



## **San Marcos Planning Committee Meeting #8 Meeting Summary 9.26.18**

### **Introductions and Committee Participation**

The San Marcos Planning Committee convened for the eighth meeting in the San Marcos Community Planning Process, authorized by Resolution 2017-93. The group has 85 members who receive all invitations and updates and about 25 members usually attend. The process is open at all times to new people who want to participate. The September meeting was attended by fourteen members and two staff.

### **Planning Process Overview**

Staff reviewed the planning process to date, especially the initial matrix made by the group to identify Issues, Visions and Connecting Actions (how to get from the Issue to the Vision). These items started from the very first meeting in the District on February 7<sup>th</sup>, when a public meeting was held at the Turquoise Trail Charter School gym. The group has subsequently developed write-ups of sections, including Land Use, Cultural Resources, and Natural Resources, among others. At this point in the plan, we are bringing the Issues, Visions and Connecting Actions back into the section write-ups so that the San Marcos Plan can be implemented and achieve the community vision.

### **Group Activity: Addressing Issues, Visions and Connecting Actions through Sections Write-ups**

The group worked on the Natural Resources and Agricultural Resources sections, identifying which Issue, Vision and Connecting Actions statements applied to the respective sections. By grouping the Vision statements into categories, staff identified goals, which were then vetted by the group. These goals were used to evaluate the Connecting Actions, as they apply to the sections. The group discussed action steps for each goal within the Natural Resources and Agriculture sections.

The next Committee meeting will be on Wednesday, October 24<sup>th</sup>. All current materials related to the planning process can be found on the website:

[https://www.santafecountynm.gov/growth\\_management/community\\_planning\\_center/san\\_marcos](https://www.santafecountynm.gov/growth_management/community_planning_center/san_marcos)