

## The Planning Cycle, Planning Basics, and LSCs



**The four components of the planning cycle, above are represented in each of the four steps of our Planning Basics**

### The Four Steps of Planning Basics

1. Scanning: gathering information
2. Prioritize issues to be addressed
3. Create action (project) plans
4. Monitoring and evaluation

**The four steps of Planning Basics are a core component of the planning process for the LSC and the LSB**

### The LSC and the Planning Cycle

#### The First LSC - The Planning Assembly (Steps 1 and 2)

- Identify issues
- Prioritize issues
- Consider solutions for top issues
- Prioritize solutions

#### The Second LSC – Project Plans Approval (Step 3)

- Between the first and second LSC meeting, the LSB will create project plans that it presents at the second LSC
- LSC considers and adopts project plans

#### The Third and Fourth LSC – Monitoring and Evaluation (Step 4)

- Monitor ongoing projects (monthly monitoring by LSB)
- LSC evaluates any completed projects