

Deerfield Master Plan Update

February 9, 2026

We have scheduled an **Informational Meeting with Representatives from the Oneida County Planning Department on February 25, 2026 beginning at 5:30 pm at the Municipal Building.**

Learn about the procedures involved with the update of the town's Comprehensive Master Plan. Please save the date and become involved in this process.

January 12, 2026

On January 5, 2026 Patie Goldsmith met with Rick Reichert from Oneida County Planning regarding Deerfield's current Comprehensive Master Plan. Lura Raymo was unable to attend because of a recent surgery. The following points were reviewed.

Possible sources of funding for revision of the Master Plan.

The cost of an entire rewriting of the Master Plan would most likely cost \$150,000+.

Kristin Cambell read our current Master Plan and, despite being quite old, it was well written initially and still could be a strong base for updates.

Oneida County Planning can do new mapping for the town at no cost. Rick thought that upgraded mapping would help to make the Master Plan more current while cutting down on the cost of the revision.

Oneida County Planning has a format that can be used as a survey to gain input from the town residents. It can be posted on the town website and printed as a separate mailer or included in the Town Newsletter.

Oneida County Planning has developed a seminar on the basics of updating a master plan. We are working to set a date for this sometime in the near future. Details will be posted on the Town website when they become available.