Town of Schroon Comprehensive Plan Update



# 2023

## Welcome to the Town of Schroon Comprehensive Plan Update!

In September 2023, the Town of Schroon initiated the process of updating its Comprehensive Plan. A Project Advisory Committee was appointed by the Town Board to guide the development of a new Town Comprehensive Plan. The Committee represents individuals from a wide cross section of the community. Planning consultant LaBella Associates will be guiding the planning process to update the 1977 Town of Schroon Master Plan. Much has changed over the past 46 years. The new Comprehensive Plan will provide a framework for achieving a community vision that is reflective of the current community conditions and builds on the progress that has been made to date.

## What is a Comprehensive Plan?

A Comprehensive Plan is a guidance document that sets goals, policies, and priorities for investing in the physical, economic, and environmental future of the Town. The Comprehensive Plan is both a vision for the future and a roadmap for how to achieve the vision. It provides the Town Board with direction for making decisions about improvements to town infrastructure, revising zoning regulations, allocating resources in the annual budget, and supporting grant applications for high priority projects. A broad range of topics are addressed in the Comprehensive Plan, including but not limited to economic development, tourism, housing, climate change, infrastructure, land use, natural resources, recreation, and community services.

## We want to hear from you!

Take our online survey by scanning the QR code:



### The First Public Information Meeting has been Scheduled!

#### When: January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024 • 5pt

Where:

Schroon Lake Central School 1125 US-9 Schroon Lake, NY 12870

#### What

This meeting is designed to provide a presentation of the process of the Comprehensive Plan Update and the findings of the Advisory Committee to date.

## We look forward to meeting you!

## We Need Your Participation.

Public engagement is an essential component of the planning process. There are many ways for residents, visitors, and business owners to learn about and provide input during the planning process, including online surveys, public workshops, focus group meetings, and digital newsletters. For now, the Town has developed a folder on its home webpage under the Bulletin Board. Please explore this page to contribute your thoughts and stay informed about the most recent updates and public involvement initiatives concerning the Town's Comprehensive Plan Update. This webpage will be updated periodically with new information so check back often.

Click the link below to take you directly to the information webpage: <u>https://schroon.net/comprehensive-plan-2024/</u>

## Your Opinion Matters.

The Committee is developing an opinion survey to be shared to all property owners and businesses. You will be mailed a postcard with a link to the survey printed on it. You will then be able to respond to the survey and submit it via your cell phone or computer. The more survey responses received, the more informed the Committee will be of your concerns and ideas for the betterment of the community.



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