



# APPENDIX B: COMMUNITY SURVEY







# TOWN OF NORTH GREENBUSH

## COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

### COMMUNITY SURVEY

The Town of North Greenbush is undertaking a new effort that will result in the creation of a Comprehensive Plan that will serve as a roadmap for future development and growth. The Comprehensive Plan Committee is committed to including public participation as a significant component of this effort. Please complete the following survey and return to the Richard Fennelly, Town of North Greenbush, 2 Douglas St., Wynantskill, NY 12198 by May 1, 2006. Your opinions will help us develop a Comprehensive Plan that is truly representative of all stakeholders in North Greenbush. Summaries of the survey results will be published on the Town's website, newspapers, and at sequel meetings.

Please indicate the district in which you live.

Election District	Polling Place	Check Appropriate Box
1	Town Offices, Main Ave	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	DeFreestville Fire House	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	St. Jude's School	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Bailey Mountain Fish & Game Club	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	St. Michael's Church	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Bloomingrove Reformed Church	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	First Reformed Church, Main Ave Wynantskill	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Gardner Dickinson School	<input type="checkbox"/>

How long have you lived in the above district? \_\_\_\_\_

#### 1. **LAND USE**

What type of land use development do you feel is important to the future of North Greenbush?

	Very Important	Important	Not Important
Agricultural/Farming	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Forest	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recreation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Residential (Single Family)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Residential (Multiple Family)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural/Undeveloped	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Retail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Industrial	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Government	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other types of land use desired: \_\_\_\_\_

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2. **SERVICES**

What is your opinion of existing services provided by the Town of North Greenbush:

	Adequate	Needs Some Improvement	Needs Much Improvement
Road Maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Snow Removal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Educational System	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Police Protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emergency Services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recreational Opportunities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Youth Programming	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water/Sewer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Town Administration	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. **TOWN RESOURCES**

How important is the preservation of the following resources:

	Not Important	Important	Very Important
Historic Sites	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water Bodies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scenic Views	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural Resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wildlife Habitat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Groundwater Aquifers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wetlands	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Forest Land	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Open Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Agricultural Land	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. **BUSINESS/COMMERCIAL USE**

Should the Town encourage the development of the following uses and where should they be developed.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Strongly Disagree	What Area
Research/Educational	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Office Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Small Retail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Large Retail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Automotive Repair/Sales	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Agricultural/Farming	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Restaurants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Industrial	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Government	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Other (Please Describe) _____				_____
_____				_____
_____				_____



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5. **QUALITY OF LIFE**

What do you like most about living in North Greenbush

	Not Important	Important	Very Important
Small town nature of the community	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost of living	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality of schools	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proximity of services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recreational opportunities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Government services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (Please describe) _____			
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_____			

6. **HOUSING**

What type of residential development should the Town support

	Strongly Support	Support	Do Not Support
Single family homes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Multi family units	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Condominiums	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senior housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mobile Homes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (Please Describe) _____			
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How should the above developments be configured:

	Yes	No	Not Sure
Large building lots (Greater than 1 acre)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Small building lots (less than 1 acre) with increased shared green space.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clustered development with very small building lots and greater green space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Planned Unit Developments*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

\*A Planned Unit Development (PUD) allows for the development of a mix of uses that may include single family and multi family homes, as well as light retail, office and appropriate scale services.



7. **NEGATIVE TOWN ISSUES**

Most pressing issues currently impacting the Town of North Greenbush

	Yes	No	Not Sure
Commercial Growth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Residential Growth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Housing Conditions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Traffic Volume	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Property Taxes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vacant Structures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (Please Describe) _____			
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8. **ZONING**

	Yes	No	Not Sure
Do you feel the Town's existing zoning regulations are adequate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Should the Town complete a revision of the current zoning regulations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Should the Town adopt new zoning regulations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

9. **GENERAL ISSUES**

Where should the Town focus its effort and financial resources in the future:

	Yes	No	Not Sure
Infrastructure (streets, water, sewer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Residential growth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Retail growth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial growth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Industrial growth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Services for Senior Citizens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Services for Youth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Preservation of open space	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Development of parks and recreational facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Comments**

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