

# STAFF RECOMMENDATION

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## STRATEGIC PLAN FOR THE NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING COMMISSION FISCAL YEARS 2009-2014

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### Abstract

The Government Performance and Results Act of 1993, requires each agency to submit to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and to Congress a strategic plan for program activities. The strategic plan shall span a minimum six-year period: the fiscal year it is submitted and at least five years forward. The National Capital Planning Commission's strategic plan has been updated to more accurately reflect the major functions and operations of the agency. The update is a collaborative effort and to the extent practicable, reflects the views and comments provided by NCPC's staff and Commissioners. It also reflects input received during the 45-day public comment period as well as consultation with Congress and OMB.

### Commission Action Requested

Approval of the 2009-2014 Strategic Plan pursuant to the Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-11.

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### Executive Director's Recommendation

The Commission:

**Approves** the Strategic Plan for the National Capital Planning Commission, Fiscal Years 2009-2014.

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## BACKGROUND

The National Capital Planning Commission's current strategic plan covers the period FY 2004 through FY 2009. The current plan does not sufficiently address the major functions and operations of the agency; nor does it contain all of the required elements stipulated by the Office of Management and Budget. Therefore, the NCPC staff engaged in a major effort to update the plan. The updated plan includes revised strategic goals and objectives, as well as modified vision, mission and guiding principles statements.

Following the Commission's authorization to circulate the draft plan on July 10, 2008, the draft plan was posted on NCPC's website for a 45-day public comment period running from July 21, 2008 to September 4, 2008. During this time, NCPC staff also consulted with OMB and Congress and solicited the views of interested and potentially affected parties.