

Ohio Land Use Conference 2009

September 16, 2009

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Held at the
Nationwide and Ohio Farm
Bureau 4-H Center

The Ohio State University
2201 Fred Taylor Drive
Columbus, Ohio

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see <http://www.ohio4-hcenter.org/>



Ohio Land Use Conference
OSU Extension
Community Development
2120 Fyffe Road
Room 25
Columbus, OH 43210

For registration questions,
call 614/292-6232
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Program

- 9:00 Registration and continental breakfast
- 9:30 Welcome
- 9:45 Morning Concurrent Sessions (choose one)
- Balanced Growth and Stormwater Planning for your Community**
Amy Brennan, Director, Chagrin River Watershed Partners,
Kirby Date, AICP, The Countryside Program, Cleveland State University
- Ohio Rural Zoning Update**
Don Brosius, Attorney at Law, Loveland and Brosius, LLC
- Environmental Stewardship in the 21st Century: The "Get Green Columbus" Program**
Erin Miller, Environmental Steward, City of Columbus/SWACO
Kevin Wheeler, Asst. Administrator, Dept. of Development/Planning Division, City of Columbus
- 11:00 Morning Plenary
- Is Sprawl Dead?**
Dr. Elena Irwin, Assoc. Professor, The Ohio State University Dept. of Ag., Env. & Dev. Economics
- An Agenda for Growth and Change in Michigan: The People and Land Project**
Gil White, Michigan Assn. of Realtors; People and Land Leadership Council
- 12:15 Lunch (provided)
- 1:00 Afternoon Concurrent Sessions (choose one)
- Current Issues in Ohio Transportation Planning**
Mandy Bishop, Deputy Director of Trans. System Development, Ohio Dept. of Transportation
Andrew Williams, Admin., Office of Innovation, Partnerships & Energy, Ohio Dept. of Transportation
- Zoning Law and Agricultural Land Uses**
Peggy Hall, Director, Agricultural & Resource Law Program, The Ohio State University
- Planning for Renewable Energy in Your Community**
Kirby Date, AICP, The Countryside Program, Cleveland State University
- 2:15 Afternoon Plenary
- A Statewide Balanced Growth Program for Ohio**
Gail Hesse, Administrator, Ohio Water Resources Council
- The New Federal Interagency Partnership for Sustainable Communities**
Lynn Richards, Sr. Policy Analyst, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- 4:00 Closing



Session Descriptions

Morning Concurrent Sessions

Best Practices for Stormwater Planning

The Ohio Lake Erie Commission has developed recommended "Best Local Land Use Practices." Understand how those practices can be utilized in community stormwater planning.

Chris Riddle, Environmental Specialist, Ohio Lake Erie Commission
Kirby Date, AICP, The Countryside Program, Cleveland State University College of Urban Affairs

Ohio Rural Zoning Update

Rural Ohio is a hotbed of zoning issues. Mr. Brosius will explain the latest legislation, court decisions and attorney general opinions related to Ohio rural zoning.

Don Brosius, Attorney at Law, Loveland and Brosius, LLC

Environmental Stewardship in the 21st Century: The "Get Green Columbus" Program

Find out about Get Green Columbus, an initiative to craft environmentally sound policies, build healthier neighborhoods, and protect community air and water while encouraging development of green buildings and jobs.

Erin Miller, Environmental Steward, City of Columbus
Kevin Wheeler, Asst. Administrator, Dept. of Development/Planning Division, City of Columbus

Morning Plenary

Is Sprawl Dead?

Dr. Elena Irwin, Assoc. Professor, The Ohio State University Dept. of Ag., Env. & Dev. Economics

Dr. Irwin will discuss how the current economy and gas prices have impacted "sprawl" in the United States, recent growth and development trends in Ohio, and the legacy of the built environment left by earlier sprawl periods.

An Agenda for Growth and Change in Michigan: The People and Land Project

Gil White, Michigan Assn. of Realtors; People and Land Leadership Council

Learn about People and Land, a coming together of diverse business, environmental, social justice, and agricultural leaders who have laid out a vision to reinvent Michigan as a global economic player through vibrant communities, innovation and economic growth.

Afternoon Concurrent Sessions

Current issues in Ohio Transportation Planning

Hear about the Ohio Department of Transportation's strategic initiatives, its transportation priorities task force, federal stimulus projects and other issues affecting transportation in Ohio.

Mandy Bishop, Deputy Director of Trans. System Development, Ohio Dept. of Transportation
Andrew Williams, Admin., Office of Innovation, Partnerships & Energy, Ohio Dept. of Transportation

Zoning Law and Agricultural Land Uses

Ohio zoning law contains unique provisions for agriculture. Learn what the law states and consider different zoning approaches to agricultural land uses in Ohio.

Peggy Hall, Director, Agricultural & Resource Law Program, The Ohio State University

Planning for Renewable Energy in your Community

There's much interest in renewable energy, but how does a community plan for it? Ms. Date will provide an overview of the community planning and land use considerations raised by renewable energy.

Kirby Date, AICP, The Countryside Program, Cleveland State University College of Urban Affairs

Afternoon Plenary

A Statewide Balanced Growth Program for Ohio

Gail Hesse, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

Ohio plans to pursue a statewide approach to balanced growth, modeled after the Ohio Lake Erie Commission's Balanced Growth Program.

Ms. Hesse will present the key components of this strategy to assure long-term economic competitiveness, ecological health, and quality of life in Ohio.

The New Federal Interagency Partnership for Sustainable Communities

Lynn Richards, Sr. Policy Analyst, Smart Growth Program, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Ms. Richards will explain the new Partnership for Sustainable Communities between the U.S. Housing and Urban Development, U.S. Dept. of Transportation and U.S. EPA to help improve access to affordable housing, more transportation options and lower transportation costs while protecting the environment in communities nationwide.

Registration – Ohio Land Use Conference 2009

Registration fee of \$60 includes meals and materials. Call 614/292-6232 for registration questions.

Registration deadline for mail-in registrations is September 4, 2009; online registration will remain open until September 11, 2009. We regret that cancellations after September 4, 2009 are not refundable; cancellations of registrations paid by credit card are subject to a \$20 processing fee.

Complete this form and return it with your \$60 registration fee to:

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For room planning purposes, please indicate which concurrent sessions you plan to attend:

Morning session (choose one): _____ Stormwater _____ Rural Zoning _____ Environmental Stewardship
Afternoon session (choose one): _____ Transportation _____ Zoning and Agriculture _____ Renewable Energy

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