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The Village of Kimberly and the Village of Combined Locks are continuing development of a Comprehensive Plan 2030 plan.

The Villages of Combined Locks and Kimberly will be holding their third meeting since beginning a 15 month long Comprehensive Plan development process in which a joint committee of their respective Plan Commissions, and staff, are working with the East Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission to develop a planning vision for the two established communities. The Village of Kimberly and the Village of Combined Locks Planning Commissions will be meeting jointly to review and discuss the results of the February 16th visioning session which involved residents and interested individuals from both communities. This upcoming session will be held in the Community Room at the Combined Locks Civic Center on **Wednesday, February 20th, 2008, at 6:00 PM. The Combined Locks Civic Center is located at 405 Wallace Street in the Village of Combined Locks.**

All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and listen or participate in the discussion of the results of the visioning process. The visioning session was well attended and included a broad cross section of the community population including, men, women, young people, seniors, etc. A summary overview of the visioning results will be provided by East Central Wisconsin RPC staff and will be available as a handout. A discussion of the results by the joint Committee will be facilitated by ECWRPC staff. A land use map which reflects a composite of the five discussion tables will be available for viewing and will be used by East Central Wisconsin RPC staff to stimulate a discussion of possible visions and goals for each community. Goals may address future opportunities and planning issues/challenges to be addressed in the plan. Issues may include: providing for future public services, civic and recreational needs, economic development and/or redevelopment possibilities and related land use issues may be covered.

Citizens are welcome to attend meetings which will be posted on the village websites www.vokimberly.org and www.combinedlocks.org and also can be found on the ECWRPC website, and through village website links that lead to <http://www.eastcentralrpc.org/planKimberlyCombinedLocks>. Interested residents can also be involved or follow the process by checking the ECWRPC website for current project news.

