



**Growth Center Community Planning Process  
Planning Commission  
City of Baton Rouge-Parish of East Baton Rouge**

**Community Planning and Urban Design  
Resources**

## **COMMUNITY PLANNING RESOURCES**

The Community Planning Website- includes checklists and guidelines

<http://www.communityplanning.net/>

Project for Public Spaces: Community Involvement and Transportation Issues

[http://www.pps.org/CSS/css\\_communities.htm](http://www.pps.org/CSS/css_communities.htm)

American Planning Association: Neighborhood Related Resources

<http://www.planning.org/casey/resources.htm>

American Planning Association- Kids and Community Planning

<http://www.planning.org/kidsandcommunity/>

PlaceMatters.com: High Performance Approaches to Civic Engagement, Community Design, and Decision making.

<http://www.placematters.com/>

Placemaking: Tools for Community Action- PDF file available on-line

[http://www.placematters.com/Placemaking/Placemaking\\_v1.pdf](http://www.placematters.com/Placemaking/Placemaking_v1.pdf)

Georgia Department of Community Affairs- "toolkit" of case studies, design techniques

[www.dca.state.ga.us/toolkit/index.html](http://www.dca.state.ga.us/toolkit/index.html)

## **URBAN DESIGN RESOURCES**

### **Educational Institutions**

Louisiana State University Office of Community Design and Development

<http://www.ocdd.lsu.edu/>

University of New Orleans College of Urban and Public Affairs: Applied Research, Division of Planning

<http://www.uno.edu/cupa/pages/appliedPLANNING.html>

### **Design Organization and Professionals**

Congress for the New Urbanism- includes case studies and model ordinances

[www.cnu.org](http://www.cnu.org)

American Institute of Architects- "learn more about" drop-down menu

[www2.aia.org/myaia/communities/community.asp?UserID=2&CommunityID=200](http://www2.aia.org/myaia/communities/community.asp?UserID=2&CommunityID=200)

Urban Land Institute- Smart Growth case studies

[www.research.uli.org/DK/CAStd/re\\_CaStd\\_SmrtGrthCsStd\\_fst.html](http://www.research.uli.org/DK/CAStd/re_CaStd_SmrtGrthCsStd_fst.html)

Duany Plater-Zyberk & Company: *The Lexicon of the New Urbanism*. 1999

<http://www.sustainable.doe.gov/toolkit/TCDDM/Lexicon.htm>

<http://www.dpz.com/main.htm>

Planetizen: Planning and Development Network

<http://www.planetizen.com/>

Urban Advantage: Envisioning Smart Growth

<http://www.urban-advantage.com/>

Calthorpe and Associates: Urban Designers, Planners, Architects

<http://www.calthorpe.com/>

Design, Community and Environment: Urban Design Studies

<http://www.dceplanning.com/index2.htm>

### **State and Local Governments**

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City and County of Denver, Colorado Urban Design Guidelines Publications

[http://198.202.202.66/Urban\\_Design/6217385template3jump.asp](http://198.202.202.66/Urban_Design/6217385template3jump.asp)

Raleigh, North Carolina Urban Design Guidelines

[http://www.raleigh-nc.org/planning/CP/UDG/UDG\\_final\\_draft.htm](http://www.raleigh-nc.org/planning/CP/UDG/UDG_final_draft.htm)

Oregon Department of Transportation Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan- includes design

<http://www.odot.state.or.us/techserv/bikewalk/>

### **Non-profits**

The National Trust for Historic Preservation- “issues and initiatives” including urban design

[www.nthp.org/issues/index.html?cat=2](http://www.nthp.org/issues/index.html?cat=2)

The Sierra Club Stop Sprawl Campaign - “community transformations”

<http://www.sierraclub.org/sprawl/community/transformations/index.asp>

Local Government Commission Center for Livable Communities

<http://www.lgc.org/center/>

Pedestrian and Bicycle Information Center

<http://www.walkinginfo.org/>

Smart Growth Online

<http://www.smartgrowth.org/about/default.asp>