

SUSTAINABILITY

17 responses

More stores (because they have been taken away from us) and we need more variety of stores. A movie theater.

Public compost zone

More residential small wind, solar; same for businesses

More stores and more places where we can have fun, for example one of the parks can have a drive-in movie theater cinema). Free Wi-fi

Finish East View Drive in NE Corner of City

Deliberate development with paired retail/recreation. Individual business/open space in the downtown area - support each other

More affordable prices to rent or buy a home. For people of low resources/low income

Old/age housing renovations; multi-use housing via more spacious lot planning

Make community appeal to families & visitors

More rental units

Affordable housing on west end of Faribault

Solar plant (even if it was small) so that we could have more lighting in our streets near to Cannon River Park or at the park entrance.

Sustainable downtown: vibrant downtown with amenities & business enough to attract more office based/creative jobs & companies

More help for improving health. Have improved public lighting. Places where young people can have fun (Healthy mind). Free Wi-fi.

Improved recycling & renewable energy sources (wind, solar, water)

No more landfill: burn trash for energy

Capitalize on historic sites

Recycling downtown and at all gas stations!!!

Invest in wind energy & solar; green building incentives for local businesses

New community center to bring more young families to town. Located in North Alexander

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CONNECTIVITY & TRANSPORTATION

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Restore the promenades and prune the very large trees.

Driving classes in Spanish & Spanish speaking transportation for people who cannot drive.

More bike lanes (paths)

"Off" trail bike trails

Bike lanes connecting west of Hwy 21 and east of Hwy 21: bine lane / pedestrian bridge or tunnel

Bike lanes on city streets

A pedestrian bridge so that the youth, children, and all could cross from Cannon River park to the other side of the road street (by Burger King) without any danger.

Hour bike rentals

Light rail or other mass transportation system to Twin Cities

Transportation to be able to attend programs offered by the community.

More accessible modes of public transportation.

Uber / Lyft; cars that drive themselves

Improve parking downtown for accessibility

Bike trails & bike lanes - connect Sakatah trail to Mill Town to Cannon Falls

More sidewalks/safe paths to walk

Get bike trail built: connect Faribault & Cannon Falls

Secure bicycle parking at local restaurants & shopping areas

OPEN SPACE & NATURE ASSETS

17 responses

Splash pad

Maintain Downtown

Fund electric golf cars @ Nature Center: mobility & access

Bike track / park always open to public

Convert old railways to walking & biking trails

Community gardens to be used for teaching, growing, nutrition, cooking - a place to bring cultures together to see what they do

18+ Disc golf; alcohol n' tubing on rivers

More connections (sidewalks) more paths to be able to walk in the parks. More games for disabled people (things to entertain themselves).

Tours for elderly at nature center, with electronic golf carts

Have more games in the parks for children with special needs. More fun places/activities for teenagers or youth.

Bishop Whipple Days - events to draw people into community (not related to alcohol)

More stores

Community space / green space for festivals & entertainment

Designed access to Straight River from Teepee Tonka through 14th; more access from Glenview to Teepee Tonka

More bat homes, less bugs

More parks by Cannon River, near Depot...river walk district?

Beer garden

LIVING & DWELLING

10 responses

More opportunities for people to afford to buy a home

Have an emergency refuge in the trailer parks to feel a bit of security other than staying in cardboard houses

Opportunities to have better housing choices

Tiny house development

Grants & materials for for "urban renewal" - renovating & repairing homes & other buildings to current code/standards

61 ideas for the City of Faribault!