

	<b>PLAN COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY</b>			
	<b>Project Title/ Address:</b>		Update on the Comprehensive Plan Project	
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<b>Please check appropriate box (x)</b>				
	<b>PUBLIC HEARING</b>		<b>MEETING 2/21/2012</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>ATTACHMENTS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS</b>				
<b>EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:</b>				
<p>The Task Force will meet on March 1 to review and discuss a draft Vision Statement and Goals and Objectives document.</p> <p>The Vision Statement will be a description of St. Charles looking ahead 15 years after the adoption of the new Comprehensive Plan. Goals and Objectives will outline how the City can implement the plan recommendations to achieve the vision. The Goals and Objectives document will also be the basis for the individual “plan” documents (land use, transportation, open space, etc.) that will be part of the Comprehensive Plan.</p> <p>The Task Force will also begin discussing the extent/scope of each Key Focus Area Plan (East Gateway/Charlestowne Mall area, West Gateway/Randall Road/former St. Charles Mall area, Downtown, and the Main Street Corridor). More detailed conceptual development plans will be prepared for each Key Focus Area. A workshop to discuss the plans is anticipated in April/May.</p> <p>A summary of the Visioning Workshop has been posted on the project website. The draft Existing Conditions interim report is also posted. Resident and business questionnaires and the interactive mapping tool remain available for use on the website.</p>				
<b>RECOMMENDATION / SUGGESTED ACTION</b> <i>(briefly explain):</i>				
For information only.				