



City of West Carrollton

***Sustainable Comprehensive
Planning Initiative***

Facilitated by Ohio State University Extension
Sustainable Development Center

*The City of West Carrollton will have
a Sustainable Comprehensive Plan that:*



- Builds upon resident's vision of the future and recognizes shared community ethos
- Provides guidance to elected officials in decision-making, choices, and allocation of limited resources
- Balances and links social, economic and environmental interests of community
- Monitors progress toward reaching a long-term sustainable goals

3 Sectors of a Community's Life



ECOLOGICAL

ECONOMIC

SOCIAL

What is a *Sustainable* Comprehensive Plan?



- Inclusionary
- Long-range – look out generations
- Balances and interconnects social, economic and environmental sectors
- Determines progress through multi-dimensional indicators

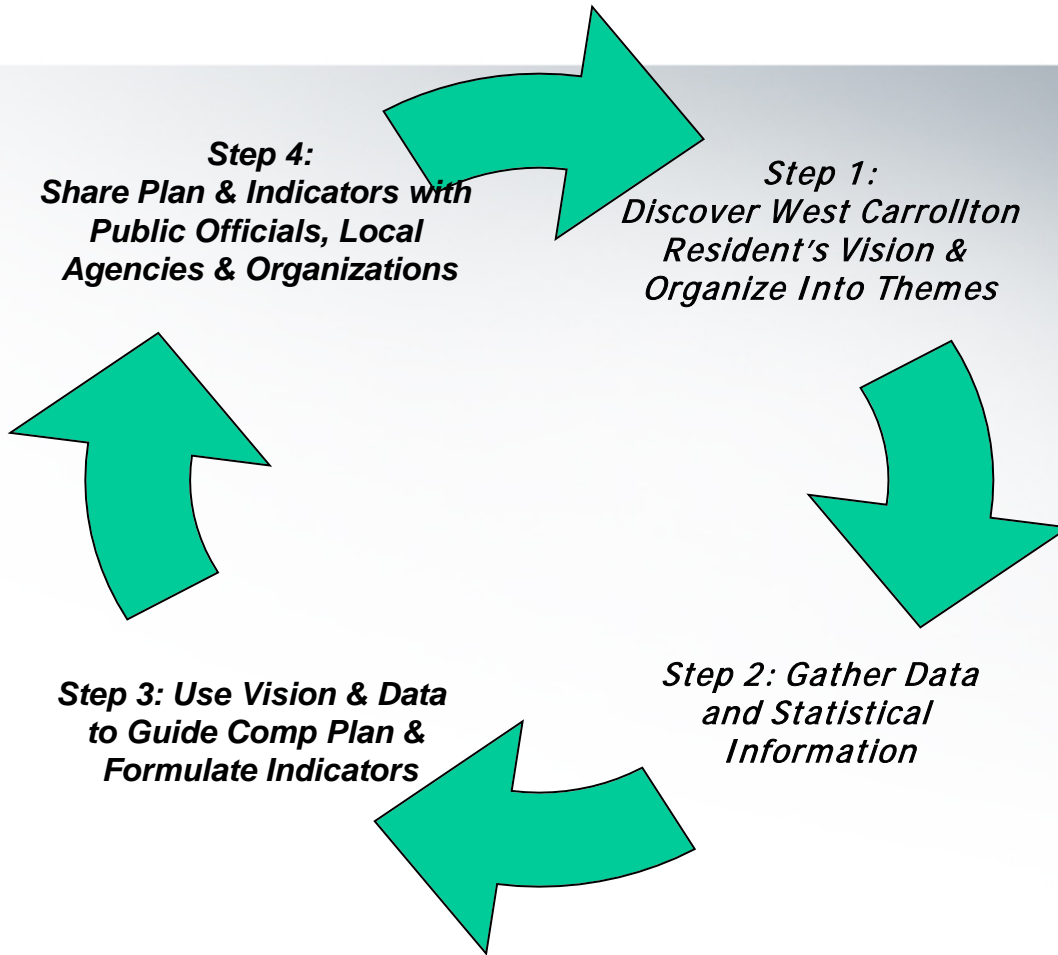


Step 4:
*Share Plan & Indicators with
Public Officials, Local
Agencies & Organizations*

Step 1:
*Discover West Carrollton
Resident's Vision &
Organize Into Themes*

Step 2: *Gather Data
and Statistical
Information*

Step 3: *Use Vision & Data
to Guide Comp Plan &
Formulate Indicators*



Inclusionary



- Steering Committee is representative of the community
 - Lasswell's Wheel
 - Select organizations who choose their representative
- Process
 - Visioning: go where people gather
 - a. Communities of interest & place
 - b. Find shared consensus
 - Constantly check to see if we are on track

Long-term

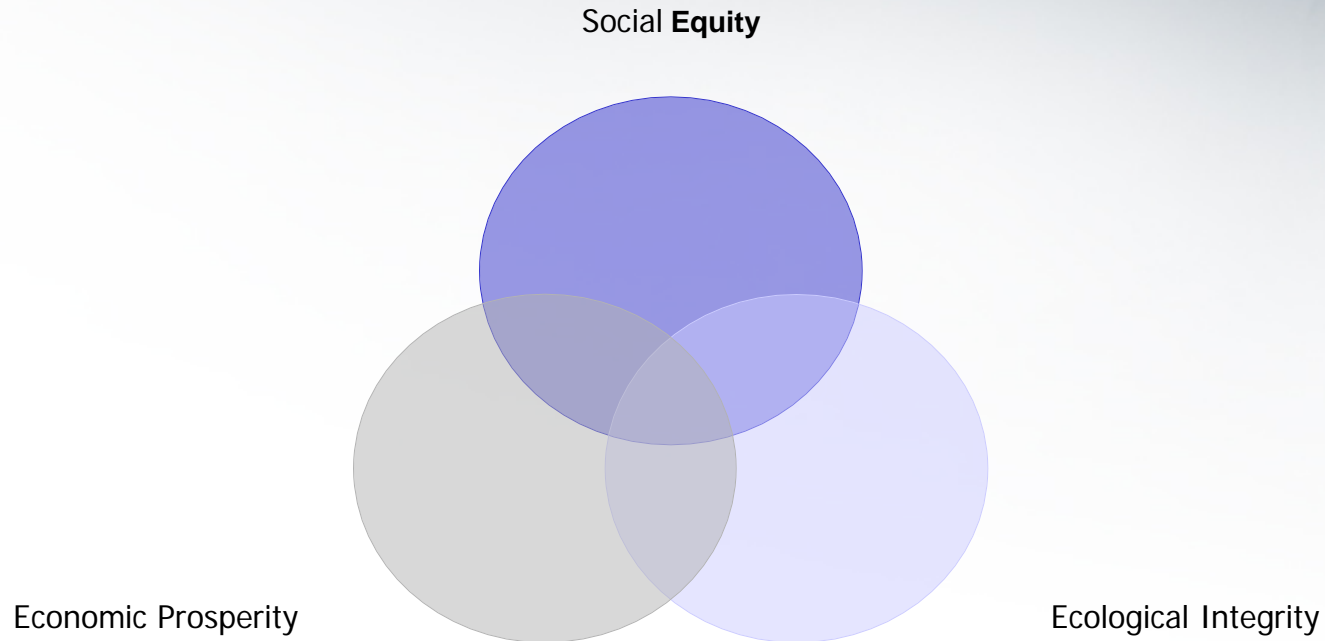


- Think in terms of generations, not decades
- Push vision out 50 years by asking residents two key questions:

What is it about the West Carrollton community that you value?

What do you hope the West Carrollton community will be for your grandchildren and great-grandchildren?

An Interconnected Balance for West Carrollton



Multi-Dimensional Indicators



- Used to guide the community and assess progress in reaching goals
- Created by linking goals that bring conscience from communities of interest
- Written as indicators by West Carrollton residents, professionals and OSU Extension

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