

## Goals and Actions

### Top Recommended Goals and Actions

The following projects and initiatives represent the Village’s priority actions to move forward in the next five years. The first recommendation ensures that the plan has a formal path forward. The rest of the order is based on an implementation strategy that is designed to keep the plan active through the excitement and involvement of the community. A few projects are already in motion and will receive a major boost through the support of the plan. The overall strategy is to select projects that have high impact, are financially feasible, and have strong backing from the community.

### Goals and Recommended Actions

#### 1. Economic Development

**Goal: Stimulate Business Development**

*Objectives:*

**Recommended Actions:**

<b>Priority Project:</b> <b>Implementation Strategy:</b> <b>Estimated Cost:</b>
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**Goal: Build a Distinctive and Sustainable Tourism Strategy**

*Objectives:*

- *Expand/enhance the interpretive story of Schuylerville. Tie all museums and landmarks together into a cohesive, distinctive interpretive story.*

**Recommended Actions:**

<b>Priority Project:</b> <b>Implementation Strategy:</b> <b>Estimated Cost:</b>
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#### 2. Community Services (Youth, Childcare, Housing, Communications)

**Goal: Encourage Young Families to Become Long-term Residents**

*Objectives:*

**Recommended Actions:**

<b>Priority Project:</b> <b>Implementation Strategy:</b> <b>Estimated Cost:</b>
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## 3. Infrastructure and Climate Resiliency

Goal:

*Objectives:*

Recommended Actions:

Priority Project: Implementation Strategy: Estimated Cost:
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## 4. Capital Improvements

Goal: Improve Overall Infrastructure

*Objectives:*

Recommended Actions:

Priority Project: Implementation Strategy: Estimated Cost:
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## 5. Parks and Recreation

Goal: Meet the Recreational Needs of Residents and Visitors

*Objectives:*

Recommended Actions:

Priority Project: Implementation Strategy: Estimated Cost:
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## 6. Land Use and Zoning

Goal: Modernize Zoning Code and Remove Unnecessary Obstacles to Growth and Development

*Objectives:*

- *Clear up code inconsistencies and update with state and county laws.*
- *Remove unnecessary obstacles in the zoning code to encourage the redevelopment of dilapidated and vacant properties.*

Recommended Actions:

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**Priority Project:**  
**Implementation Strategy:**  
**Estimated Cost:**

## 7. Historic and Cultural Resources

**Goal: Preserve and protect the historic and cultural resources in the community.**

**Objectives**

- *Continue to protect, promote, and enhance all local historic resources.*
- *Encourage adaptive re-use of historic structures, utilizing environmentally sustainable materials and technologies where feasible.*
- *Expand/enhance the interpretive story of Schuylerville.*

**Recommended Actions:**

- Apply for funding to develop a Certified Local Government Plan where local communities make a commitment to national historic preservation standards and prepare a Historic Preservation Ordinance.
- Take an inventory of historic buildings and landmarks that could potentially be nominated on the National Historic Register or made need some other means of special protection. In addition to the inventory and mapping of historic features the recommendations of the survey should outline the strategies for the further identification and management of these village wide assets, the range of governance strategies, and benefits of tax credits and funding alternatives.

**Priority Project: HISTORIC AND CULTURAL INTERPRETIVE STRATEGY**

Tie the museums, landmarks, and other special places together into a cohesive, distinctive interpretive story. Develop a set of materials, programs, and events that will work together with existing tourism strategies.

**Implementation Strategy:**

**Estimated Cost:**

## 8. Natural Resources

**Goal: Protect and Improve the Condition of All Waterbodies and Green Spaces.**

**Objective:**

**Recommended Actions:**

- *Continue to assess the condition and needs of the Hudson River, Champlain Canal, Old Champlain Canal and mitigate issues as feasible.*
- Apply for funding to develop a Certified Local Government Plan where local communities make a commitment to national historic preservation standards and prepare a Historic Preservation Ordinance.
- Take an inventory of historic buildings and landmarks that could potentially be nominated on the National Historic Register or made need some other means of special protection. In addition to the inventory and mapping of historic features the

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<p><b>Priority Project:</b> <b>Implementation Strategy:</b> <b>Estimated Cost: \$</b></p>
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### 9. Health and Emergency Services

**Goal:**

*Objective:*

**Recommended Actions:**

<p><b>Priority Project:</b> <b>Implementation Strategy:</b> <b>Estimated Cost: \$</b></p>
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