

# Homer Glen to seek resident input as it updates comprehensive plan originally adopted in 2005



Consultants will be seeking input from Homer Glen residents during the annual Homer Fest June 20 to 23. (Homer Glen photo)

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**H**omer Glen will seek input from residents later this month as it begins work to update the its comprehensive plan.

The village's original comprehensive plan was adopted in 2005, four years after it incorporated as a municipality.

The village has hired the consultant team of Savoy Consulting Group LLC, Egret & Ox Planning LLC and Antero Group to help update its plan and guide growth and development over the next 20 years.

The comprehensive plan update will address community issues such as housing, economic development, infrastructure, utilities and more. The village will look for ways to expand its tax base, create greater housing diversity, open space and recreational opportunities and develop its primary corridors.

According to the village, the comprehensive plan will also provide updated design and development guidelines and standards.

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Consultants will be at the village's community information tent during Homer Fest which runs from June 20 to 23.

During the festival, residents can write down quick responses about Homer Glen to questions such as "If you could change one thing in Homer Glen, what would it be?" and "What would you like to see in Homer Glen?" said Todd Vanadilok, principal planner with Egret & Ox Planning.

Another chance to comment will be at a public open house from 5 to 7 p.m. June 26 at Village Hall.

Residents can look at exhibits and leave feedback at the open house, Vanadilok said. Among the topics to comment will be neighborhoods, transportation and potential areas for future development. Project team members will also be available to answer questions and help residents with the exhibits and activities.

A website for residents to leave feedback is at [www.myhomerglen.org](http://www.myhomerglen.org).

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