



Building a Sustainable Auburn City of Auburn, New York Comprehensive Plan

December 2009
Adopted 01.21.2010



Building A Sustainable Auburn
City of Auburn, New York
Comprehensive Plan

Acknowledgements

Elected Officials

Michael Quill, Mayor
Gilda Brower, City Councilor
Matthew Smith, City Councilor
William Graney, City Councilor
Thomas McNabb, City Councilor

Planning Board

Sam Giangreco, Chair
Anthony Bartolotta
John Breanick
Christopher DeProspero
Anne McCarthy
Frank Reginelli
Allen Zentner

Comprehensive Plan Advisory Committee

Gwen Webber-McLeod, Co-chair
Karin Moskov, Co-chair
Anthony Bartolotta
Gilda Brower
Carey Eidel
Beth Hoey
Ginny Kent
Jessie Kline
Linda Murphy
Mike Rifanburg
Stephanie Schuster
Meg Vanek

City Staff

Mark Palesh, City Manager
Jennifer Haines, Director, Office of Planning and Economic Development
Stephen Selvek, Senior Planner, Office of Planning and Economic Development
Crystal Purcell, Program Manager, Office of Planning and Economic Development

Comprehensive Plan Consultants

SARATOGA
ASSOCIATES

Saratoga Associates
443 Broadway, Saratoga Springs, New York 12866
Tel 518.587.2550 Fax 518.587.2564



Building A Sustainable Auburn City of Auburn, New York Comprehensive Plan

Table of Contents

1. Executive Summary	1
2. Boosting Downtown	13
3. Revitalizing Neighborhoods	31
4. Shaping Business Growth Across Auburn	61
5. Creating a Welcoming Community	83
6. Re-engaging the Owasco River	93
7. Simplifying and Improving Development	107
8. Realizing the Vision – Plan Implementation	117

This comprehensive plan has been formatted for double-sided printing.
Please consider the environment before printing this document.