

CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

SUBMITTER: Matthew Manley **MEETING DATE:** December 5, 2025

AGENDA SECTION: Presentation DEPARTMENT: Community

Development

TITLE OF ITEM: NC-APA Marvin Collins Outstanding Plan Award for the Gen H

Comprehensive Plan – *Matthew Manley, AICP and Lew Holloway*.

SUGGESTED MOTION(S):

n/a

SUMMARY:

The City's Gen H Comprehensive Plan was recognized by the North Carolina Chapter of the American Planning Association (NC-APA), receiving the 2025 Marvin Collins Outstanding Planning Award for the best comprehensive plan in the small town category. The Community Development Department would like to acknowledge that this award would not have been possible without the fully buy-in from multiple departments and the significant support of City Council.

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. Link to list of 2025 NC-APA Awards Winners: https://northcarolina.planning.org/community-outreach/past-award-winners/2025-apa-nc-awards/
- 2. Link to Bolton-Menk announcement: https://www.bolton-menk.com/news/gen-h-honored-with-2025-apa-nc-marvin-collins-planning-award/
- 3. Link to City of Hendersonville announcement: https://www.hendersonvillenc.gov/news/city-hendersonville%E2%80%99s-gen-h-comprehensive-plan-wins-prestigious-statewide-planning-award
- 4. Award Letter