

### Job Description: **Design Team Member**

The City of Edina is organizing a community-based planning initiative that will result in a Small Area Guide, a first step in defining the patterns of land use and development and a core component of an eventual Small Area Plan. A key element of this process is the definition of a Design Team that will be primarily responsible for establishing the core design and planning directions for the study area defined for the Small Area Guide. The process is intended to be heavily oriented toward engagement of the community, and will occur over approximately five weeks. The result of the Small Area Guide process will demonstrate a vision for the study area that is forward-looking, economically viable, innovative, sustainable, and publicly supportable.

The Design Team will be composed of up to ten professionals representing the following disciplines:

- Architecture
- Landscape Architecture
- Urban Design
- Urban Planning
- Transportation Planning
- Market/Economic Assessment

Members must be residents of Edina with relevant experience in projects dealing with master planning for mixed use redevelopment, public space design, sustainable design, or transportation planning. Participation at all events and meetings is encouraged, but active participation during a 1-1/2 day design charrette is mandatory.

Key activities will include interactions with a Community Advisory Team charged with overseeing the preparation of a Small Area Guide, and working collaboratively with other Design Team members to articulate a narrative and graphic vision and supporting principles for the Small Area Guide.

Participation as a member of the Design Team is voluntary, and will not preclude future professional participation in a project resulting from the Small Area Guide. Design Team members are expected to volunteer their time, and to provide any materials anticipated to be needed during their participation in any event related to the Small Area Guide process.