Lake Orono Action Plan (draft 1/1/15)

Mission Statement: Abounding in natural beauty, Elk River is a vibrant, historic rivertown that promotes an active lifestyle in an innovative and involved community offering unlimited opportunities.

			Responsible Party	Percent complete			
Goal: Community Development- Enhance and Expand community involvement and public participation through a variety of innovative outlets				25	50	75	100
	Action Steps	Proposed Tasks/Desired Outcomes					
A1	**Evaluate existing programs and services.**	Review programs for three tests: 1. Required/ Mandated/ core service, 2. Quality of Life, 3. Service that others provide					
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B12	**Promote community brand.**	Inject/ preserve nature in visible ways					
B13	**Promote community brand.**	Promote interactions with rivers					
Goal: Beautification- Have attractive, welcoming streetscapes at City entrances and primary corridors. Enforce Zoning Ordinances							
	Action Steps	Proposed Tasks/Desired Outcomes					
C9	**Improve Water Quality**	Maintain or improve lake water clarity, health, depth and safety					
		Reduce sedimentation and improve water quality by implementing the stormwater management plan and BMPs					
		Improve lake navigation and recreational use by reducing sedimentation loading					
		Improve lake navigation and recreational use by reducing Curly-leaf pondweed					
		Improve lake navigation and recreational use by reducing native plant overgrowth					
		Improve lake navigation and recreational use by reducing Algae proliferation					
		Incorporate lake water quality, navigation and recreational use maintenance or improvement planning in the Comprehensive Plan and Park Master Plan					
		Maintain or improve lake fisheries					
Goal: Planning and Positioning. Employ resources toward long range benefit to the community.							
	Action Steps	Proposed Tasks/Desired Outcomes					
E1	**Complete comprehensive plans**	Complete the Comprehensive Plan update					
E2		Complete the Park Master Plan					
E5		Adhere to plans and studies					