

## Wichita-Sedgwick County Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee Meeting

MAPC Large Conference Room, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, City Hall

3:45-5:30 p.m., March 26, 2014

### **Discussion Highlights & Points of Agreement:**

#### *Attendance - Plan Steering Committee:*

Peggy Elliott, Susan Estes, David Foster, Matt Goolsby, Joe Johnson, John McKay, Cindy Miles, Tim Norton, Richard Ranzau, Gary Schmitt, Debra Miller Stevens

#### *Attendance - Project Staff:*

Stephen Banks, Dave Barber, Scott Knebel, Jess McNeely, John Schlegel, Scott Wadle

### **1. Welcome -**

The meeting was called to order by Peggy Elliott

### **2. Committee Workshop Session:**

#### **Discussion and Finalization of Proposed Public Polling Questions at the April-June Community Engagement Meetings -**

- Dave Barber and John Schlegel informed the Committee that the ACT ICT folks have requested that Questions #1 and #2 (revised as of March 20<sup>th</sup>), be removed from the list of community engagement polling questions due to redundancies/overlaps with the WSU survey and ACT ICT results, and the public confusion that may result.

Following much discussion, the Committee agreed that Questions #1 and #2 (revised as of March 20<sup>th</sup>) as presently worded would provide little meaningful additional information to the Committee. It was generally agreed that that Questions #1 and #2 should be modified and combined into one question that specifically drills down deeper (more so than was done in the WSU community survey and ACT ICT) to specifically ask how much more the community is willing to pay within each of the infrastructure categories, and how it prefers to pay (property tax, sales tax, user fees, etc.) The ACT ICT revenue options/\$ amounts were presented in a shorter-term context (next 10 years) and would be insufficient to address the long-term cost/revenue gap.

Revisions to Questions #3 and #4 were also requested by the Committee in order to make these questions more easily understandable to the average citizen.

#### **Confirmation of Plan Steering Committee Member Attendance at Public Meetings -**

- Cindy Miles will resend the Doodle meeting attendance log out to all the Committee members to re-register due to the April 8<sup>th</sup> open house meeting being rescheduled to April 16<sup>th</sup>. Cindy also mentioned that no one had signed up as of yet to attend the April 28<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Staff will incorporate these changes into a revised set of questions that will be reviewed and finalized by the Committee at the next meeting.

### **3. Committee Open Discussion - None**

### **4. Set Next Steering Committee Meeting -**

April 13, 2014, 3:45-5:30 p.m. in the MAPC Large Conference Room, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, City Hall

### **5. Comments from Public Attendees -**

Happy with community survey questions, but the City needs to get out of the land development and real estate business.

### **6. Adjourned - 5:30 p.m.**