Regional planning workshop to be held Tuesday in Grayslake

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GRAYSLAKE -- County residents can help "invent the future" Tuesday at one of a series of "Go to 2040" workshops on the region's official comprehensive plan.

A workshop will to be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at Grayslake Village Hall, 10 S. Seymour St.

The Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning is developing the seven-county region's official comprehensive plan. It addresses land use, transportation, and other quality-of-life issues such as the environment, economic development, housing, education, health care and other social services.

To register for the Grayslake session, contact Joey-Lin Silberhorn at (312) 386-8814 or jsilberhorn@cmap.illinois.gov .

Through August, county residents can weigh in at www.goto2040.org , where they can use interactive tools to create, share and compare their visions of the future.

CMAP will collect public opinion that the agency will use in developing a "preferred scenario" by the end of 2009.

Over the winter, planners will flesh out the scenario by identifying major capital projects that require investment.

In the spring, CMAP will publish a draft of the full plan. Adoption of a final plan is expected in fall 2010.

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