







# The Village of WOODMERE **MASTER PLAN**

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#### **MEETING RESULTS**

#### **PUBLIC MEETING**

The third and final Public Meeting for the Village of Woodmere Master Plan was held on October 30, 2019 at the Pepper Pike Learning Center (Orange Community Education & Recreation) located at 33500 Chagrin Boulevard, Pepper Pike, Ohio 44124.

Representatives from County Planning gave a presentation which outlined the Master Plan Process and where the community is in that process, the Implementation document, and how residents can continue to be involved throughout the remainder of the project.

Five (5) Stations with display boards lined the hallway and featured each topic area, community goal, and various strategies. Following the presentation, attendees were asked to review the boards, vote for prioritizing the various strategies, and provide feedback by responding to several questions. Specifically attendees were asked:

1) To prioritize each strategy as High, Medium, or Low; 2) Provide general comments they have about specific goals, strategies, or topic areas; and 3) To list their top five (5) overall strategies for implementation.

Following the Public Meeting the presentation materials were posted online to allow additional residents to read the materials, comment on them, and provide feedback. Residents were also given the option of completing the exercises at the meeting, or to go online and complete a post-meeting survey. This online survey was open from October 31, 2019 through November 15, 2019 (~2 weeks).

This Results Report outlines comments received during the public meeting at the board stations, on comment sheets submitted at the meeting, and through the online survey.

#### **NUMBER OF ATTENDEES & COMMENTS**

Approximately 17 residents, business owners, community representatives, and public officials were in attendance for this third public meeting. Attendees provided ample comments and held conversations with County Planning representatives at the meeting's conclusion, and provided 4 responses to the online survey, which included 13 individual comments.

#### **COMMON THEMES**

Respondents' individual comments were organized, votes tallied, and analyzed for common themes among the board stations and online survey. These comments have been summarized on the following page.

#### **NEXT STEPS**

This document, as well as the specific comments provided by respondents, will be used to help guide implementation priorities. The most common comments and themes will help inform this analysis and prioritize recommendations throughout the Master Plan.

#### **CONTENTS OF RESULTS REPORT**

The contents of this results report include the overall top five (5) findings and a general overview of final thoughts from the second Public Meeting, as follows:

- Findings, page 5
- Final Thoughts, page 6



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The following is an overview of the findings as a result of community feedback:

#### **Community Topic: Housing**

In general, meeting attendees and online survey respondents agreed with the preliminary rankings for this topic. Strategy 1.3 was raised from a medium priority to a high priority and Strategy 1.5 was raised from a low priority to a medium priority.

#### **Community Topic: Branding**

Overall, meeting attendees and online survey respondents agreed with the preliminary rankings for this topic. Strategy 2.4 was raised from a medium priority to a high priority; Strategy 2.6 was raised from a medium priority to a high priority; and Strategy 2.8 was raised from a low priority to a medium priority.

#### **Community Topic: Marketing**

Meeting attendees and online survey respondents modified a number of preliminary rankings for this topic. Strategy 3.1 was lowered from a high priority to a medium priority; Strategy 3.7 was lowered from a high priority to a low priority; Strategies 3.2, 3.8, and 3.9 were raised from medium priorities to a high priorities; and Strategy 3.10 was raised from a low priority to a medium priority.

#### **Community Topic: Mobility**

Generally, meeting attendees and online survey respondents agreed with the preliminary rankings for this topic. Strategy 4.1 and 4.3 were raised from medium priorities to high priorities, and Strategy 4.4 was raised from a low priority to a medium priority.

#### **Community Topic: Wellness**

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Overall, meeting attendees and online survey respondents agreed with the preliminary rankings for this topic. Strategy 5.3 was raised from a low priority to a high priority and Strategy 5.4 was raised from a low priority to a medium priority.



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#### **PLANNING PROCESS & PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT**

**CURRENT CONDITIONS** 

COMMUNITY VISION

GOALS & ACTIONS

**IMPLEMENTATION** 

FINAL DRAFT























= Public Meeting & Community Feedback Opportunity

This was the final Public Meeting for the Woodmere Master Plan. There will be presentations made to the Planning and Zoning Commission and Village Council for adoption, following the final phase of the planning process.

If you have questions about the Master Plan process, or would like to find out more about County Planning, please contact us at:

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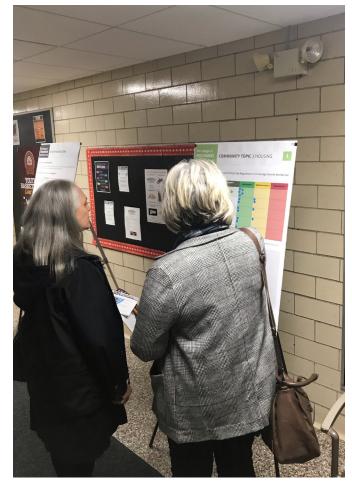
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