



# Mercer County: Better Together

Eliza Area

## Community Statements

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**Built by resident feedback through the *Community Heart & Soul* planning process, these statements indicate what matters most to Eliza area residents.**

“We are a small, close-knit community that prides ourselves on working together, such as raising funds to turn an old school into a multi-purpose community center which is the cornerstone of the community and the meeting place for youth and community activities and family events.”

“We treasure our river access and natural resources, which provide opportunities for hunting, fishing and entertainment, and draw additional visitors to the area.”

“We value our local churches, which bring people together and offer opportunities for worship.”

“We treasure our historic assets which include cemeteries and river access, because they celebrate the unique history of our community and strengthen community pride.”

“We envision better roads and internet access, which have the potential to create more revenue for the area, increase our tax base and provide an opportunity for jobs and economic security.”

“We envision a local convenience store and restaurant to provide dining access and improved community life.”

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