

Request For Board Action

REFERRED TO BOARD: January 19, 2015

AGENDA ITEM NO: 7

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Administration

SUBJECT: Consideration of a Resolution Accepting the Village of Antioch Community Vision Statement.

SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND OF SUBJECT MATTER:

The Strategic plan approved in December, 2012, included an initiative to draft a community vision for Antioch. A steering committee was formed, and open house workshops and surveys were conducted in order to gather community input to help form the vision.

Results of the work the vision committee did throughout the process were presented at the December Committee of the Whole meeting. After that meeting, the final draft of the Village of Antioch Community Vision was presented to the public one last time for comment.

Based on input from the community as a whole, the Community Vision Committee has presented the attached for village board consideration. If approved, the single, unified statement will be expanded into a comprehensive document available for public viewing.

DOCUMENTS ATTACHED:

1. Resolution
2. Community Vision Statement

RECOMMENDED MOTIONS:

Move to Approve a Resolution Accepting the Village of Antioch Community Vision Statement.

RESOLUTION NO. 15-xx

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH COMMUNITY VISION STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the Village of Antioch, Lake County, Illinois (the "Village") is a duly organized and existing municipality created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the Community Vision Statement was prepared by the Community Vision Committee after a number of workshops, surveys and data analysis were conducted to gather input from the community; and

WHEREAS, based on community input and data analysis, the vision committee presents as Exhibit "A" the Village of Antioch Community Vision Statement;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Antioch to accept as presented the Village of Antioch Community Vision Statement.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Antioch, Lake County, Illinois, this ___ day of January, 2015.

APPROVED this ___ day of _____ 2015.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

Lawrence M. Hanson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lori K. Folbrick, Village Clerk

EXHIBIT “A”

Village of Antioch Community Vision Statement

Antioch is a community steeped in rich history and tradition, anchored by a safe, small-town atmosphere, and quality of life. Its vibrant economy draws from the charm of a quaint downtown, a well-educated workforce, and a robust commercial sector. The variety of recreational opportunities available to residents and visitors are accentuated by the area’s proximity to the natural resources of the Chain of Lakes and network of locally established park and trail systems. Antioch proudly supports the collaboration of its educational institutions, philanthropic organizations, and service agencies to provide opportunities for investment and the enrichment of our businesses, families and community.