

2015 APA OHIO STATEWIDE PLANNING CONFERENCE

WELCOME

The NW Ohio Section of APA Ohio is proud and excited to be the host section for the Statewide Planning Conference in 2015. There are very exciting transformations occurring in the urban core of Toledo as well in the neighboring major City of Detroit, Michigan to the north.

The urban areas that have for so many years been focused on commuting to and from via motorized transportation are undergoing generational changes and becoming more people focused as planners and community leaders are **“Reclaiming Spaces – For People’s Sake”** which is the theme for our 2015 Conference.

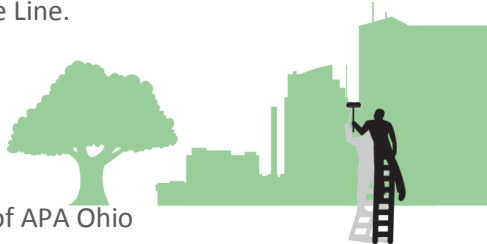
The conference sessions, mobile workshops, and professional development opportunities will focus on this key theme. The conference will provide a venue where the latest strategies and proven successes can be shared with others around the State of Ohio, as well with attendees that will likely come from SE Michigan and NE Indiana as the City of Toledo is situated such that the conference location is only 20 minutes to the Michigan State Line and 1 hour 20 minutes to the Indiana State Line.

Yours Truly,



Patrick Etchie, AICP

Director, NW Ohio Section of APA Ohio



LOCATION + HOTEL

Grand Plaza Hotel & Convention Center

444 North Summit Street | Toledo, OH 43604

A special conference rate of \$119/night (plus tax) is available until September 11. Visit the conference website for more details.

REGISTRATION

Early Bird Registration (July 1 – August 5)

	Thursday	Friday	Full
APA Ohio Member	\$120	\$135	\$255
Non-Member	\$140	\$150	\$290
Student Volunteer	\$45	\$45	\$90

Regular Registration (August 6 – September 11)

	Thursday	Friday	Full
APA Ohio Member	\$140	\$155	\$295
Non-Member	\$160	\$170	\$330
Student Volunteer	\$45	\$45	\$90

Special Registrations + Guest Tickets

	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wednesday PDW	\$70	-	-
Mobile Workshop	-	\$25	\$25
Thursday Reception Guest Ticket	-	\$25	-
Friday Luncheon Guest Ticket	-	-	\$45

Register online at ohioplanning.org/conference.

All registration will be online. Multiple registrations can be made in one transaction. Credit cards (VISA, MC, DISC) and checks (made payable to APA Ohio) will be accepted.

Thursday-only registration includes the receptions on Wednesday and Thursday evening. Friday-only registration includes the awards luncheon. Full registration includes all special events. Students must volunteer to work at the conference to register at the reduced rate. Cancellation refunds must be requested in writing before September 11; a \$25 fee will apply.

Contact **Christine Dersi Davis** at info@ohioplanning.org or **(330) 814-6295** if you require assistance with your registration.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

7:30 AM	REGISTRATION + CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST				
8:15 AM	OPENING PLENARY JAMES DRINAN, KEYNOTE SPEAKER				
10:15 AM					
10:00 AM	HUB 55 CATALYTIC REDEVELOPMENT IN THE HEART OF A CLEVELAND NEIGHBORHOOD	PANEL DISCUSSION ZONING AND CODE ENFORCEMENT FOR TOWNSHIPS, VILLAGES AND CITIES IN OHIO	USING THE STATE'S LOCAL GOVERNMENT INNOVATIVE FUND FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	WHAT'S MASS TRANSIT? THE STATE OF TRANSIT AND DEVELOPMENT IN OHIO 2015	ETHICS FOR PLANNERS
11:45 AM	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN				
1:15 PM	BARBERTON'S MAGIC MILE TRAIL CONNECTING HISTORY THROUGH MULTI-MODAL INFRASTRUCTURE	PLANNING IN OHIO WHAT IS A COMP PLAN AND IS IT LEGALLY NECESSARY?	RECONNECTING NEIGHBORHOODS AND RECLAIMING SPACE FREEWAY CAPS IN COLUMBUS	PLANNING FOR AREA-WIDE TRANSFORMATION	ZONING IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN APPLE V GRANGER TOWNSHIP CASE
2:45 PM					
3:00 PM	COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING FOR REAL WORLD CHALLENGES OF FISCAL REALITY, COMPROMISE, AND POLITICS	ZONING SOLUTIONS FOR LIVABLE COMMUNITIES	HISTORIC EAST PIQUA STRATEGIC PLAN DEPLOYING LEGACY CITY REVITALIZATION STRATEGIES AT A NEIGHBORHOOD SCALE	EASTSIDE GREENWAY INNOVATIONS IN GREENWAY PLANNING	PARTNERSHIPS TO CREATE IMPACT
4:30 PM					



Certification
Maintenance

*All conference
sessions have been
submitted for AICP
CM credits. See
the final program
for a listing of CM
approved sessions.*

THURSDAY SPECIAL EVENTS

MOBILE WORKSHOP | 10:15 AM – 1:15 PM

WALKING TOUR OF TOLEDO WAREHOUSE DISTRICT

APA OHIO BOARD MEETING + GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING | 3:00 – 4:30 PM

THURSDAY EVENING CONFERENCE RECEPTION | 5:30 PM @ Fifth Third Field

Celebrate planning with friends and colleagues new and old at the conference reception Thursday evening. APA Ohio has booked the entire Toledo Mud Hens Baseball Stadium! You'll enjoy live entertainment, food, drinks, and a few special surprises only available as a guest to Toledo. This event is not to be missed! You may purchase additional tickets for this event to bring guests not registered for the conference on the conference website.



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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

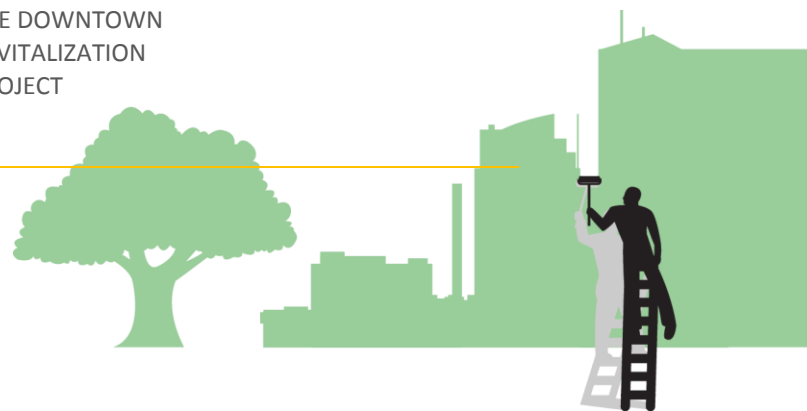
7:30 AM	REGISTRATION + CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST				
8:15 AM	TODAY, TOMORROW, OUR FUTURE A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR THE METROPARKS OF THE TOLEDO AREA	HEALTHY PLANNING INTEGRATING PLANNING AND PUBLIC HEALTH	A PERFECT STORM, DOWNTOWN PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION IN PORT CLINTON	DORR STREET SAFETY PROJECT TAKING DANGEROUS AND DRAB TO SAFE AND FAB	SEINFELD SESSION A SESSION ABOUT NOTHING
9:45 AM					
10:00 AM	RETAINING VIBRANCY IN FIRST RING SUBURBS BENEFITS OF PLANNING AS EVIDENCED IN SHAKER HEIGHTS, LAKEWOOD, AND EUCLID	ENHANCING COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS IN CINCINNATI RECLAMATION OF ALLEYS, SIDEWALKS, AND STEPS FOR THE PEDESTRIAN	COMPLETE STREETS BENEFITS AND RESOURCES FOR OHIO COMMUNITIES OF ALL SHAPES AND SIZES	DETROIT EAST RIVERFRONT RIVERWALK	
11:30 AM	LUNCHEON & APA OHIO AWARDS PRESENTATION TOM MURPHY, KEYNOTE SPEAKER				
1:45 PM	RIVERFRONT FORT WAYNE	REVAMPING THE PHILLIPS-WILLYS CORRIDOR	COMMUNITY BENEFITS AND LINKAGES OF RESTORING URBAN STREAM CORRIDORS	REPURPOSING GOLF COURSES TO PROVIDE ADDED BENEFITS TO THEIR COMMUNITY	AICP EXAM PREP SEMINAR
3:00 PM					
3:15 PM	RESTORING A RIVER AND REPLACING A DEAD MALL RECLAIMING DOWNTOWN COLUMBUS	CONNECTING AND RENEWING THE INNER-CITY OF CINCINNATI	THE CLEVELAND ECO-VILLAGE REFLECTIONS ON TWENTY YEARS OF SUSTAINABLE NEIGHBORHOOD REDEVELOPMENT	TOLEDO NOW AND BEYOND THE DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION PROJECT	
4:30 PM					

FRIDAY SPECIAL EVENTS

MOBILE WORKSHOP | 8:15 – 11:15 AM

SANDPIPER BOAT TOUR OF THE TOLEDO RIVERFRONT AND PORT

Learn more about our keynote speakers and details about the mobile workshops online at ohioplanning.org/conference.



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THURSDAY RECEPTION



WEDNESDAY RECEPTION

Toledo-Lucas County Plan
Commission

BRONZE



CONFERENCE LOGO DESIGN



CONFERENCE SUPPORTERS + EXHIBITORS



as of July 1, 2015

SPONSORSHIPS STILL AVAILABLE

Exhibit spaces and sponsorships at most levels are available. Reach hundreds of professional and citizen planners, elected officials, and allied professionals during this three-day event. Learn more at ohioplanning.org/conference. Final sponsorship deadline is **August 19**.

BECAUSE WE PLAN

THE "BECAUSE WE PLAN" INITIATIVE

"Because We Plan" is an effort to share the positive outcomes of planning activities across the state of Ohio with our constituents. The chapter board felt that the name APA Ohio lacked sufficient identity to create a strong awareness of planning outside of our members. What does APA Ohio do? What is the benefit of planning to our communities? **The vital message the organization should be shouting from the rooftops is that because we plan, good things happen.** The goal of this effort is to create a simple and effective way of telling the planning story as well as rallying greater support and interest in planning by citizens, allied professionals, and both local and state officials.

For more information and to share your story, visit
ohioplanning.org/becauseweplan.