



**MAP Conference –
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September 22 – 24, 2010**



American Planning Association
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Making Great Communities Happen

CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

GENERAL SESSIONS:

John Engen, Mayor, City of Missoula, Missoula, MT

- Best Place Project

Jim Messina, White House Deputy Chief of Staff, Washington, DC

- Update from Washington

John Robert Smith, President and CEO, Reconnecting America, Washington, DC *(Invited)*

- Transportation Opportunities for Rural Areas and Small Towns

Larry Swanson, Director of the O'Connor Center for the Rocky Mountain West at the University of Montana, Missoula, MT

- Demographic Changes in Montana

Jim Foster, Chief of Facilities Management, Glacier National Park, West Glacier, MT

- Behind the Scenes at Glacier National Park

CONCURRENT SESSIONS:

Mark Aagenes, Conservation Director for Montana Trout Unlimited, Missoula, MT

- Exempt Water Wells

Marilyn Allen, Smooth Transitions of Western Montana, Missoula, MT

- Development for an Aging Population

Rod Austin, Director of Operations, Downtown Business Improvement Districts of Missoula, Missoula, MT

- Business Improvement Districts

Collin Bangs, Realtor, Missoula Organization of Realtors® Government Affairs Committee and the Montana Association of Realtors® Political Action Committee, Missoula, MT

- Exempt Water Wells

Mike Barton, Interim Director, Missoula Office of Planning and Grants (OPG), Missoula, MT

- Planning Director Roundtable

Candi Beaudry AICP, Director, Planning and Community Services Department, Billings, MT.

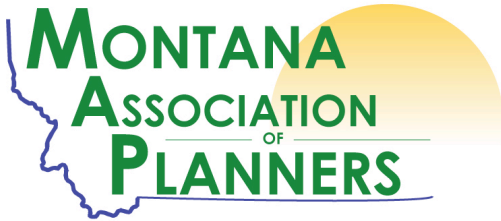
- Intro and Value of Planning; Zoning Approach to Medical Marijuana

Dick Berg, Senior Research Geologist and Curator of the Mineral Museum, Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, Montana Tech of The University of Montana, Butte, MT

- Sand and Gravel Resources

Mirtha Bicerra, Transportation Information Specialist, Transportation Division, OPG, Missoula, MT

- Planning for Active Transportation



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Lisa Bickell, Education Director, Montana Natural History Center, Missoula, MT

- ▣ The Importance of Parks, Trails and Open Space in your Community for Getting Children Outdoors

Dale Bickell, Chief Administrative Officer, Missoula County, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Missoula County Fairground Planning

John Bibbler, Fire Chief, Frenchtown Rural Fire Department, Frenchtown, MT

- ▣ Delineating the Wildland Urban Interface (WUI)

Christine Brick, Science Director for the Clark Fork Coalition, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Milltown Dam Federal Superfund Site: Remediation, Restoration and Redevelopment at the Milltown Superfund Site: Success through Collaboration

Allyson Bristor, Associate Planner and Historic Preservation Officer for the City of Bozeman, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Preservation Planning and Sustainable Economics

Ben Brouwer, Energy & Conservation Program Manager, AERO—Alternative Energy Resources Organization, Helena, MT

- ▣ Community Sustainability

Michelle Bryan Mudd, Director of the Land Use Clinic and Professor, University of Montana School of Law, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Findings of Fact / Conclusions of Law

Randy Carpenter, Land Use Planner, Sonoran Institute, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Community Sustainability, Rural Smart Growth

Kelly Casillas, Administrator for the Community Development Division with the Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT

- ▣ Takings Primer – An Overview of Takings Law; Recent Mt Land Use Related Legal Decisions

Jackie Corday, Open Space Program Manager, Missoula Parks & Recreation, City of Missoula, Missoula, MT

- ▣ The Importance of Parks, Trails and Open Space in your Community for Getting Children Outdoors

Janet Cornish, Community Development Services of Montana, Butte, MT

- ▣ Growth Policy 101; Tax Increment Finance Districts and Planning Law

Ann Cossit, Cossitt Consulting, Park City, MT

- ▣ Subdivision 101

Cathy Costakis, Physical Activity Coordinator for the Montana Nutrition and Physical Activity program (NAPA), Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Livability and the Built Environment

Allan Cox, Systems and Services Manager for the Montana Natural Heritage Program, Helena, MT

- ▣ Planning for People and Wildlife – New Tools to Address Old Issues

Pat Cross, Fire Prevention Specialist for Montana DNRC and Executive Director for Keep Montana Green, Missoula, MT;

- ▣ Wildland Urban Interface

Willis Curdy, Retired School Teacher, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Citizen Planning Approach to Target Range Neighborhood Plan



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Marjo Curgus, Director of Training and Community Leadership for the Sonoran Institute, Colorado

- ▣ Planning for People and Wildlife – New Tools to Address Old Issues

Matthew Dalbey, Senior Policy Analyst with the US EPA's Smart Growth Program, Washington, DC

- ▣ Rural Smart Growth

Andrea Davis, Executive Director, homeWORD, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Breaking Down Barriers to Affordable Housing

Steve Earle, Director, Missoula County Fairgrounds, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Missoula County Fairground Planning

Joy Earls, Realtor, Windemere Real Estate, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Development for an Aging Population

Mark Earls, Mark Earls Construction, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Development for an Aging Population

Andy Epple, Retired Director for the Department of Planning and Community Development, City of Bozeman, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ AICP Exam Preparation; Planning Ethics

Duane Ferdinand, Planning Director and Historic Preservation Officer, Lewistown, MT

- ▣ Preservation Planning and Sustainable Economics

Doris Fischer, Land Use Planning Specialist for Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks, Ruby Valley, MT

- ▣ Planning for People and Wildlife – New Tools to Address Old Issues; Riparian Resources

Julie Foster, Executive Director, Ravalli County Economic Development Authority, Hamilton, MT

- ▣ Development for an Aging Population

Dennis Glick, Executive Director, Future West, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Planning for People and Wildlife – New Tools to Address Old Issues

Jerry Grebenc, Program Manager/Planner for the Community Technical Assistance Program (CTAP) with the Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, MT

- ▣ Growth Policy 101; Planning for People and Wildlife – New Tools to Address Old Issues

Michael Haynes AICP, Director of Planning & Community Development, City of Great Falls, Great Falls, MT

- ▣ Zoning approaches to Medical Marijuana

Nancy Heil, AICP, Planner, Missoula County Rural Initiatives, Missoula, MT

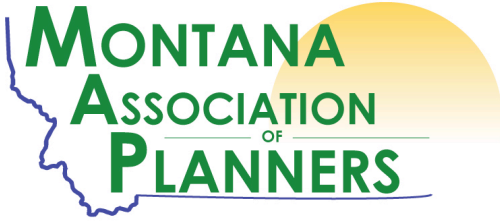
- ▣ Agricultural Land Conservation

Jamie Hoffmann, Architect, James Hoffmann and Associates, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Breaking Down Barriers to Affordable Housing

Robert Horne, Jr., AICP, Applied Communications LLC, Whitefish, MT

- ▣ Intro and Value of Planning



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Paul Hubbard, Program Coordinator for Missoula Community Food and Agriculture Coalition (CFAC), Missoula, MT

- ▣ Agricultural Land Conservation

Mike Inman, Senior Planner, Park County Community Development Department, Livingston, MT

- ▣ Subdivision Exemption Review Issues

Thomas Jentz, AICP, Director of the Kalispell City Planning Department, Kalispell, MT

- ▣ Zoning approaches to Medical Marijuana

Chase Jones, Energy Efficiency and Conservation Grants Administrator, OPG, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Community Sustainability

Nick Kaufman, Vice President and Principal Planner, WGM Group Inc, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Riparian Resource Regulations

Jeremy Keene, P.E. LEED AP, Principal Engineer, WGM Group Inc, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Planning for Active Transportation

Gerhard Knudsen, Board member of Five Valleys Audubon Society, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Riparian Resource Regulations

Susan Kohler, Chief Executive Officer, Missoula Aging Services, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Development for an Aging Population

Mike Kopitzke, Fire Program Manager, Montana DNRC, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Wildland Urban Interface

Carly Lewis, Rural Landscape Scientist, Missoula County Rural Initiatives, Missoula, MT

- ▣ PLACE Project

Steve Loken, Sustainable Building Consultant and owner of Loken Builders, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Community Sustainability

Philip Maechling, Historic Preservation Officer, OPG, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Preservation Planning and Sustainable Economics

David Mannix, Rancher, Director with the Blackfoot Challenge Organization, Helmville, MT

- ▣ Agricultural Land Conservation

Gary Matson, Director for Friends of 2 Rivers, Bonner Milltown Community Council Member, Bonner, MT

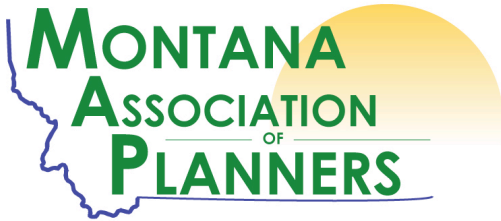
- ▣ Milltown Dam Federal Superfund Site: Remediation, Restoration and Redevelopment at the Milltown Superfund Site: Success through Collaboration

Linda McCarthy, Executive Director, Missoula Downtown Association, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Missoula Downtown Master Plan

Mary McCourt, Missoula Active Kids, Health Promotion, Missoula City-County Health Department, Missoula, MT

- ▣ The Importance of Parks, Trails and Open Space in your Community for Get Children Outdoors



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Terri McLaughlin, Water Rights Bureau Chief of the Water Resources Division, DNRC, Helena, MT

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Sarah McMillan, Attorney, Western Environmental Law Center, Helena, MT

- ▣ Exempt Water Wells

John Metsh, Research Division Chief and Senior Research Hydrogeologist, Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, Montana Tech of The University of Montana, Butte, MT

- ▣ Sand and Gravel Resources

Roger Millar, ASCE, AICP, Director of Land Use and Transportation Policy for Smart Growth America, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Zoning approaches to Medical Marijuana

Peggie Morrison, Retired School Teacher, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Citizen Planning Approach to Target Range Neighborhood Plan

Jim Morton, Executive Director of District XI Human Resource Council (HRC), Missoula, MT

- ▣ Breaking Down Barriers to Affordable Housing

John Newman, Planner, Urban Initiatives Division, OPG, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Wildland Urban Interface

Norma Nickerson, Ph.D. Research Professor and Director of the Institute for Tourism and Recreation Research (ITRR), College of Forestry and Conservation at The University of Montana, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Tourism Infrastructure

Greg Oliver, Health Promotion Division Director of the Missoula City-County Health Department (MCCHD), Missoula, MT

- ▣ Livability and the Built Environment

Will Patterson, Trails Coordinator, City of Lewistown Parks and Recreation, Lewistown, MT

- ▣ Planning for Active Transportation

Jerry Petasik, Land Stewardship Program Coordinator, North Missoula Community Development Corporation, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Breaking Down Barriers to Affordable Housing

Michele Reinhart, Montana State Representative, HD 97, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Exempt Water Wells

Janet Rhoades, Planner, Current Planning Division, OPG, Missoula, MT

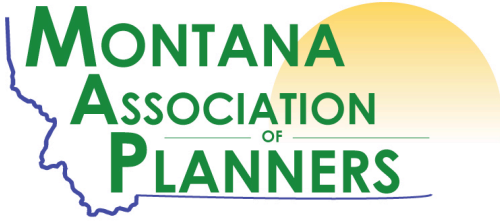
- ▣ Riparian Resource Regulations

Sarah Richey, Rural Landscape Scientist, Missoula County Rural Initiatives, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Riparian Resource Regulations

Chris Saunders, AICP, Assistant Director of the City of Bozeman Department of Planning and Community Development, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Zoning 101



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Kristin Smith, MAP President and Director, Lincoln County Planning Department, Libby, MT

- ▣ MAP Business Meeting

Fred Stewart, Retired from U.S. Forest Service, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Citizen Planning Approach to Target Range Neighborhood Plan

Greg Sullivan, City Attorney, City of Bozeman, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Zoning approaches to Medical Marijuana

Paul Travitz, Executive Director of the Ravalli County Council on Aging, Hamilton, MT

- ▣ Development for an Aging Population

Darlene Tussing, Billings Alternative Mode Coordinator, BikeNet, Billings, MT

- ▣ Planning for Active Transportation

Casey Wilson, Senior GIS Specialist, OPG, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Missoula Urban Fringe Development Area (UFDA) – the GIS Perspective

Lanette G. Windemaker, AICP, Consultant, Bozeman, MT

- ▣ Subdivision 101; Tax Increment Finance Districts and Planning Law

Rick Wishcamper, Founder and President of Rocky Mountain Development Group, Inc., Missoula, MT

- ▣ Breaking Down Barriers to Affordable Housing

Lewis YellowRobe, Planner, Urban Initiatives Division, OPG, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Citizen Planning Approach to Target Range Neighborhood Plan

Tom Zavitz, Planner, Urban Initiatives Division, OPG, Missoula, MT

- ▣ Agricultural Land Conservation

And More . . .