

## MEETING SUMMARY NOTES

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### Comprehensive Plan Advisory Group Meeting #8

Date: Wednesday, June 25, 2008  
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
Location: Pinal County Government Complex  
31 N. Pinal; Building F; Florence  
Purpose: Draft Plan Presentation

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**Handouts:** Agenda, Meeting Summary Notes from March CPAG meeting

#### Participants

Gordon Brown  
Art Celaya  
Kathleen Esposito  
Franklin Jones  
Ron Rickel  
Charlie Weaver

#### Staff Present

Jerry Stabley, Pinal County Community Development Director  
Curt Dunham, Project Consultant, Partners for Strategic Action, Inc.

Meeting was called to order at approximately 6:10 p.m.

#### **Welcome and Project Overview**

Jerry Stabley welcomed members of the CPAG, reviewed the progress of the Comprehensive Project to date, and asked members if they had any comments or changes in the meeting notes from the March 2008 meeting. There were none.

#### **60 Day Review Draft Plan Presentation**

Curt Dunham of PSA, the project consultant, delivered a Powerpoint presentation highlighting the key aspects of the 60 Day Review Draft Comprehensive Plan. The presentation stressed the key concepts of how land use, transportation, and economic development must all be equal considerations in future decisions.



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After completion of the presentation, CPAG members discussed what they had just reviewed and provided recommendations for moving forward.

### **Discussion Points**

- Focus on economic development and specifically on where new jobs will be created was unanimously agreed as an important concept.
- Felt the future transportation network that included other modes was a big improvement over current planning.
- Thought the plan was very appropriate based on the recent rise in energy prices.
- Expressed a desire to meet again to review the text of the document.
- Expressed a desire to participate in endorsing the draft plan to the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors stressing that this plan needs to be adopted as soon as possible.
- Expressed an appreciation on the quality work done by staff and the consultant team, felt the plan was well done and a reflection of the input provided by the public.

### **Next Steps**

CPAG members will be provided with the Draft Plan and are to review prior to the next CPAG meeting on July 30, 2008 from 6 to 8 p.m. CPAG members are to come to this meeting with specific questions and suggestions.

### **Meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.**

These meeting summary notes reflect the notes taken by Partners for Strategic Action, Inc. during the meeting. If corrections are needed, please provide those recommendations as soon as possible, preferably within two weeks of receipt of these notes.

