



**WELCOME EVERYONE!**

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Planning Director  
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1. WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS

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## Acknowledgement and Introduction of Elected Officials and Steering Committee Members

2. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS



## The purpose of creating a master plan

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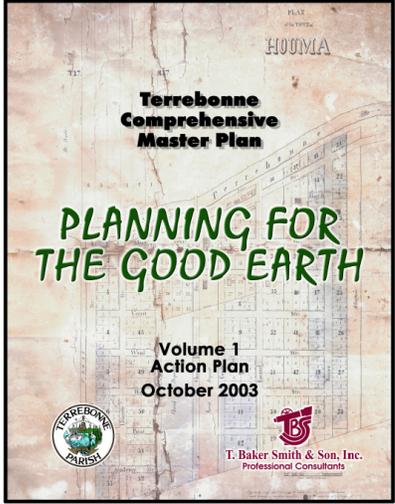
is to get the parish **ready**  
to **shape** change  
by taking advantage of **opportunities**  
and overcoming **challenges**  
to **achieve** the community's **resiliency**  
goals for its **future**.

3. PLAN INTRODUCTION



## WHY A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE?

- ❖ Parish adopted a Comprehensive Plan in 2004
- ❖ What has changed?
  - Planning Commission committed to a 5 year review
  - Most recommendations from 2004 Plan completed
  - 2005 and 2008 storms accelerated change
  - Continued population shifts from South Terrebonne to North Terrebonne Parish
  - Completion of Phases I and II of Plan Update November 2009



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## Dulac Levee



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## Parishwide Building Code Implementation

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## Public Investments



- ❖ Prospect Bridge - \$26.7 million six-lane bridge
  - Expected Completion in May 2012





## Investments continued...

- ❖ Thompson Road Extension & Levee



## Investments continued...

- ❖ In Construction:
  - ❖ Ashland Pump Station
  - ❖ Ashland Jail Levee
  - ❖ Industrial Avenue Levee
  - ❖ East Houma Surge Levee



- ❖ Future Projects:
  - ❖ Eastside Walking Tracks & Pavilion under Twin Spans

## Investments in Bayou Communities



### ❖ TPCG/FEMA Demolitions

- 188 structures demolished by TPCG contractors
- 72 structures mitigated by owners
- 744 total demolitions in 2009 and 2010



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## Investments continued...



### ❖ Derelict Vessels Removed

- 2009 : 40 vessels removed
- 2010: 22 vessels removed
- 2011: 41 vessels removed to date



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## Investments continued...



### ❖ Home Elevations

- Katrina/Rita Completion of Mitigation: **485 Structures**
- Gustav/Ike Completion of Mitigation: **324 Structures**

**Total Elevations: 809**



## Investment Impact



### ❖ Community Rating System (CRS)

- Currently lists Terrebonne Parish at a Class 7 level
- This is soon to change to a Class 6
- Every reduction in CRS ratings further decreases insurance rates in the parish



## Project Team

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-  **Providence Engineering & Environmental Group LLC**
- **Brown + Danos landdesign, inc.** 
- **Morris P. Hebert, Inc.** 
- **Franklin Industries, LLC** 

4. PLANNING EFFORT



**Providence Senior Planner  
Mart Black, AICP**      **NOVEMBER 2009**

**TERREBONNE PARISH  
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE Parts 1 & 2**

  
PROVIDENCE

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## Previous Efforts

### PART ONE – DATA COLLECTION/RESEARCH

- Outside Agency Interviews
- Parish Demographic Update
  - Population growth and shifts
  - Other socio-economic data

### PART TWO – INITIAL PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

- Citizen Survey
- Vision Statements
  - Parish-wide Visioning Sessions
  - Downtown SWOT and Visioning Statement

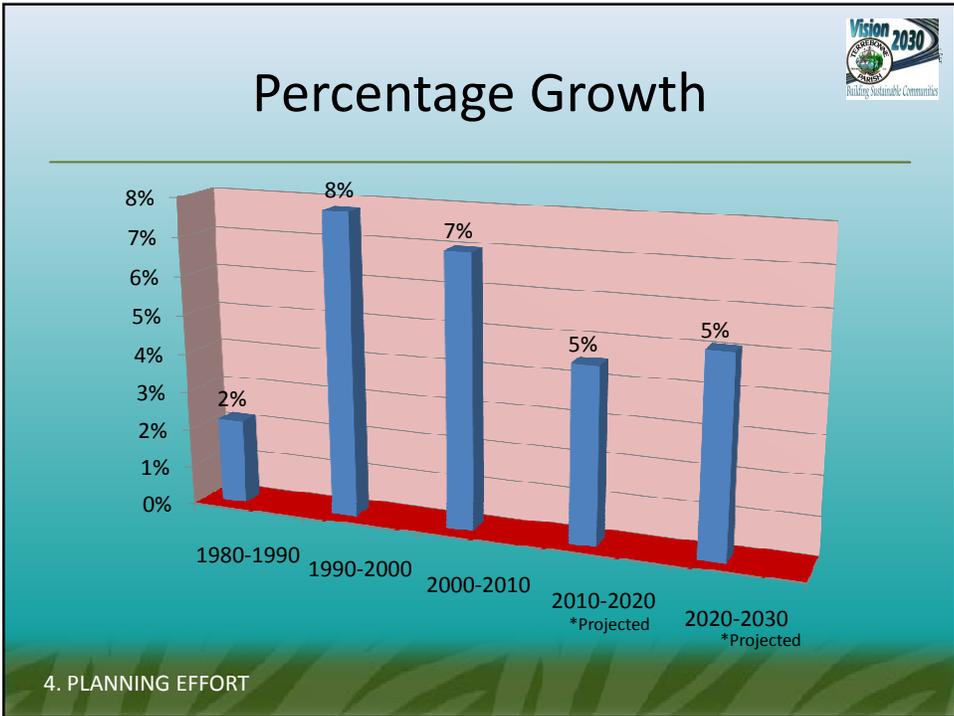
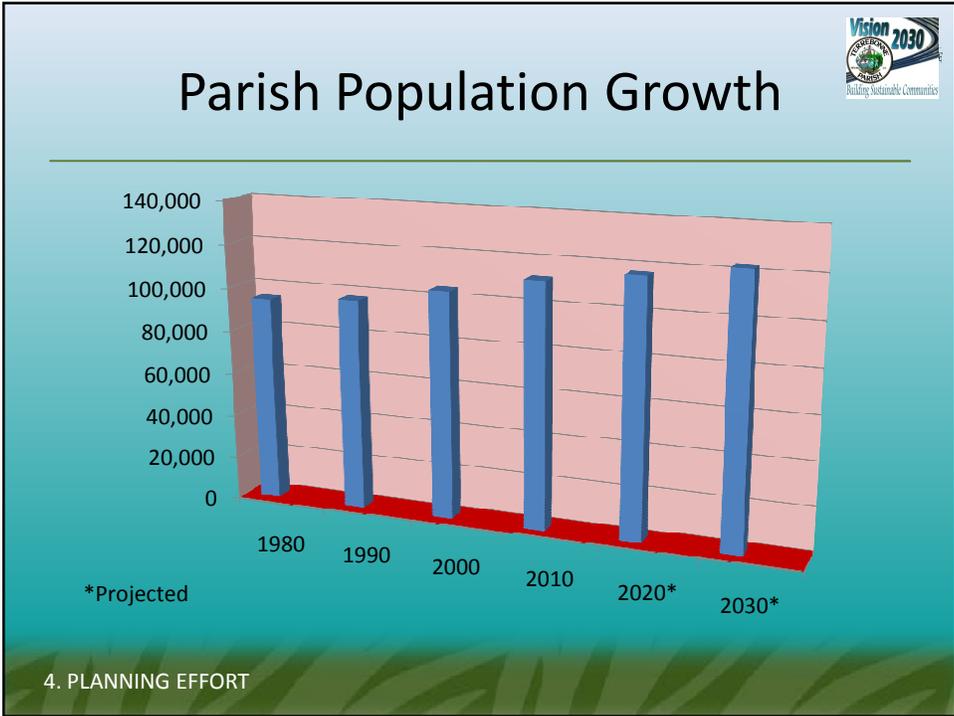
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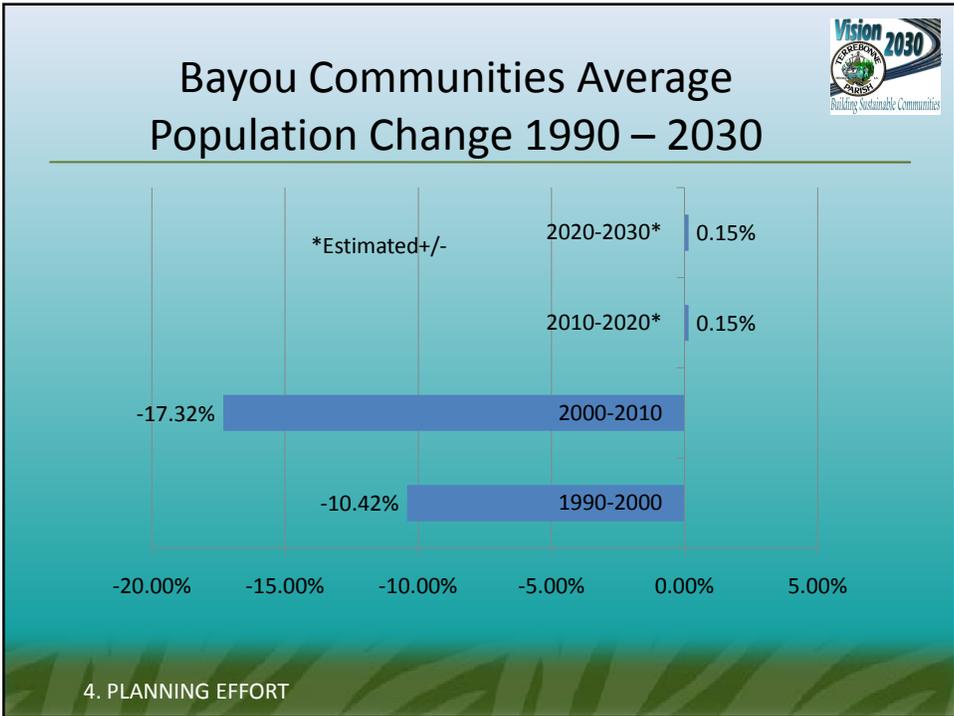
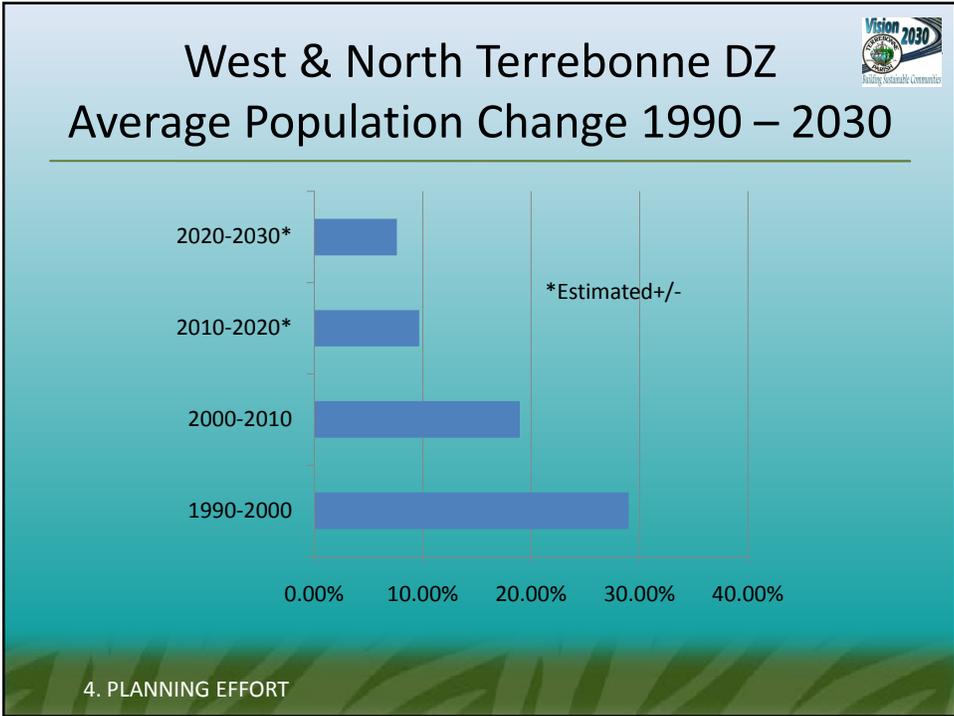


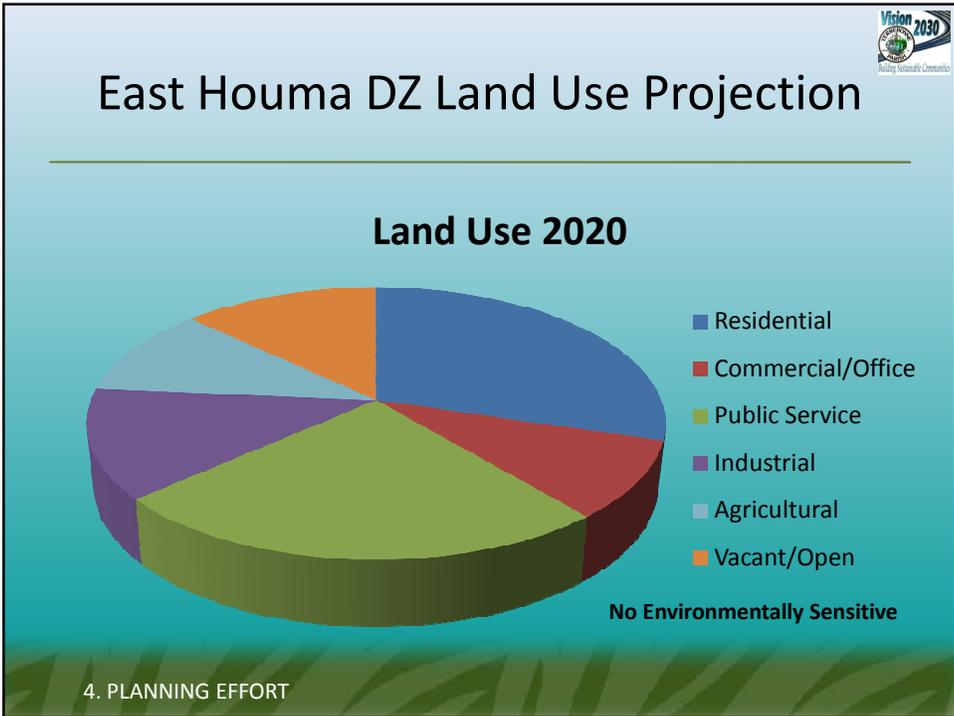
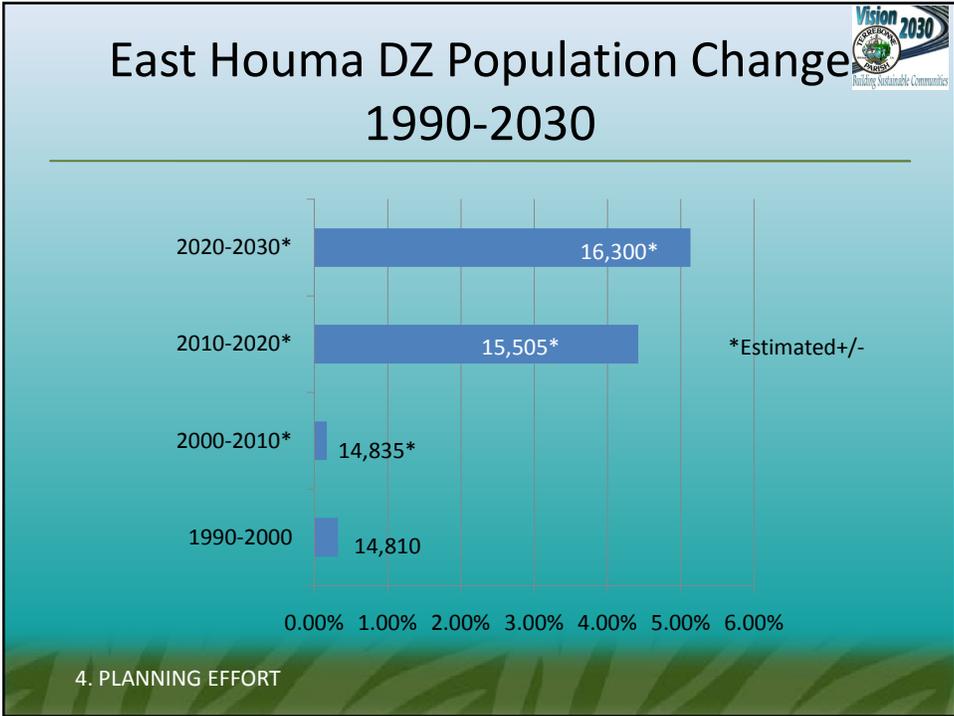
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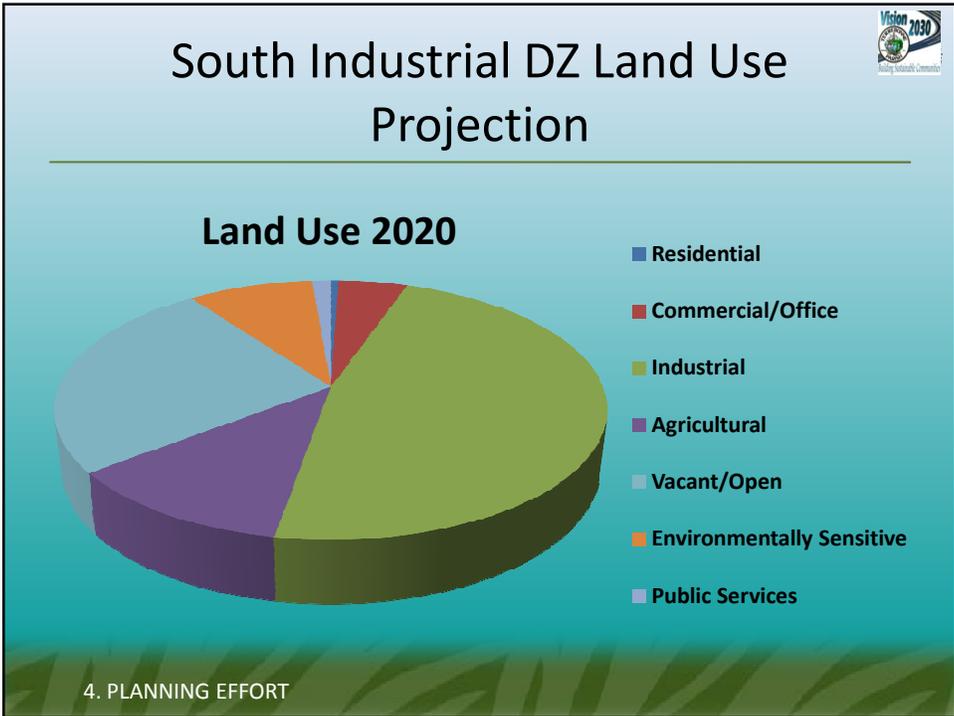
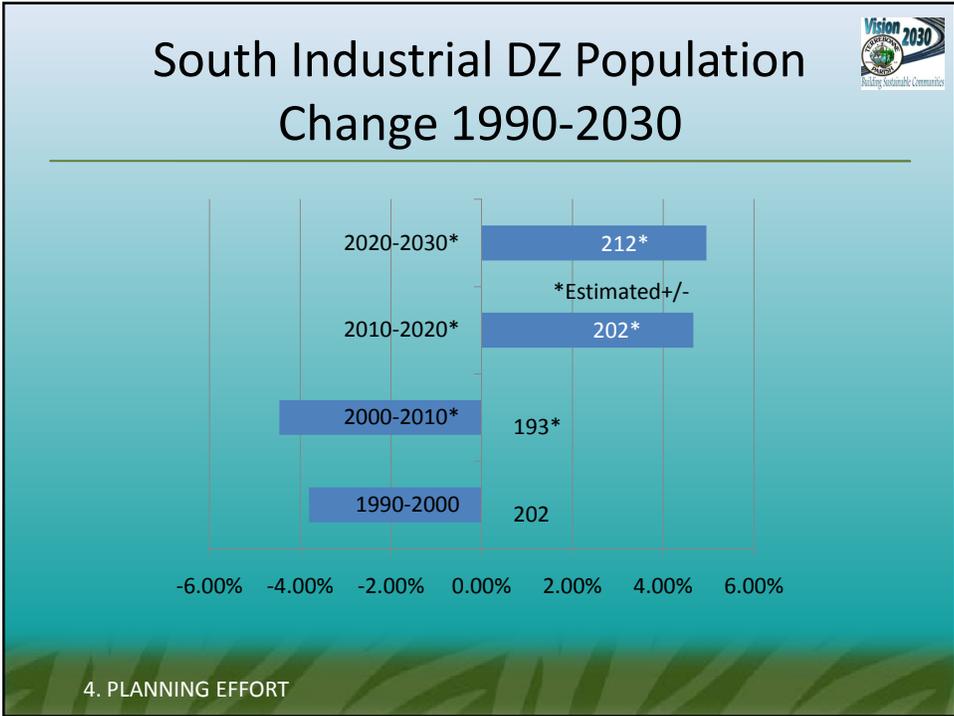
<b>Parish-wide Kickoff</b>	<b>May 2011</b>
<b>Round 1 Community Sessions</b>	<b>Summer 2011</b>
<b>Round 2 Community Sessions</b>	<b>Spring 2012</b>
<b>Parish-wide Draft Plan Review</b>	<b>Summer/Fall 2012</b>
<b>Planning Commission Adoption</b>	<b>Late Fall 2012</b>
<b>Parish Council Acceptance</b>	<b>Winter 2012</b>

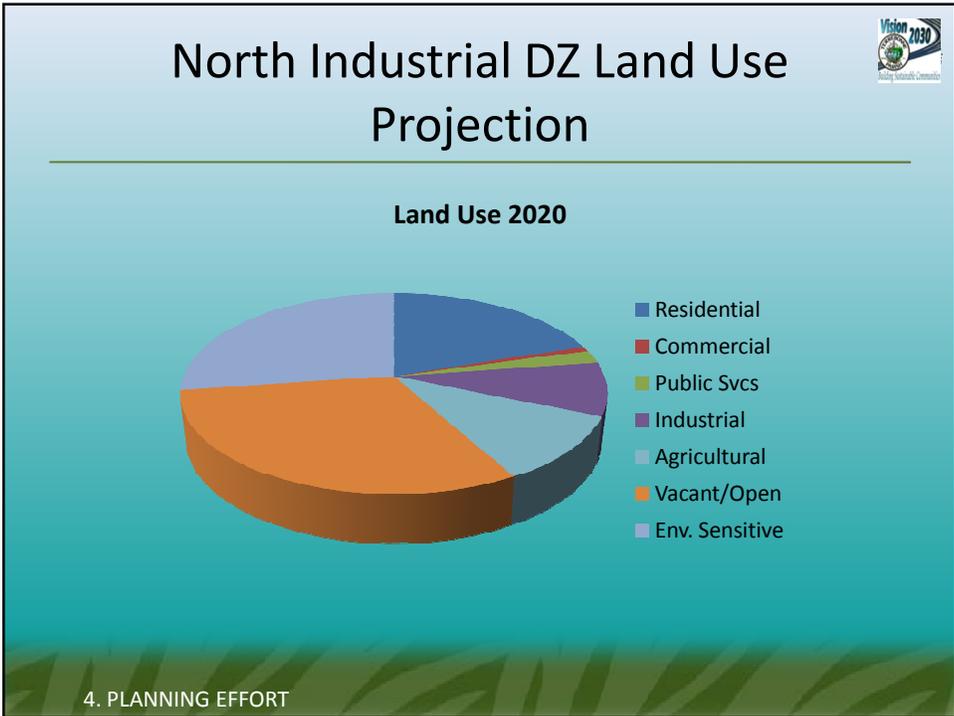
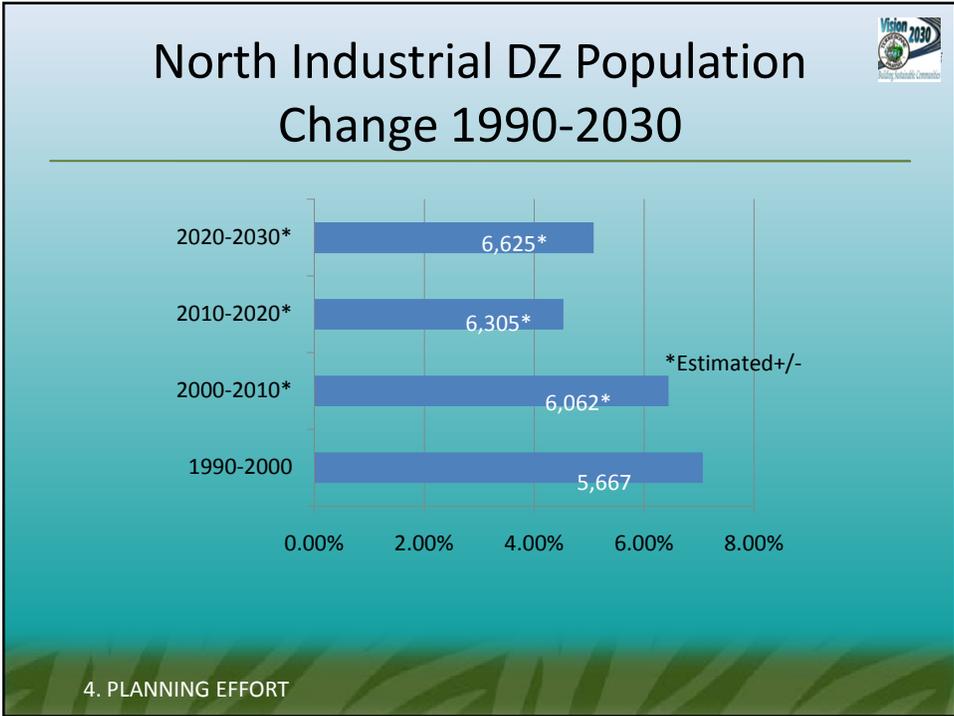
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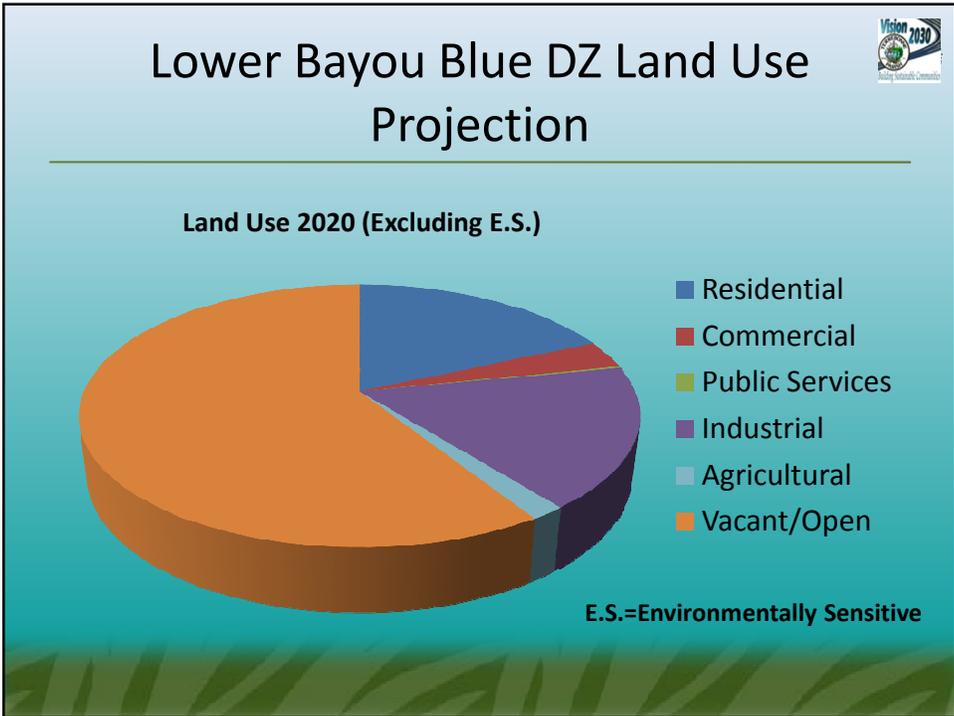
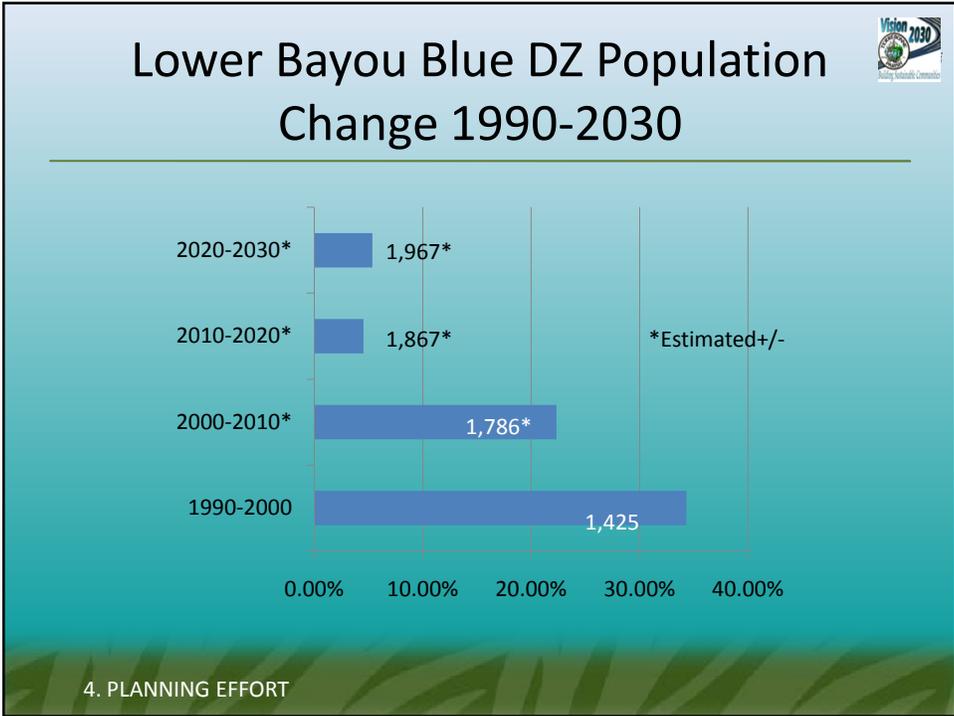












Where Do You  
Want to Be in 2030?



***What is your Dream for these Areas?***

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Plan

Challenges

Opportunities

Vision



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## Vision Statements... Why are they important?



- ***“Nothing happens unless first a dream.”***  
--Carl Sandberg
  
- ***“Vision is a dream or picture of the future that draws us – no, PULLS us—into the future.”***  
--James R. Lucas
  
- ***“What we imagine, we can make happen.”***  
--GE Radio Ad Copy

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## Vision for the Organization



**PURPOSE:** To articulate or express what the Company wants to be in the future.

**QUESTIONS:**

- What does the market want?
- What do the stakeholders want?
- How does the company want to be known in 10 or 20 years?
- What reputation does the company want?

**APPLICATION OF QUESTIONS:**

- Business and customer focus
- Products and services offered
- Leadership and management
- People and work processes....etc....etc.

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# Vision's Planning Context



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# Hearing From You



5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

# Postcard Input



- In May, participants were asked to share their visions of life in 20 years by sending postcards to friends or relatives “back in time”
- Please review and comment on these and the formal vision statement developed in earlier phases



5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

# And remember...



## The purpose of creating a master plan

is to get the parish ready to shape change by taking advantage of **opportunities** and overcoming **challenges** to achieve the community’s **resiliency** goals for its future.

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## YOUR AREA

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- What are the **challenges** and **opportunities** that we need to work on together as we plan for the future?
- Please give equal time to both
- Think in terms of:
  - Workforce
  - Housing
  - Connectivity
  - Resiliency
  - Land Use
  - Transportation/Infrastructure
  - Public Facilities/Community Togetherness
  - Sustainability

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## Hearing From You

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- **Opportunities**
  
- **Challenges**

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# Getting Involved

## ❖ Community Meetings:

- Parish-wide Kick-Off Meeting
- Round 1 Community Input Sessions
  - ❖ JULY 7 – *Dularge Gym*
  - ❖ JULY 12 - *Chauvin Gym*
  - ❖ JULY 14 - *Municipal Auditorium*
  - ❖ JULY 19 - *Bayou Black Gym*
  - ❖ JULY 26 - *Schriever Gym*
  - ❖ JULY 28 - *Montegut Gym*
  - ✓ August 2 - *East Houma Gym*
  - ✓ August 4 - *Grand Caillou Gym*
- Round 2 Community Input Sessions Spring 2012
- Parish-wide Draft Plan Review



All meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. at the following locations.

Thursday, July 7 Dularge Gym	Thursday, July 14 Municipal Auditorium	Thursday, July 26 Schriever Gym	Thursday, August 2 East Houma Gym
Thursday, July 12 Chauvin Gym	Thursday, July 19 Bayou Black Gym	Thursday, July 28 Montegut Gym	Thursday, August 4 Grand Caillou Gym

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# Staying Informed

- Steering Committee Meetings
  - Next meeting is October 18, 2011
- Planning Commission Meetings
- Parish Council Meetings
- Parish Website [www.tpcg.org/vision2030](http://www.tpcg.org/vision2030)
- Email Updates
- Facebook
- Media:
  - HTV's *Bayou Time* Program (viewer call-in)
  - Letters to Editor in response to newspaper coverage
- Phone Reminders

5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

# Questions



6. YOUR QUESTIONS

**THANKS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION.  
PLEASE STAY INVOLVED TO MOVE TERREBONNE FORWARD!**

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**Vision 2030: Terrebonne Parish**



7. WAYS TO STAY INFORMED/INVOLVED