

GUILFORD COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN
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Governmental Coordination Element

Policy #	Narrative	Responsible Party	Implementation Date	Status	Notes
1.1.1	Coordinate Planning and Environmental Health Department review and approval procedures and regulations to provide consistent, efficient and timely responses to projects serviced by private septic and/or well systems.	Environmental Health/ Planning	On-going	On-going	Monthly meetings are held to discuss issues of mutual interest and to resolve inconsistencies in regulations.
1.1.2	Advocate endorsement and implementation of a single, integrated geographical information system platform (ESRI) for Guilford County applications in conjunction with the Information Services and Tax Departments.	IS/Tax/Planning	Beginning Fall 2006	Complete	ESRI conversion complete.
1.1.3	Expand upon the availability and delivery of essential public services provided by Guilford County in conjunction with land use petitions and application presentations.	Planning Dept./Service Providers	Winter 2007 (see Housing Objective 2.2)	Active	Staff has been working with emergency management agencies in an effort to modify addressing and street naming standards to best ensure timely emergency response.
1.1.4	Investigate in conjunction with the Guilford County Public Schools collaborative school siting planning and evaluation methods currently utilized in other North Carolina counties.	Planning Staff/School District	initiate Winter 2007 (see Future Land Use policy 1.2.3)	Active	Staff to Staff dialog initiated
1.2.1	Continue to provide sound planning and inspection services to our town partners.	Planning & Dev. Staff	Ongoing	On-going	Services provided under annual contracts with our Town Partners
1.2.2	Coordinate comprehensive planning efforts with Greensboro, High Point, incorporated towns, and neighboring counties to promote thoughtful and complementary land development patterns and policies.	Planning Department/ Partners	Ongoing (See Future Land Use policy 1.4.1)	On-going	
1.2.3	Initiate, in concert with identified partners, other non-land use related Comprehensive Plan policies/actions within stated implementation timeframes.	Planning Department/ Partners	Per specific policy timeframe	On-going	

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1.2.4	Explore with neighboring Inspections Departments and Community Colleges the opportunity to establish a Triad location (with instructors) to provide local continuing education seminars for inspection staff.	Inspection Departments	Fall 2006	Active	Arrangements are in place for inspector training with the cities of High Point and Burlington
1.2.5	Complement the Airport Authority's (PTIA) planning efforts to minimize impacts on surrounding neighborhoods and promote non-residential growth efforts within the airport noise cone as depicted on the Airport Area Plan, as amended.	Planning Department	On-going (See Transportation policy 2.1.3)	On-going	
1.3.1	Strengthen involvement in regional transportation planning efforts by participating in the Technical Coordinating Committees of Guilford County's three MPOs (Greensboro MPO, High Point MPO, Burlington-Graham MPO).	Planning Department	On-going	On-going	Sr. Planner Bill Bruce represents Guilford County on all three MPO Technical Committees
1.3.2	Establish Staff/PTCOG liaison to coordinate demographic database accessibility through the Department's website and assist with 2010 census requirements.	Planning Department/ PTCOG	Fall 2007	On-going	Website access complete. GIS and Planning Staff to begin Census 10-07
1.3.3	Provide policy and technical assistance and staff support for regional land use planning efforts, such as the Heart of the Triad Master Plan.	Planning Department/ CED/PART	On-going (See Transportation policy 2.1.2)	On-going	Planning Staff attend and support the current HOT initiative
1.3.4	Continue to implement the recommendations of the Guilford County Open Space Report.	P & D/Open Space Committee/ Piedmont Land Conservancy	On-going	On-going	

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