

Town of Canandaigua

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The following resolution was acted upon by the Canandaigua Town Board on December 17, 2018.

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-378: REVIEW AND AUTHORIZATION OF THE 2019 GOALS FOR THE CITIZEN'S IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the Town of Canandaigua Town Board established the Citizen's Implementation Committee (CIC) in April 2014 to oversee the full implementation of the Town of Canandaigua's Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the CIC has continued to meet twice monthly since its formation in order to track the progress of each goal and action step identified in the Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, each year the CIC has prioritized the goals on which to focus in order to chart a course for the continued full implementation of the plan; and

WHEREAS, the CIC has identified the top priority topics to be addressed for 2019 as the following:

- Update the Town of Canandaigua Comprehensive Plan
 - The Comprehensive Plan was adopted in 2003 with an update in 2011. One recommendation in the plan was that it be updated every 5-10 years and it has been roughly 8 years since the last update.
 - The CIC, with direction from the Town Planner and other staff, will help to prepare a comprehensive update to the Comp Plan; adjusting the existing conditions, performing a new needs assessment, and revising the goals and action steps in accordance with the scope of work prepared by the Town Planner (attached).
- Protection of Canandaigua Lake
 - Protect the Town of Canandaigua's natural resources; and specifically, protect Canandaigua Lake and its watershed.
 - The Concept Mapping report completed in early 2018 listed the protection of Canandaigua Lake as the top priority out of six recommendations to improve the economic vitality of the greater Canandaigua region. The CIC, in its own review of the goals in the Comprehensive Plan, is in agreement that the lake is the top priority natural resource for the Town and should be protected
 - This priority will include measures to increase education of residents relating to steps they can take to reduce their impact on water quality in Canandaigua Lake and the watersheds. The CIC will also look for ways to improve communication with the community regarding activities and plans already in motion by the Town and other entities (CLWA, CLWC, other Municipalities, etc.) to protect the waters of the lake. 2018-12-17 approved town board meeting minutes Page 21 of 27
 - Comp. Plan Goals Involved:
 - Goal 3: Ensure the protection of the Town of Canandaigua's Natural Resources
 - Goal 4: Protect Canandaigua Lake and its watershed as a major natural resource enjoyed by the Town and greater Canandaigua area.

- Cultural and Historical Preservation
 - This 2018 priority is to be continued in 2019 and managed by the existing Local History Team
 - Comp. Plan Goals Involved:
 - Goal 5: Preserve the history of the Town of Canandaigua and support the protection of significant historic properties
 - Goal 6: Promote awareness of the influences of our cultural heritage on the evolution of the Town and the greater Canandaigua area

- Support the Goals of these Committees and assist where possible
 - Parks Committee – enhance recreational opportunities in the Town. Implementation of the 2018 Parks Master Plan
 - Comp. Plan Goals Involved
 - Goal 10: Improve and expand the Town’s recreational resources to meet the needs of the community in accordance with the goals set forth in the adopted Parks, Trails, and Recreation Master Plan
 - Economic Development Committee – support balanced development in the Town; promote agriculture in the Town as a business entity and driver of economic success.
 - Comp. Plan Goals Involved
 - Goal 1: Establish a regulatory and economic framework that supports the protection and continued development of agriculture
 - Goal 13: Maximize opportunities for large and small scale commercial development within the Town without compromising the Town’s natural, scenic, cultural, and historic resources.
 - Environmental Conservation Board – update the Natural Resources Inventory and Town Code as it pertains to natural resources.
 - Comp. Plan Goals Involved:
 - Goal 3: Ensure the protection of the Town of Canandaigua’s Natural Resources
 - Environmental Committee – enhance communications with residents with regards to waste reduction and pollution prevention.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Town Board hereby approves the 2019 priority goals for the Citizens’ Implementation Committee and directs the Town Clerk to provide a copy of this resolution to the Committee.