



Region of Waterloo

Region of Waterloo — Council Strategic Planning Session

Shaping the 2011-2014 Plan: Focus Areas, Objectives and Actions

Agenda February 18th, 2011

Waterloo Region Emergency Services Training & Research
Complex

1001 Erb's Road, RR#3 – Gate 3
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8:30 – 2:00

Meeting facilitated by Glenn Pothier – GLPi Consulting. All timings are approximate.

8:30 Breakfast

9:00 Opening Remarks (Ken Seiling)

9:05 Key Planning Context and What We've Heard to Date (Mike Murray)

- 2011-2014 strategic planning process overview
- Background Information and Public Input:
 - Issues, trends and forecasts relevant to the Region
 - Public input — survey results (ERIN Research)
 - Followed by Q&A and discussion (Glenn Pothier)
 - *Does anything strike you as surprising or particularly important/resonant?*
 - *What other key developments, trends, contextual considerations (economic, financial, political or otherwise) need to inform the Region's strategic planning initiative — essential factors internal or external to the Region that must be taken into account?*

10:30 Break

10:45 Vision, mission and values — *review, discussion and...affirmation*

11:00 Priorities for this term of Council (2011-2014)

- Identify potential priorities, goals, objectives and actions

12:00 Lunch

12:30 Priorities (continued) and Focus Areas

- Identify potential strategic Focus Areas – how to organize/group the potential priorities/objectives/actions

1:45 Open Forum and a Look Ahead

- Additional participant comments, ideas, issues
- Next steps

1:55 Closing Remarks/Adjournment