



What's happening in 2007?

Spring/Summer Issue—2007

Section Officers

After two years of service, Allen Cohen has resigned as PPA Southwest Secretary-Treasurer. We would like to thank Allen for his services and welcome Brandi Rosselli as his replacement. We would also like to welcome Lew Villotti as the Professional Planner representative.

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NEXT MEETING: June 29th @ 2:30 PM

Did you know that over 70% of Americans are using cell phones with over 250,000 e911 calls made every day! Demand for wireless communications has never been higher.

How is your community planning for the development of wireless infrastructure, and given the current regulatory controls in place, how robust and flexible will those systems be? Will your community have the infrastructure it needs to deliver the services that citizens demand? This meeting will engage planning professionals in this dialogue and help you be better prepared when considering ordinance revisions or wireless siting policy.

ATTN: This meeting is under consideration for Certification Maintenance credits for AICP Members.

Location: Uniontown, Fayette County at the Public Service Building (22 East Main Street) in the Conference Room (First Floor/Commissioner's meeting room).

Parking: available on Peter Street (new parking garage) you will exit the garage and walk through Storey Square to the Public Service Building.

Please RSVP Attendance to
PPASWsection@planningpa.org

2007 Meeting Schedule

Friday, June 29th
2:30 PM— Uniontown

Friday, September 28th
2:30 PM— Location TBD

Friday, December 7th
2:30 PM— Location TBD

We need your help! We need sponsors and presenters for future meetings. If you are interested, please contact Joy Wilhelm, Section Chair.

Help our section by offering to host a meeting!

Future meetings...You told us

Members want to hear about:

1. AICP Relevance and continuing education
2. County Planning Discussion (County planning directors discuss County Development goals, what they look for in a consultant, etc)
3. Wireless Communication: Cell towers and planning
4. Route 30 Master Plan www.route30plan.com

Other Suggestions:

1. Successful Multi-Municipal Comprehensive Plans
2. Land Use and Transportation Planning
3. Energy Planning
4. Planning in slow/no growth areas
5. Takings and land use

Conferences:

The 2007 PPA conference will be held in Gettysburg - October 28 & 29!

2008 PPA Annual Conference

The SW Section is busy planning for the 2008 conference. If you would like to be involved, please contact to Joy Wilhelm, Section Chair.