

## Directions

Based on the feedback that we received from the Public Furturing Sessions and High School meetings, please review the following vision statement and determine if it needs changing. If so, please provide your changes in the space provided below or on the back of this page. Please submit your responses to Brian Reed by March 14, 2007.

## Common Vision

The Eaton Rapids Area will retain its rural character, centered around agricultural activities, with the City as the commercial, industrial and service center. The Area will provide a quality living environment for all of its residents, including recreational, cultural and employment opportunities for its youth, retirement amenities for its senior citizens and thriving, clean industries and commerce as a viable economic base. The residents of the Eaton Rapids Area will be concerned about local issues of importance and be willing to become involved in the resolution of those issues. Cooperation among local units of government and institutions will be common place. The Area's greatest institutional assets, its schools and community hospital, will continuously improve to provide the best educational and medical services possible. Overall, the Eaton Rapids Area will be a vibrant place in which to live, work and play, while its natural resources and rural lifestyle will be preserved and protected.

## Changes

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