

In order to best meet the expectations of the 1 Star rating for Best Practice No. 6 (Comprehensive Plan) Action No. 3, the City of Warren’s comprehensive plan (2014) addresses the following intergovernmental coordination plans; fire protection and policing services are coordinated through Marshall County as their headquarters is located in Warren, MN to avoid overlapping jurisdictions that would come with a local police/fire response; the City of Warren via its public municipalities supplies water and sewage services to all of its properties as well as Marshall County’s buildings located within city limits (Courthouse/Police Station). In addition, the comprehensive plan includes language specifically to address potential development conflicts; “residential development should be separated from potential conflicting uses, such as agriculture or industrial development, by the use of buffer zones”; furthermore, to address economic development the City of Warren utilizes the resources of the Northwest Regional Development Commission to assist development in accordance with the requirements of state and federal agencies in order to access funding. ⁱ

ⁱ BP No. 6, Action 3, 1 Star