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Residents Invited to Comment on Plans to Improve Roosevelt Road

Public input is being sought on draft recommendations for ways to improve the economic vitality of the 1.5-mile Roosevelt Road corridor between Austin Boulevard and Harlem Avenue.

Funded by a state grant the Village helped Berwyn acquire, the study identifies the assets of the corridor shared by the two communities and offers a range of ideas on how best to invigorate the area.

Recommendations include nurturing pedestrian travel with wider sidewalks, landscaping and improved lighting, improving traffic flow and control with medians, and attracting specialized boutiques and residential development to the area.

Residents can review the plan at www.oak-park.us – click on news, then the icon in the right column. The electronic files are very large, so copies also can be reviewed in the Office of the Village Clerk in Village Hall or purchased for \$5 from the Development Services Department.

Comments should be directed to the Development Services Department, Village Hall, 123 Madison St., Oak Park, IL 60302 or via email to devsvcs@oak-park.us.

Public comments must be received by April 30. For more information, call 708.358.5640.

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