

## CITY OF NEWBURYPORT MASTER PLAN REVISION PROJECT

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## **Community Kick-Off Meeting**

Agenda City Hall Auditorium February 26, 2014 6:30 p.m.

Welcome and Introductions
 Opening remarks from Mayor Holaday

## 2. What is a Master Plan?

Overview of why communities create Master Plans and the state-mandated elements that must be included.

3. <u>Brainstorming Session: What are Newburyport's major planning issues?</u>
Using the "Plan elements" as a guide, attendees will have the opportunity to voice what they believe are the major planning issues the City is currently facing.

## 4. Project Logistics

Project organizers will review the anticipated project timeline, including future opportunities for public participation, from the early information-gathering stage, through drafting of plan elements to final voting and adoption by both the City and the State.

5. Next Community Meeting: "Vision for Newburyport"

March 12, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Hall Auditorium

This meeting will focus on the "big picture" vision for the City and will include a review of 2001's Guiding Principles, Vision and Priorities, a discussion of their relevance today and how they should be modified/updated to reflect current times.

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