

Workshop for Dakota County Communities

# Planning for Resilient Cities

Wednesday June 28, 2017

Apple Valley Senior Center

14601 Hayes Rd, Apple Valley, MN 55124

Both Sessions are open to All. Choose the time that is best for you!

1:00 to 4:30pm - City Staff Workshop

5:00 to 6:00pm - Networking Reception

6:00 to 8:30pm - Community Workshop

FREE Event, please [RSVP on line](#) at

<http://allianceforsustainability.com/dakotaworkshop>

Co-sponsored by the Alliance for Sustainability, Dakota County, City of Apple Valley, MPCA, MN DNR, GPI, EOR, CEE, LHB Corp, Xcel Energy, Dakota Electric, U of MN



Learn in small groups with your peers from other cities

- New Mapping Tools to assess local opportunities & challenges
- Example comprehensive plan goals/strategies from cities
- New Implementation Resources

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**ENERGY local, clean, ADAPTATION/Water Quality, HEALTH Active Living, Food Access, Economic Inclusion**



1:00 to 4:30pm **Workshop for City Staff** New Comprehensive Planning Resources

1:00 pm **City Updates** - staff will share their next steps & emerging themes

1:30 pm **New Resilience Planning Resources** – partners will share the new planning and mapping tools, sample comp plan language & implementation resources

- **Energy** – Brian Ross, GPI - Community Energy Profiles, Planning Templates Wedge Tool, Tim Doherty, Dakota Electric – efficiency, wind, solar, EV programs
- **Transportation futures** - autonomous vehicles, EVs, active living, Tom Fischer, U of MN Design Center Jess Luce, Dakota County Communities for a Life Time,
- **Adaptation / Surface Water Plans** – Leslie Yetka, Fresh Water Society, flood vulnerability mapping, Surface Water Plans, MIDS, green infrastructure funding
- **Health, Active Living, Food Access** - Mary Montagne, Dakota County – city specific data, sample plan language, Nadja Bernachy Food Access Planning Guide

2:15 pm – **Small Group Discussions (Energy, Adaptation/Water, Health)** – explore how you can use these resources in your city with peers from other cities

**Mapping Existing Conditions, Sample Plan Language, New Implementation Tools**

3:45 pm – **Reconvene** to share insights and next steps from the breakout sessions

4:30pm to 6pm – Reception and Networking Time with food sponsored by local businesses



6:00 to 8:30 pm **Community Workshop** New Comprehensive Plan Resources

6:00 pm – **City Updates** – commission volunteers from each city will share updates

6:20 pm – **New Resilience Planning Resources** – partners will share the new planning and mapping tools, sample comp plan language & implementation resources

7:00 pm – **Small Group Discussions (Energy, Adaptation/Water, Health)** – explore how you can use these resources in your city with peers from other cities

**Mapping Existing Conditions, Sample Plan Language, New Implementation Tools**

8:15 pm – **Reconvene** to share insights and next steps from the breakout sessions



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