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citizens should have as many methods and opportunities as practical to communicate with their representatives in local government, and local government should clearly communicate its operations as it functions to serve the peoples' will.

II. Economic development
Toward the present day, it should be noted that the population of Vermillion has been roughly constant over the last four decades. The principle economic drivers throughout the period were agriculture, The University of South Dakota, and government. This has proved to be a stable economic foundation for Vermillion. As a strategy for economic development, Vermillion needs to invest in what is here and inject the freshest thinking.

1. We have productive agriculture, a growing Farmers Market, and a new organic farms store in downtown. These activities are synergistic and can be strengthened in several ways, for example:

a. Vermillion could build an outdoor mall for Farmers Market vendors. Many people visit the Farmers Market and purchase fresh locally grown food and small crafts. The venue could attract and support emerging artists. As the smaller merchants develop, they could eventually open their own stores. The farmers market is a focal point for citizens and visitors to Vermillion. The value of Farmers Markets are many-fold, and cities around the United States are investing and promoting their markets. Several benefits emerge: local agriculture can sell direct to consumers – so both parties trade at a better price, wealth is built locally, people can eat local healthy food.

b. Vermillion could support local foods processing, storage, and distribution infrastructure. This has great potential to help local producers partner with the schools and other local institutions to provide year-round access to healthy local foods, improve institutional menus, and keep dollars circulating in the local community. Not only that, it's a critical component to food security – cities like ours have mostly lost the local production and infrastructure capacity to feed ourselves in case of supply line problems, natural disaster, or terrorist attack.

2. Vermillion should reconnect with the Missouri River. We live on a scenic stretch of the river that most closely mimics its unperturbed state. A number of opportunities exist:

a. Vermillion, perhaps in partnership with USD and the state, could initiate a project to build a field research station and retreat for study of the Missouri River. The project could attract scientists, historians, musicians, linguists, and authors from around the world in providing an inviting and compelling place to work.

b. Vermillion can create and promote direct corridors and low-impact facilities for recreational activity on the river. Currently, Vermillion does very little to promote the proximity of the scenic river. Many people, citizens and visitors, could enjoy camping, non-motor boating, swimming, birding, hiking, cross-country skiing, etc. on the river. Vermillion could build and promote a significant tourism industry. Perhaps an outfitter and supply store, hotels or lodges, and 'river-fare' restaurants could emerge in town. These activities would be synergistic with the music and arts, downtown shops, museums, winery, and friendly atmosphere in Vermillion.

c. In order to protect this stretch of the river, and the wonderful opportunities that arise from its bounties, Vermillion should adopt precise and strong policy to limit development around the river.

3. Vermillion is a multicultural center! Let's acknowledge and celebrate this. In Vermillion, there is a convergence of cultures. These include native people, descendants of European settlers, and people from around the world (many of whom were attracted here by USD). There are so many ways to share our traditions that include food, music, lore, and healing. Our community will grow stronger in this sharing, and attract more people. Economic activity could emerge as new restaurants, craft and clothing, healing and therapy, and regular concerts. Another possibility may be a multiple partnership between the city, regional native tribes, state, and USD to build a Native American outreach center of national reputation.

III. Investigate renewable

energy
Scientific data and moral responsibility compel us to take steps to live sustainably. Cornerstones of sustainable living include conservation and use of renewable sources. With renewable energy infrastructure investments, we can build a reliable supply of energy that would protect us from price fluctuations and environmental risk. These, in turn, will promote economic development and health.

Possible strategies include developing a rooftop solar initiative wherein the city (backed with federal funds) could provide expert personnel and financial incentives for solar installation. Under a uniform, robust plan, the installations could comply with uniform electric and construction codes. Additionally, South Dakota is a gold mine for the development of wind power. Vermillion could purchase its own wind turbines and produce its own power

instead of buying coal-derived electricity. Such investment would protect citizens from price increases in their utility bills and provide zero-emissions power.

Conservation is an important component of energy policy. City facilities should be evaluated to assess their energy and materials consumption, in order to identify opportunities to lower use. While conserving resources, the city could save money. The city vehicle

fleet should be evaluated to identify the potential use of more fuel-efficient vehicles to effectively complete work tasks. A great way to conserve fuel (and improve health of citizens) is to promote walking and cycling around town. Selected roads could be identified as 'bike corridors' with clear lanes, and bike racks could be installed at city hall and parks. Pedestrian friendly crosswalks should be a priority.

STATEWIDE ADS

AUCTIONS

FIRST ANNUAL ANTLER Auction. Saturday June 12, 2010, 10am. Tech Center Building, SD State Fairgrounds, Huron, SD. See www.sdauctions.com.

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FALL RIVER HEALTH Services in Hot Springs is seeking a full-time MLT laboratory generalist. Applicant must be a graduate of an accredited lab program. We have state-of-the-art equipment in a brand new facility. We offer competitive salaries and benefits. Please contact Deb or April at 745-8910 ext. 4111lab@fallriverhealthservices.com.

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LIVE-IN CAREGIVER for elderly male with some health problems in Faith, SD. Call 605-593-3900.

PIERRE SCHOOL DISTRICT is seeking a Program Director to manage and implement all phases of a before and after-school program funded by the 21st Century Community Learning Center Grant. Apply online at www.pierre.k12.sd.us/humanresources or inquire to Pierre Schools, 211 S Poplar, Pierre SD 57501. EOE.

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SISSETON SCHOOL DISTRICT HS/MS Counselor. Contact: Mr. Jim Frederick, Principal, 516 8th Ave W, Sisseton, SD 57262. 605-698-7613 Closing date June 14. EOE.

THE WALL SCHOOL District #51-5 has an opening for a rural K-6 teacher. Base is \$30,100.00 with a 4-day week. Contact Superintendent Dennis Rieckman if interested. 605-279-2156 or email him at dennis.riekman@k12.sd.us

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LAND AUCTIONS

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NOTICES

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WE BUY 1990's mobile homes. East River, Cash deal, McKinley Court of Watertown, 605-881-1296.

VACATION

PLAYA DEL CARMEN Condo in Mexico 2-bedroom, 2-bath condo for rent, steps to the beach, minutes to 5th Ave. Call 303-250-5787 or playscape.com.

CLASSIFIEDS

1020 Food - Beverage
SPAGHETTI NIGHT every Thursday night at Whimp's. All you can eat \$5.25. Whimp's in Burbank.

1101 Announcements -
Isoms 21st Animal Swap Meet/Flea Market. New vendors Welcome. June 12th & 13th. Allen, NE. Call Val (402)635-2265 or www.lovealop.com

Now Open: The "New" Eastgate Laundry. Super efficient "Energy Star" washers. Entertainment area for the kids.

1250 Motorcycles
For Sale: Honday 400cc motorcycle. Runs great. Doesn't burn or leak oil. 15,000 miles. 712-898-2901

1410 Agriculture
Sucker Rod & Pipe For Sale. All sizes for fencing and manufacturing. Menno, SD. (605)387-5660 (605)661-5050.

1450 Cleaning
Turn laundry day into laundry hour. Eastgate Maytag Laundry, Eastgate Plaza on Cherry Street, next to Latte Da.

1460 Contractors
VERMILLION CONSTRUCTION CO. Poured Foundations, Flat Work; 40 Years Experience; Commercial & Residential; Free Estimates. (605)658-2345.

1475 Other Services
TONER CARTRIDGES RECHARGES for fax, copiers, and printers. Yankton Office Equipment, 314 W. 4th (605)665-2289.

Coyote Barber Shop. All types haircutting. Monday-Friday-8-5, Saturday-8-12. Downtown Vermillion, 117 E. Main. 605-624-8181.

Giant 40lb. and 60lb. washers and 75lb. dryers at the "NEW" Eastgate Laundry.

1480 Glass Installation
For all your residential, commercial and auto glass needs, call Fast Auto Glass, 605-624-8170, 1-800-286-7835

1490 Lawn -
TOTAL LAWN CARE: Mowing, Fertilizing, Spraying, Clean-up, Aerating, Power-Raking, Dirt Work. Experienced. (605)624-8470

1490 Lawn - Landscaping
Trees for sale: 2' Colorado Blue Spruce \$9.75. 10' Autumn blaze maple \$70. Brady Tree Farm, Yankton, SD. (605)665-4726.

1555 Dogs - Puppies
Yellow Lab Pups: Born 2-11-10, healthy, happy, need homes. 1 female, 6 male. \$10/each. 605-659-0745

1600 Other Real Estate
FOR RENT: One and two bedroom apartments. Quiet neighborhood, laundry facilities, picnic area, playground, club room. Saracen Courts, 400 Carr Street, 605-624-2002.

1605 Apartments For Rent
Duplex: Unique country acreage, 4-5 bedrooms, 2 baths, all appliances, central A/C, 31711 469th Ave. \$1000-\$1250/month. 605-331-2530

For Rent: 2 & 3 bedroom apartments in quiet neighborhood. \$500-\$550 plus utilities. 1-1/2 baths, coin laundry. 605-670-4710

For Rent: 2-bedroom, 1-bath apartments in quiet SE location. C/A, W/D, garage, \$595-\$650 +utilities. 605-624-8001

For Rent: 3-bedroom apartment. River Court Apartments, Vermillion. Rent based on income. Must qualify by family size and income. Equal Housing Opportunity. 605-202-0008 or Skogen Company 605-263-3941

For Rent: 3-bedroom, 1.5-bath LUXURY duplex in quiet SE location, newly remodeled, new carpet, appliances, cabinets, EVERYTHING! 2-car garage with door opener, 60' deck, screened-in porch, must see to appreciate. \$1200 +utilities. 605-624-8001

Large 1-bedroom apartment in Gayville. No pets. Lease, deposit and references required. Larry's Rentals (605)664-9014 or (605)661-0987 after 5pm.

Spacious 1-bedroom apartment: Carpeted living room/bedroom w/Mr. & Mrs. Closets. Bath w/tub and shower. Kitchen w/garbage disposal and new appliances. Call 605-624-4224, 670-8618 or 670-0532.

1605 Apartments For Rent
New large 3-bedroom, master bedroom w/master bath, his & her walk-in closets. Handicap accessible. No pets. No parties. Next to WalMart. 712-899-0505

Relatively new 4-bedroom duplex with washer, dryer, refrigerator, stove, central air, double car garage. Available June 1st. \$1,060/mo. 605-670-4828

New large 2-bedroom, next to WalMart. No pets. No parties. \$675 +electric only. Handicap accessible. 712-899-0505

Spacious 2 bedroom apartment with large living room, outdoor deck and 1/2 of double garage. 605-670-3737 between 8a.m.-6:30p.m.

Spacious 2-bedroom apartment: Large carpeted living room w/dining e/L, hardwood floors in bedrooms. Bathroom w/shower, tub and laundry hook-ups. Kitchen has garbage disposal. Call 605-624-4224, 670-8618 or 670-0532.

1615 Houses For Rent
\$550/month plus utilities. Three bedroom very clean house (basement). Separate entrance. Dryer, washer, AC included. Close to campus. 932 Lincoln Street. Call 605-202-1341

5-Bedroom 2-Bath House near WalMart, Hy-Vee and campus. New carpet, paint, windows in 09. Nice deck, yard and quiet neighborhood, washer/dryer, central air and dishwasher \$1,000/month. 605-661-7035, Lynn.

5-bedroom house, 2-bath, fireplace, 2-car garage, dishwasher, garbage disposal, CA, fenced-in backyard. \$1,000/month. Available immediately. 605-661-9279

Available June 1st: 2-bedroom, 1-bath house right across the street from campus, newly remodeled, new carpet, appliances, cabinets, C/A, washer/dryer, off-street parking, \$550 +utilities. 605-624-8001

Centerville 2-Bedroom Home For Rent: 930 Main Street. \$350/month. Available immediately. Call Laurie, 605-201-9115, leave message.

1615 Houses For Rent
Available June 1st: 4-bedroom, 2-bath house right across the street from campus, newly remodeled, new carpet, appliances, cabinets, C/A, washer/dryer, off-street parking, \$1200 +utilities. 605-624-8001

1620 Rooms For Rent
Country Living, Rooms For Rent: 9 miles south of Beresford, SD. Rooms available July 15th. Horse boarding available in August. \$350 per room each month (if you have one, rent is \$450 per room). I do have miniature indoor riding arena. To see house and acreage call 605-310-7974. Must have a resume with work and personal references. Horse Boarding \$1000. Wanted: \$100 a month rent if you have a tractor and a loader to occasionally move snow or hay. Call Kellie at 605-310-7974 (nice acreage).

1625 Mobile Homes For Rent
For Rent: Now signing leases for 2 and 3-bedroom mobile homes. Close to campus. 605-624-5697

LARGE 2 & 3 BEDROOM mobile homes available, A/C, washer/dryer, cedar decks, free storage unit. Small pets. 605-624-8001. www.usdproperties.com

Nice, newer 2 & 3 bedroom mobile homes in Westgate. Large yards and decks. Available June 1st. \$500-\$650/mo. 605-624-3625

1635 Commercial Rentals
25,500 sq.ft. Warehouse for rent on Cherry Street, Vermillion. Small office, 4 above ground loading docks, 2 ground-level garage doors, \$1,500/month. 605-670-4089.

For Rent: 1440 SF shop with bathroom, radiant heat, 2 doors 9'9"x9'9" and 1 door 12'x9'9". 605-624-8001

1650 Houses For Sale
4-Bedroom House, 1 bath, central A/C. 302 North Franklin. \$78,900. 605-331-2530

1655 Mobile Homes For Sale
WHY PAY RENT: Nice 2&3 Bdrm Mobile Homes for sale. 1 Blk from campus, possible financing. 605-624-8001. www.usdproperties.com

1655 Mobile Homes For Sale
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1660 Acreage - Lots For Sale
Acreage for sale .86 split level 3-bedroom, 2-full baths, large kitchen. Recently new siding, beautiful valley overview, 2-car garage, roofed deck, nice tree line. FSBO location Crofton, NE. (402)334-7387.

Six acres with beautiful country home. Clean, neat, spacious. Recent updates. Mission Hill, SD. 605-665-1037.

1775 Home Furnishings
For Sale: Kitchen cabinets, sinks, countertops, numerous sizes. Randy, 605-675-9117.

For Sale: Two TVs with converter boxes. 27-inch, \$75. 13-inch, \$40. 712-898-2901

1780 Items Wanted
Wanted: Garden tractors and attachments. Garden tractor loaders, skid loaders, ATV-3 and 4-wheelers. Riding lawn mowers. Onan, Kohler and Wisconsin engines. Boats and boat motors. Any condition, doesn't need to run. (605)254-2599.

1790 Lawn - Garden
Over 700 riding mowers, most for parts. Engines, decks, trans. axles, starters, etc. Buy, Sell or Trade, any condition. (605)254-2599.

Wanted: Old lawn & garden tractors, running or not. John Deere or Oliver horse mower. Other old machinery. Call (402)584-2238

1815 Miscellaneous
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1820 Give Aways
FREE: Storm and mobile home type windows and screens. Various sizes. 712-898-2901.

2000 Notices
Check it out! Huge 75lb. dryers at the "New" Eastgate Laundry.

1830 Rummage Sales
203 South Yale: June 5, 8a.m.-5p.m.; June 6, 8a.m.-7 Furniture, Bratz bike, infant boys, girls, and adult clothing, toys, crafts, lots of miscellaneous.

70-Family Rummage Sale: Friday, June 4th, 8:30a.m.-5:30p.m.; Saturday, June 5, 8:30a.m.-12:00p.m. 400 Main, Centerville. Clothes all kinds and sizes, books, games, knick knacks, pots, pans, dishes, small appliances, kitchen table, old oak desk, coffee tables, end tables, you name it, we've got it. Most items 1/2 price on Saturday.

721 East Lewis: Saturday, June 5th, 8a.m.-Noon. Furniture, shelves, clothes, shoes, books, Christmas items, miscellaneous.

Annual Rummage: New Location 30 CYPRESS (formerly on Canby). Friday, June 4th from 4-7p.m., Saturday, June 5th from 8a.m.-12p.m. Lots of miscellaneous furniture, adult clothing, boys' clothing size 7-14.

Large walnut dining table, must see, seats 20! Couch, 3 recliners, 2 wood TV stands, kitchen table, miscellaneous chairs, coffee table, 7-drawer desk. Call 605-263-8272. All very reasonable.

Moving Sale: Saturday, June 5, 8a.m.-1p.m., 502 Lee St., Vermillion. Furniture, antiques, miscellaneous decor and household items, much more!

Past and Present Upscale Thrift Store: Antiques, collectibles, clothing, purses, shoes, jewelry, sporting equipment, CDs and vinyls, furniture. Open Wed.-Sat. 10a.m.-6p.m. 7 West Cherry Street, Vermillion.

Rummage Sale: Saturday, June 5, 8a.m.-12p.m., 515 South Norbeck Street. GREAT DEALS on name brand children's clothing (2-size 10), toys, household items, seasonal crafts and miscellaneous items.

1840 Lost and Found
Lost in Vermillion: Blackberry Curve 8330 Smartphone, Friday afternoon (May 21). Call 605-624-7060

1875 Livestock - Poultry
REGISTERED ANGUS BULLS FOR SALE: Bred for calving ease & growth. Performance tested, guaranteed. out of top bloodlines in the Angus breed. Call Hauger's Stock Farm, Irene, SD. Robert (605) 263-3771 or Steven (605) 263-3774.