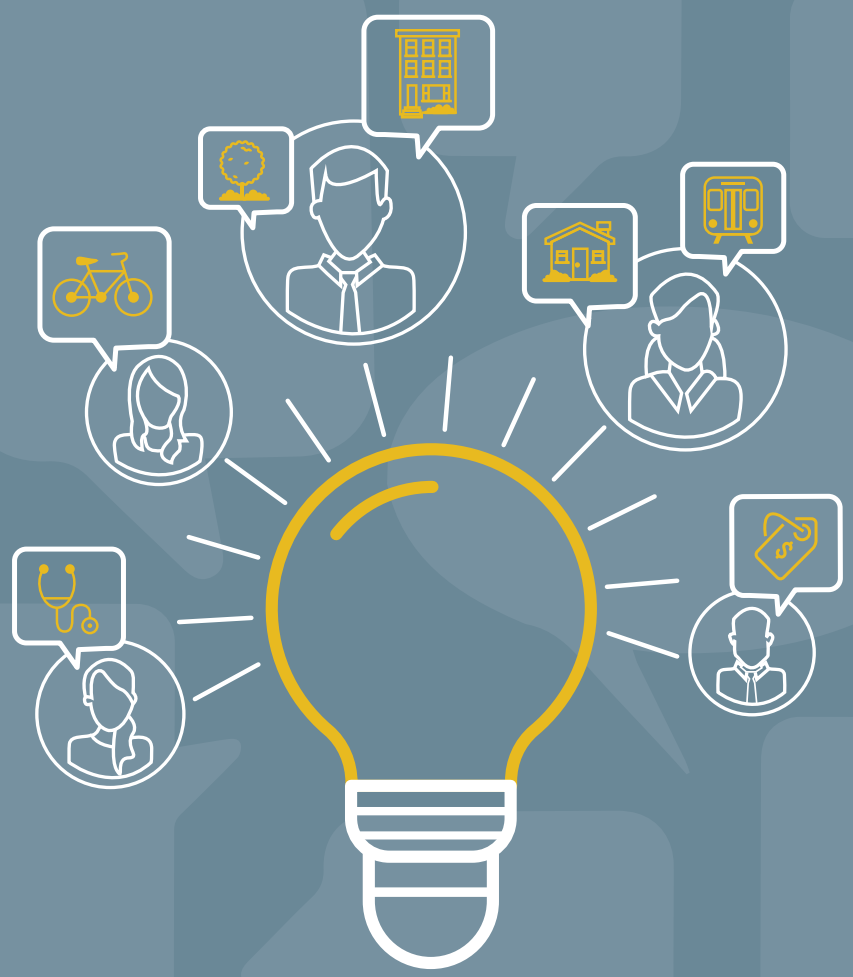

WILMINGTON

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Wednesday
March 22, 2017
6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Wilmington City Hall
1165 S. Water St.
Wilmington, IL 60481

What should Downtown Wilmington look like in 2030?

Share your thoughts and ideas!

Bring your friends and neighbors.

The City of Wilmington is leading an effort to develop a Downtown Plan, which will outline the community's vision for the future of the downtown as well as the policies and strategies that will allow it to achieve that vision. The Downtown Plan will highlight approaches to support economic growth and increase safety, connectivity, and ease of access along the two main corridors. The study area extends along IL Route 53, from Forked Creek to Island Park, and IL Route 102, from the Union Pacific Railroad to Wabash Street.

In addition to providing a roadmap to achieving Wilmington's community goals for the downtown, the Plan will explore changing community trends, identify emerging challenges, and promote new opportunities.

Please join us on **Wednesday, March 22,** for a public kick-off event. Share your concerns and ideas about how to make Downtown Wilmington a thriving, robust area. All residents, business owners, and other stakeholders from the community are invited to participate. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. and the meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. with a presentation followed by small-group activities.

For more information, contact Katanya Raby-Henry at **khenry@cmap.illinois.gov** or **312-386-8628**. If you are unable to join us for this meeting, please check the project web page at **http://cmap.is/lta-wilmington** for additional opportunities for engagement and to take an online survey.

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