ULI MN/RCM Healthy and Resilient Communities Initiative

**Mission:** Leverage the power of ULI MN/RCM’s network to shape actions and projects and places in ways that support healthy and resilient communities with a particular focus on climate, land use and energy.

**Advisory Committee Responsibilities:**

- Attend 4 – 6 Advisory Committee meetings annually
- Contribute professional knowledge and expertise to inform work plan and create impact
- Committee members are strongly encouraged to join ULI

**2014 Work Plan**

**Awareness:** raise awareness of the connections between health and a resilient built environment  
**Tools:** share best practices and learning  
**Value:** build understanding of the value proposition - market and nonmarket factors  
**Commitments:** gain commitments to work, build and operate in more health promoting and resilient ways

**Build on ULI Ten Principles for Building Healthy Places**

- Put People First  
- Recognize the economic value  
- Empower champions for health  
- Energize shared spaces  
- Make healthy choices easy  
- Ensure equitable access  
- Mix it up  
- Embrace unique character  
- Promote access to healthy food  
- Make it active  
- Preserve, enhance and create native habitats  
- Create private/public investment vehicles to make it easier to invest in resilient communities

1. Promote and expand Regional Indicators Initiative; *develop health metrics*
2. Promote Green Step Cities; *explore how to take Green Step Cities to a next step – develop climate/energy strategies that impact at the city and regional scale*
3. Identify actions to support the protection of our water supply, *especially joint conservation efforts*
4. Prospect North Case Study  
5. Plan and implement one annual ULI MN program