

## Minnesota Session Laws 1999 - Chapter 238

Sec. 84. [STATE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY; PROPOSAL.]

(a) The director of the office of strategic and long-range planning shall develop, in coordination with the metropolitan council and the commissioners of transportation, trade and economic development, and natural resources, a 20-year state development strategy. The strategy must include:

- (1) forecasts, issues, goals, and policies relating to development and the connection between transportation, land use, environmental protection, energy, and economic development;
- (2) an identification of major development and transportation corridors in the state;
- (3) an identification of cultural and natural features and resources of statewide, regional, and local significance;
- (4) recommendations for coordinated state investments necessary to achieve goals and policies in the area of infrastructure, including transportation and wastewater treatment facilities;
- (5) a description of any legislation or programmatic changes necessary to implement the plan;
- (6) recommendation for approaches for coordinating local government decisions with the strategy; and
- (7) a process for encompassing the community-based planning goals in Minnesota Statutes, section 4A.08, including citizen participation and intergovernmental cooperation.

(b) The director shall submit to the legislature by February 15, 2000, an evaluation and proposal for preparing The state development strategy based on development of a prototype strategy for the I-94 corridor area between the metropolitan area and St. Cloud.