

Hardwick Municipal Plan Update – Planning Commission Worksheet

Working Session: Identifying Themes and Goals

The community survey and early outreach are beginning to highlight several themes that residents see as important for Hardwick’s future.

Tonight’s goal is to help identify the **major themes the Town Plan should address** and begin outlining **what the Town should accomplish over the next 10 years**.

These do not need to be perfect sentences. We are simply identifying direction.

Step 1 – Confirming Major Themes

Based on early survey responses, several themes appear to be emerging.

Do these themes reflect the issues you are hearing from residents?

Housing and Affordability
Flood Resilience and Infrastructure
Downtown Vitality and Local Economy
Transportation and Walkability
Natural Resources and Farmland
Community Health and Social Connection

Are there any themes missing that the Town Plan should address?

Step 2 – What Should Hardwick Accomplish?

For each theme, briefly describe what you believe Hardwick should aim to accomplish over the next 10 years.

Housing and Affordability

Flood Resilience and Infrastructure

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Step 3 – Additional Thoughts

Are there other ideas or priorities that should be captured for future discussion?
