

*Planning Commission*

*Date: 8/11/08*

*Item: 5*

*Informational Item*

*ITEM: "A Look at Community Capacity To Conserve Open Space in the Twin Cities Area" - An Embrace Open Space Report*

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*SUMMARY AND ACTION REQUESTED:*

*The attached document is an executive summary for a 2008 report that examined local government capacity to conserve parks and natural areas in the 11-county Twin Cities metro area. The entire document is available to be checked out from the planning department at city hall for those interested in reading the document. This item is for informational purposes.*

*No action is needed at this time.*