

Town of Birchwood
Results of Issues Identification Process
January 16, 2002

Housing

- 1) Accelerated lakeshore development
- 2) Disability/handicapped/elderly housing
- 3) Abandoned eyesores
- 4) Mobile homes
- 5) Size (sq. ft.)

Transportation

- 1) Tax base for roads
- 2) Elderly transport
- 3) Neglected roads
- 4) Dirt left on road from gravel pit
- 5) Speeding
- 6) Recreational (off-road) vehicles
- 7) Continuation of CTH T (north) to CTH B
- 8) Recreational vehicles on town roads
- 9) Cooperation with other clubs for master plan

Utility & Community Facilities

- 1) Need for utility corridor master plan
- 2) Work with non-profit organizations
- 3) Ambulance services-access to recreational accidents
- 4) Health facilities-clinic
- 5) Recycling facilities
- 6) Disposal facilities
- 7) Billboards/Signs

Agricultural, Natural, & Cultural Resources

- 1) Factory farms-pollution from them

Economic Development

- 1) Plan to show what area can support
- 2) Small business (specialty industries) manufacturing-clean manufacturing
- 3) Man-power for resort owners
- 4) Industrial park-technical businesses
- 5) Infrastructure for industrial park
- 6) Committee to search for grants

Land Use

- 1) Logging practices
- 2) Ingress/egress through public & private lands

- 3) Recreation on county forestland
- 4) Gravel pits-dip below H₂O level for gravel

Intergovernmental Cooperation

- 1) County committees continually supercede Town decisions
- 2) The undermining for local decisions
- 3) Local standards should be observed by county if higher standards
- 4) Sharing equipment and services
- 5) Reciprocity for services i.e.-road maintenance
- 6) More formal agreements between governments