

ADOPTING A STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS

During the Organizational meeting of the Board of Supervisors on April 20, 2004, the board approved the Rules of the Board, Rule IV (N) which state that the board "shall adopt a strategic plan and mission statement for the purpose of establishing goals and objectives for the Board".

Work began on this project in 2004, with the confirmation of a facilitator to work with the Board through the strategic planning process. The Local Government Center of the University of Wisconsin Extension Service has the resources available to facilitate this planning process, and will be assisting the Board.

The subsequent results of this effort will serve as a planning document which will not bind the actions of the board but be used as a guide for the two year tenure of the board; as well as providing a long term vision for county growth and development to ensure continued vitality, development of resources, and the high quality of life that citizens of the county have enjoyed and come to expect.

The following is a snapshot view of what the strategic planning process will entail for Sauk County, as well as defining what it is, and what the county hopes to achieve.