



Summary of Revisions

OCTOBER 2011—DRAFT

Introduction

This document summarizes substantive revisions reflected in final draft Johnson County 2030: Living Our Vision report (October 2011). Revisions resulted from the Citizens Visioning Committee meeting on September 29, 2011 during which the committee reviewed and discussed community input received during the committee's extensive outreach effort conducted during August and September.

Summary of Revisions

Following is a section-by-section breakdown of substantive revisions reflected in the final draft report:

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Revisions:

- Numerous adjustments to reflect edits to other sections listed below.

PREFACE

Revisions:

- No change.

INTRODUCTION

Revisions:

- Updated community outreach opportunities to reflect completion of recent activities
- Added explanation of relationship between individual topics and themes in the 'How is this Document Structured?' section to address confusion about where specific topics (e.g., libraries, housing) are addressed in the report.
- Removed references to 'Priority Recommendations'
- Added new explanation for 'Next Steps'

CONTEXT

Revisions:

- No change.

VISION AND THEMES

Revisions:

- Revised theme #4 to read "A Sustainable Pattern of *Development and Redevelopment*" to reflect emphasis on both new growth (outward) and reinvestment in established areas of the County.

ECONOMIC VITALITY

Revisions:

- Removed placeholder for ‘Possible Indicators to Track Our Progress’

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

Revisions:

- Added brief explanation in challenges and opportunities section re: higher education and added minor edits to guiding principles and recommended actions to reinforce importance of education at all levels (Pre-K-12, collegiate, university, continuing education).
- Removed placeholder for ‘Possible Indicators to Track Our Progress’

A SAFE, HEALTHY, AND CARING COMMUNITY

Revisions:

- Clarification to Public Safety bullet under ‘Challenges and Opportunities’ (Increasing Demand for Services and Changing Trends)
- Clarification to HS-A3
- Clarification to HS-A4 and explanation of evidence-based programs
- Clarification to HS-A6
- Removed HS-A7 to mirror changes in other sections intended to remove specific funding references
- Removed placeholder for ‘Possible Indicators to Track Our Progress’

A SUSTAINABLE PATTERN OF GROWTH

Revisions:

- Revised theme #4 to read “A Sustainable Pattern of *Development and Redevelopment*” to reflect emphasis on both new growth (outward) and reinvestment in established areas of the County.
- Added new recommended action SG-A2 to address reinvestment in established areas of the community
- Added clarification to SG-A7 to address the need to balance costs and benefits with regard to sustainability initiatives.
- Removed placeholder for ‘Possible Indicators to Track Our Progress’

EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE GOVERNMENT

Revisions:

- Removed placeholder for ‘Possible Indicators to Track Our Progress’

A CULTURALLY RICH AND ACTIVE COMMUNITY

Revisions:

Note: It was proposed during the Sept. CVC meeting that A1-A3 be generalized and combined into a single recommended action. In reviewing the recommendations further, it appears this approach would essentially result in a duplication of guiding principle COM-P3: Develop Multi-Dimensional Programs and Facilities. Therefore, actions A1-A3 have simply been refined to remove specific funding references, but have not been combined.

- Clarification to 'Challenges and Opportunities' to remove specific reference to MAP2020 for consistency with other sections of the report.
- Clarification to COM-A1 to remove funding references for consistency with other sections of the report.
- Clarification to COM-A2 to remove funding references for consistency with other sections of the report.
- Clarification to COM-A3.
- Removed placeholder for 'Possible Indicators to Track Our Progress'

PRIORITY ACTIONS (NEXT STEPS)

Revisions:

- Re-framed Priority Actions section to address 'Next Steps' as opposed to Priority Actions
- Incorporated recommendations related to monitoring the implementation of the plan from the 'Tracking our Progress' section and revised.

TRACKING OUR PROGRESS

Revisions:

- Removed.

APPENDIX: BACKGROUND AND TRENDS

Revisions:

- Added reference to role of Johnson County government in each topic area in introductory section.
- Expanded explanation of Johnson County Transit in Transportation section.