

#### Welcome!

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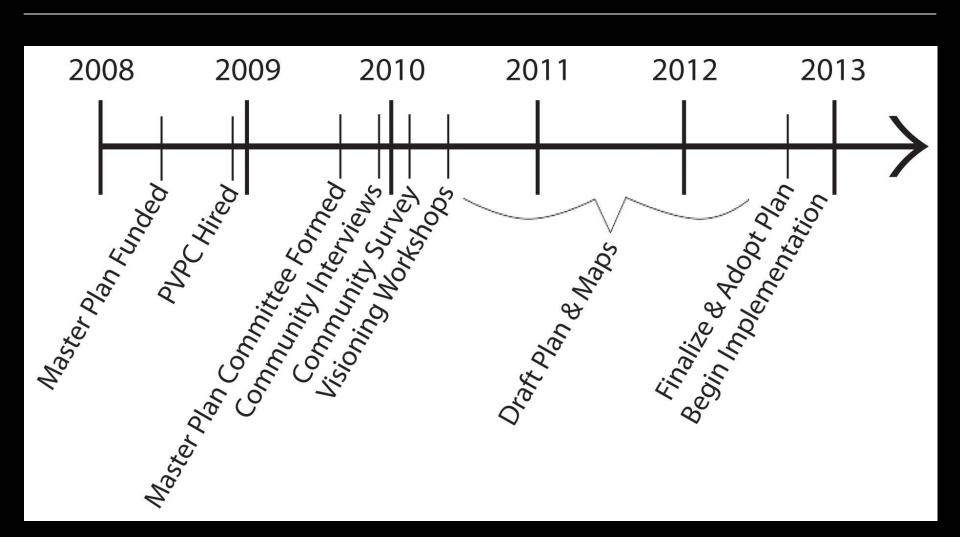
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## Visioning Workshops Overview

- What is a Master Plan?
  - Blueprint for the future
    - Describes a long-term vision and how to achieve it
  - Guides zoning changes, capital improvements budgeting, decision-making
  - Addresses:
    - Land use, housing, natural resources, transportation, public services, facilities
      - Also: economic development, historic and cultural resources, energy and food

# Southampton 2030 Planning for the Future

#### Master Plan Process



# Visioning Workshops Overview

- Opportunity for community to discuss future of Southampton
  - Input used to develop Master Plan
- Basic Format
  - Short presentations
  - Small group discussions
  - Report back to the larger group
- What to Expect
  - Challenging and respectful discussion
  - Hard work
  - Fun

## Visioning Workshops Overview

Day 1: Opening Night & Visioning

You Are Here!

- Keynote Speaker
- Discuss Opportunities & Constraints
- Visioning Exercise

Day 2: Major Topics (Saturday @ 9 a.m.)

Day 3: Workshop Results, Alternative Growth Scenarios & Key Areas (Next Wednesday @ 6 p.m.)



Keynote Speaker: Catherine Ratté, PVPC

# Ground Rules for Small Group Discussions

#### Guiding Principle: Mutual Respect of All Participants

- Listen carefully to others. Do not interrupt or dominate the discussion. Everyone's opinions and feelings are important.
- Respect other points of view, even if you don't agree.
- > Speak openly and honestly from personal experience.
- > Do not criticize other people or rehash past conflicts.
- ➤ Don't argue over facts. Agree to disagree until an answer is found.
- ➤ When disagreement occurs, acknowledge that conflicts exist and try to understand the other point of view.
- Focus on areas of agreement and try to expend them.
- Keep an open mind.

# Southampton 2030 Planning for the Future

# Wrap-Up



Day 1: Opening Night & Visioning



Day 2: Major Topics (Saturday @ 9 a.m.) (short presentations and small group discussions)

- Land Use, Transportation & Housing
- Open Space, Agriculture, Cultural & Historic Resources
- Public Services, Infrastructure & Economic Development



#### Day 3: Workshop Results, Alternative Scenarios & Key Areas

- Presentation of what we've learned from the workshops
- Discussion of alternative future growth scenarios, future land use map
- Key areas design activity: looking at the Village Center and Route 10