

TOWN OF LA POINTE

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TOWN OF LA POINTE SEEKS APPLICANTS FOR COMPREHENSIVE PLAN STEERING COMMITTEE

The Town of La Pointe is inviting members to serve on a Steering Committee to update the Town's Comprehensive Plan. The Plan outlines both a vision and a roadmap for the community on such topics as housing, transportation, economic development, and natural and cultural resources. The Plan also sets the legal framework for policies in areas such as land use and zoning.

Members will:

- Decide whether to create a new Plan, revise the existing Plan, or create an addendum to the existing Plan
- Decide whether or not to comprehensively assess progress under the existing Plan and, if so, how to report those findings
- Decide which legally required topics to revise or amend in an updated Plan
- Develop a public participation plan
- Structure work groups or other means of drafting recommendations for an updated Plan
- Oversee the final draft of an updated Plan, which will be submitted to the Town Plan Commission and, ultimately, the Town Board

The application deadline is Tuesday Nov. 30. Application forms can be picked up at Town Hall, at the La Pointe Post Office, or downloaded from the Town website: www.townoflapointewi.gov. The Town Board will appoint Steering Committee members in December.

The Board invites applicants from the full range of the Madeline Island community: year-round residents, seasonal residents, and anyone else who has a connection to the island and a commitment to its future.

Steering Committee members are likely to serve for a minimum of 6-9 months (from December 2021 through August 2022), with frequent in-person and remote meetings during that time.

La Pointe's current Comprehensive Plan was adopted in 2006 and last revised in 2014. You can view or download the Plan at: www.townoflapointewi.gov/assets/files/2019/10/comprehansive-plan-2014-2.pdf