

Fall 2017 – Metro Wide Workshop with the MPCA & EQB

# Planning for Resilient Cities

## City Staff & Elected Leader's Workshop

Thursday November 9, 1pm to 4pm

Brookdale Library 6125 Shingle Creek Parkway  
Brooklyn Center, MN 55430

Participate in person or via Webinar Free Workshop, [Please RSVP at www.allianceforsustainability.com/sustainablecommunities](http://www.allianceforsustainability.com/sustainablecommunities)



- **New mapping and planning tools**
- **Sample comp plan goals & strategies**
- **Implementation resources & funding**

Learn in small groups with your peers about new resources available for your city's Comprehensive Planning for **Local, clean ENERGY, Water Quality/ADAPTATION/, Active Living, Food Access, HEALTH and ECONOMY**

We are supporting staff and volunteer teams in **40 metro communities** to include energy & resilience goals in their comprehensive plans. Questions? Call Sean Gosiewski, Alliance for Sustainability, 612-250-0389 [sean@afors.org](mailto:sean@afors.org)



### Agenda

- **City Updates** – Staff, Council Members or Commission volunteers will share brief updates. Learn from **3 cities with draft resilience plan language** to share (30 min)
- **New Resilience Planning Resources** – partners will share new planning and mapping tools, sample comp plan language & implementation resources (40 min)
  - **Sample Energy Goals**, Brian Ross, GPI,
  - **Smart Transportation**, Frank Douma, U of MN Humphrey Institute (invited)
  - **Climate Adaptation/ Surface Water Plans** - Matt Metzger, Barr Engineering
  - **Health/ Active Living/ Food Access/ Economic Inclusion Planning Resources**
- **Small Group Discussion (Energy, Adaptation/Water, Health)** – (90 min) explore how you can use these resources in your city with peers from other cities and resource staff. Enjoy three 30 minute small group conversations on
  - **New tools for Mapping current conditions** (opportunities and challenges)
  - **Sample comprehensive plan goals and strategies** from other cities
  - **New implementation resources and funding strategies** for your city

### Local, clean ENERGY & transportation

- **Mapping** – solar maps, residential and commercial energy use profiles
- **Sample Goals** – LOGOPEP Energy Planning Templates
- **Implementation** – benchmarking energy with businesses, Sol Smart, SB 2030, energy efficiency, EVs

### Water Quality/ADAPTATION

- **Mapping** – flood & climate risk planning and preparedness
- **Sample Goals** – BWSR and Watershed District Requirements
- **Implementation** – MIDS, multi jurisdictional projects, FEMA funds, storm water utilities

### Active Living, Food, HEALTH/Equity

- **Mapping** – health & income disparities, bike & trail connections
- **Sample Goals** – Healthy Comp Plan Check List, examples from cities
- **Implementation** – Bike/Ped Funding, Food Councils, Complete Neighborhoods, Equity Resources

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