

HEALTHY COMMUNITY PLAN

Community/Team Name: Longville HCPC

Geographic Area: City of Longville and surrounding area

HCP Round/Years: Round 4, March 1999 – March 2001

Project Focus: Comprehensive Plan

Vision/Purpose Statement:

To manage the future of Longville so that it accommodates growth, retains the unique character of our area, preserves the environment, and recognizes that the community goes far beyond our city's boundaries.

Priorities:

- Put in place adequate zoning to control styles, set-backs, location of future construction
- Work to attain a 4-way stop on Hwy. 84
- Determine number and housing types needed, provide assistance needed to see that they are constructed
- Provide a multi-purpose trail through the community and a recreation area and/or city park
See Comprehensive Plan for more specific recommendations under these broad goals.

Follow Up Grants and Loans:

- \$3,000 for Library Expansion planning (5/2002)
- USDA Rural Development, \$222,000 Grant, \$438,000 Loan for new wastewater collection system

Key Accomplishments:

- City approved Comprehensive Plan (Draft in January 24, 2001)
- Formation of four task forces to accomplish goals
- Purchase of land for City Parking and Open Space (2001)
- Downtown Improvement Plan for revitalization
- Biannual area-wide clean-up week instituted (June 2000)
- Memorial Gazebo constructed in cemetery
- Two newsletters from the mayor per year to citizens
- New Sewage treatment system and repaving/streetscaping of main street
- Purchased a downtown property with a local business owner to provide needed downtown parking.
- Rebuilt city docks (2004)
- Library renovation completed (2004)

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