

CONTENTS

PART A Description of Mount Holly

TOWN PLANNING		3
	Town Government	
I.	PLANNING HISTORY	
THE TOWN		
II.	RESOURCES	
a.	Geography, Land use	9
b.	Natural Resources – soils, water, forests, wildlife, scenic beauty	24
c.	History and Historical Heritage	33
THE PEOPLE		
III.	GROWTH	
	Demographics, Future Trends	44
HUMAN ACTIVITY		
IV.	Residential pattern and housing	59
V.	Economic activity	68
VI.	Agriculture & Forestry	76
VII.	Recreation	80
VIII.	Transportation	84
IX.	Energy	92
X.	Education	93
XI.	Child Care	98
XII.	Facilities & Utilities	99
a.	Public Safety	
b.	Solid waste	
c.	Communications	
d.	Arts & Culture	

PART B Plan for Mount Holly

THE PLAN		105
	Goals, Policies, Implementation	
I.	LOCAL PLANNING PROCESS	106
II.	PRESERVATION	107
	Environmental Quality Preservation History, Scenic Beauty	
III.	GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT	110
IV.	HOUSING	111
V.	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	112
VI.	AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY	113
VII.	RECREATION	115
VIII.	TRANSPORTATION	116
IX.	ENERGY	118
X.	EDUCATION	119
XI.	CHILD CARE	120
XII.	FACILITIES AND UTILITIES	120
a.	PUBLIC SAFETY	
b.	SOLID WASTE	
c.	COMMUNICATIONS	
d.	ARTS & CULTURE	
XIII.	REGIONAL COORDINATION	123
XIV.	EVALUATION	123