

Dear Village of Kaneville Resident,

Since your village was incorporated in November 2006, your elected officials have been working to improve the quality of life and also to plan for the future of the Village. One of the things we have done, as you may know, was to appoint a Plan Commission in February 2007. The members of the Plan Commission were selected from a list of local volunteers who applied to posted notices in the Village requesting anyone interested to apply. The Plan Commission is comprised of the following persons:

Joe White, Chairman
Dale Pierson, Commission Member
Robert Ottoson, Commission Member

Stuart Lee, Commission Member
Mark Gemmer, Commission Member

These individuals have been volunteering their time, during the past year-and-a half, to develop the Village's first Comprehensive Plan. A Comprehensive Plan is a vision of what a community wants to become in the long range and the steps needed to meet that goal. Typically, a Comprehensive Plan consists of several elements, such as Land Use, Natural Resources, Transportation, Economic Development, and Housing. Most municipalities in the United States, both large and small, have found it important to develop such a plan. Our Comprehensive Plan will take a look out to the year 2030 to envision what we will look like at that time and the necessary steps as to how we may get there.

Besides the Village itself, the Village of Kaneville's planning area consists of an area 1-1/2 miles surrounding our incorporated municipal boundary.

The Plan Commission has, as part of its efforts, invited many local land owners, business owners, and government entity officials, to their meetings in order to ask these persons what their vision was for the future. These interviews have been extremely beneficial as input to the Comprehensive Plan.

Now it is your turn! We need your input as to what you feel will be required in the future to maintain and improve the quality of life in Kaneville. To accomplish this, I am enclosing a brief survey to solicit your answers to several questions. Your answers are important and will be taken into consideration when the Plan Commission begins drafting the Comprehensive Plan. At a later date, we will conduct a public hearing and invite all residents to review and comment on the Plan.

Please take a few minutes to complete the survey and drop the postage-paid postcard in the mail no later than **August 8, 2008**.

If you wish to know more about the status of the Comprehensive Plan, have any questions regarding the survey, or have additional comments beyond the questions asked on the survey, please contact us as follows:

- Phone: 630-557-0037
- Email: info@villageofkaneville.com
- Mail: Village of Kaneville, P.O. Box 83, Kaneville, IL 60144
- Or feel free to come to any of the Plan Commission meetings held at 7:00 p.m. on the second Thursday of every month at the Village office in the Dave Werdin Community Center.

Thanks in advance for your participation in this important project.

Bob Rodney, President