

Town of Minong
Results of Issues Identification Process
January 14, 2002

Housing

- 1) Housing affordability
- 2) Range of housing values, housing choices
- 3) Inconsistent zoning enforcement / Enforcement of building codes
- 4) Shoreland zoning
- 5) Health aspects – unauthorized dumps
- 6) Property tax too high, tax not shared equally

Transportation

- 1) Sand Roads – prefer other surface type

Utilities and Community Facilities

Agricultural, Cultural and Natural Resources

- 1) Effects of lakeshore development
- 2) Failing septic systems
- 3) Coordinate jurisdictions responsible for septic systems
- 4) County standards (zoning code) insufficient
- 5) Shared use of trails (ATV's skiing)
- 6) Expansion of existing trail networks
- 7) Lake multi-use (jet-ski's and other uses)
- 8) Bear hunting dogs, trespassing issue
- 9) Habitat loss / Protection related to development
- 10) Logging aesthetics
- 11) County logging practice and procedure (on county forest lands)

Economic Development

Intergovernmental Cooperation

- 1) Expand cooperation with county – all government offices and functions
- 2) Coordination with state on billboard siting along Hwy 53
- 3) Review existing relationships with other jurisdictions

Land Use

- 1) Utilization of county lands
- 2) Personal junkyards
- 3) Lack of enforcement of zoning codes
- 4) Adherence to non-metallic mining regulations
- 5) Recreational opportunities – availability, access, and use conflict