

What: Quality of Life & a Sense of Place in SE MN

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Who: For land use planners; communities dealing with disagreements / discussions over land use, particularly residential development vs. ag development vs. conservation as is & in connection with tourism (economic value)

Why: To bridge divides between community groups and address the question of whether heritage tourism is a sustainable option (in the economic, environmental, & cultural sense)

How: Basic question articulated at the beginning: "Can sustainable heritage tourism be developed in such a way that economic development goals are reached without incurring unwanted changes in lifestyle and 'sense of place'?" Includes explicit definitions of heritage tourism from several sources Nice summary points at the end, broken into digestible pieces