desires. The Coordinated Plan will include a single future vision statement for the entire planning area. This vision will serve as a guide for decision-makers when making land use decisions through 2020. Several committee members expressed ideas about what should be included in the vision statement related to housing, transportation, utility, natural resources, and agricultural issues.

All committee members were given a vision assignment to complete for the next Coordinated Plan Meeting. This assignment requires committee members to imagine it is the year 2020 and answer a series of questions about the community (i.e. City and Town of Brillion). A copy of the assignment is provided below.

The next Coordinated Comprehensive Plan Meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 3rd, 2001 at 7:30pm**. The location of this meeting is yet to be determined. The meeting will focus on the development of a coordinated vision using the responses provided by the committee members in the vision assignment. The public is welcome to attend this meeting.

For additional information on the planning program, please contact any committee member or, Bill Elman or Amy Emery of OMNNI at 1-800-571-6677.

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Vision Assignment

INSTRUCTIONS & DUE DATE

In order to help you formulate a vision statement, we have provided several sentences for you to finish. Please bring this completed assignment to the next Coordinated Plan Committee Meeting. We will be using these statements to develop the City and Town of Brillion Vision Statement. *For each statement, imagine that it is the year 2020 when responding.*

In 2020...

Issues and Opportunities

1. The biggest threat or weakness to the community is...
2. The greatest strength or opportunity for the community is...

Housing

3. Retired and senior residents who grew up in the area ...

Transportation

4. In order to travel in and around the community I ...
5. U.S. 10 is ...

Utilities and Community Facilities

6. The City and Town of Brillion have all the services (medical, legal, communication, etc.) that most people need except for...
7. To receive proper medical care I need to

Agricultural, Natural, and Cultural Resources

8. The area's farming operations are ...
9. Recreational opportunities are...
10. For entertainment and cultural activities residents of the City and Town of Brillion...

Economic Development

11. The economic activity area(s) in the City and Town of Brillion are located ...
12. I go to Downtown Brillion for ...
13. Development around Forest Junction includes...
14. Most local employment opportunities are in the _____ field.
15. I only have to travel _____ miles from my home to get to work each day.

Intergovernmental Cooperation

16. The City and Town work harmoniously to...

Land Use

17. Looking down at the City and Town of Brillion from an airplane I see...
18. Large open spaces that existed in the City and Town in 2001 are now ...

Implementation

19. When deciding how to finance and maintain major municipal projects (i.e. community buildings, fire & rescue equipment, etc.) the communities ...

20. The City and Town of Brillion Coordinated Plan was ...