

**VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE**  
**REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL WORKSHOP**  
**NOVEMBER 27, 2007 AGENDA**

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
Strategic Planning Documents	Resolution Ordinance ✓ Motion Discussion Only	Cara Pavlicek Village Manager

**SYNOPSIS**

A motion is requested to approve the strategic planning documents that have been prepared by Lyle Sumek Associates, Inc., based upon a series of public meetings held with the Village Council.

**STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT**

The Five Year Plan and Goals for 2006-2011 identifies *Exceptional Municipal Organization*.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

N/A.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Approval on the December 4, 2007 consent agenda.

**BACKGROUND**

Throughout the year, the Village Council held a series of discussions to update its Strategic Plan. These meetings provided time away from daily activities for the Council to work together and look at the total picture of challenges and opportunities currently facing the Village. In conjunction with these meetings, the Village held a Citizen Summit where residents were able to comment on the strategic planning process.

The result of this process is a series of updated documents that are collectively referred to as the strategic planning documents and include a statement of the Vision for Downers Grove in 2021 and the Mission of our organization. The Vision and Mission are supported by the identification of Core Beliefs and values for our municipal organization.

**ATTACHMENTS**

Strategic Plan