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local government officials, planners,
attorneys and interested citizens



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Local Land Use, Planning and Zoning Teleconferences

These programs cover topics of interest to Wisconsin local government officials, attorneys, citizens, and land use planners. Each session includes the opportunity for participant questions and comments.

Programs are moderated by UW-Extension's Local Government Center and UW-Madison Department of Planning and Landscape Architecture.

Case Law and Legislative Update

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

10:30 am – 12:00 noon

Planning law is constantly changing. This program reviews recent court decisions and legislation from the past year affecting planning and land use in Wisconsin including conditional use permits, nonconforming lots, and more.

Presented by Brian Ohm, JD, Land Use Law Specialist, Dept. of Planning and Landscape Architecture, UW-Madison/Extension

Tax Increment Financing: Evaluating Proposals to Ensure the Best Deal for the Community

Wednesday, March 14, 2018

10:30 am – 12:00 noon

Tax increment financing is an important planning tool used by many communities in Wisconsin. This program reviews how local governments use tax increment financing and explores how communities can evaluate proposals for the use of tax increment financing to ensure they are getting the best deal for the community.

Presented by Daniel Lindstrom, AICP, Planning & Community Development Manager, Vierbicher Associates, Inc.

Planning for Natural Hazards: Floodplain Zoning

Wednesday, April 11, 2018

10:30 am – 12:00 noon

The National Flood Insurance Program and Wisconsin DNR Floodplain Management Program aim to reduce the impact of flooding on private and public structures. This program explores how floodplain management is implemented in Wisconsin and how the Wisconsin Department of Military Affairs Division of Emergency Management aids communities in flood disasters.

Presented by Michelle J. Staff, CFM, DNR Floodplain Policy Coordinator; Katie Sommers, CFM, State Hazard Mitigation Officer, Wisconsin Emergency Management

Dealing with Conflict in Local Land Use Decision-making

Wednesday, May 9, 2018

10:30 am – 12:00 noon

Although land use planning is often accompanied by conflict, effective, proactive communication between local planning officials and the public can go a long way to minimize conflict. It can also inform the planning process by ensuring that the interests, concerns, and values of the public and other community stakeholders are understood by planners and considered when planning decisions are made. This session describes several public participation strategies and techniques that support an inclusive and civil planning process.

Presented by Bill Rizzo, Professor, UW-Extension (retired)

Registration

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