

**APA Upcoming Policy Guide Overview**

APA Policy Guides on critical planning issues and arm planners with the tools to advocate for policies that create more complete, resilient communities. This session will provide a brief overview of the APA's policy guides on Equitable Economic Development, Legacy Cities, and Zoning Reform are currently underway and look to engage state members to provide input.

**APA Core Competencies include:**

1. Fundamental Knowledge
  - d. Planning Law
2. Research, Technical and Analytical
  - c. Demographics and Economics
6. Leadership
  - a. Influencing Decision Making in the Public Interest
  - d. Relations with Elected and Appointed Officials
8. Integrity, Values and Ethics
  - b. Social Justice
  - d. Advocacy
9. Relevancy and Professional Commitment
  - c. Emerging Issues

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