



## YOU'RE INVITED

You are invited to share your thoughts and ideas on what Beckley should look like ten years from now. If you have ever thought, why doesn't the City make things better, now is the time to share those thoughts. For example, do you think that Beckley needs...

Better sidewalks and connected bike paths? (and if so, where?)

Stronger neighborhoods (and if so, how?)

Road improvements (and if so, where?)

A more viable and attractive downtown (and if so, how?)

Stronger and more viable commercial areas (and if so, how?)

Viable places for new economic development (and if so, where?)

# It's "OUR BECKLEY," So Come Out and Help DESIGN OUR FUTURE!!

## WHAT TO EXPECT

The City's consultant, Poggemeyer Design Group, and Steering Committee members will facilitate structured sessions to assure that your evening is meaningful and enjoyable. Group discussions will focus on the assets and challenges of neighborhoods, key corridors, and special districts within the City.

## WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

What is learned from this workshop will be used to direct future steps in the update of the Comprehensive Plan. Your input will be used to create specific development or redevelopment scenarios for key areas within the City, and to create the vision for Beckley 10 years from now.

Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee  
Beckley Comprehensive Plan Update  
Ann Worley, Chairperson

## When

Thursday, September 19  
6:00 PM – 8:30 PM

## Where

University of Charleston—Beckley  
John W. Eye Conference Center

## What

The Beckley we know and love today was created by the decisions of past generations. Now it's your turn to help create the future! Every 10 years, cities like Beckley prepare a Comprehensive Plan to define long-term goals and aspirations. It is a unique time to consider challenges, and discover ways to build on community strengths. Most importantly, it is a time to consider how Beckley can become the community our children and grandchildren deserve.

Check out the project status at [www.planbeckley.com](http://www.planbeckley.com)

**We hope to see you on September 19!!**