

NEW LEBANON

Comprehensive Plan Alignment Survey - Deadline extended to June 1, 2020

Residents want New Lebanon to provide:	Essential features:	Critical	Important	Less Important
A rural character/protect natural resources	open spaces, active farms, scenic roadways and view sheds, clean air and water, low density housing and commercial structures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A physically attractive place to live and work	well-maintained properties and structures; zoning rules enforced;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	design standards for structures/signs; create positive "first impression" for travelers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
An enriched lifestyle	community center (senior/youth/recreation center); recreational and social activities; historic and cultural events; entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A cohesive, caring community	trust, togetherness, tolerance for differing views/lifestyles;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	address varied housing, employment and social needs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A town center	a place to gather, interact, stroll and shop; safe, pedestrian-friendly; attractive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ready access to the basics	grocery store and (or with) pharmacy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sustainable economic development	serves the needs of the town and its environs; provides job opportunities for town residents, helps to lower property taxes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A destination for tourists/visitors	brings in "outside money;" creates jobs; focus on recreational/natural resources; benchmark event; board of tourism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Efficient, cost-effective and responsive public institutions	listen and respond to resident needs; enforce rules; effective town government & schools	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Renewable energy opportunities	Facilitate solar, wind and other renewable, non-polluting energy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Did we miss something? Please note it below:

The town should also provide: _____

Once survey results are in hand, the committee will hold a series of small focus group discussions to get a more in depth understanding of the direction New Lebanon residents wish the town to take. If you are interested in participating in one or more of these groups, please fill out the following information, including which group(s) you wish to join.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____, E-mail _____

Best availability: days (9-3) __, evenings (after 6:30) __, weekends __

Focus Groups

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Owners, including self-employed, artists, creatives, etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> Seniors & Retirees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Religious / Abode | <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor enthusiasts, including hunters, anglers, hikers, etc. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> People engaged in agriculture, Arborists, Horticulturists | <input type="checkbox"/> Students |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Speedway enthusiasts | <input type="checkbox"/> Tradespeople, Hourly Wage Earners, other professionals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Second home owners/Weekenders | <input type="checkbox"/> Parents of school-aged children |

The Town of New Lebanon would also like to know if you do not have access to broadband, high speed, internet service at your home. The town is committed to everyone having access to broadband service!

High speed internet service is not available at the address below:

.When you are finished, save the pdf by clicking **file>save as** and give the file a unique name. This survey must be returned by June 1, 2020 via email to nlplan.survey@gmail.com or printed and mailed to NL Town Clerk, PO Box 328, New Lebanon, NY, 12125 or by dropping a printed copy in the locked drop box at the entrance to the town hall at 14755 State Route 22. You can also drop your survey at the New Lebanon or West Lebanon post offices or at Country Squire.

Thank you for your time, Comprehensive Plan Update Committee