

Membership Benefits

By joining NJAPZA you:

- Gain access to our online Membership Directory
- Receive our electronic newsletter
- Are eligible to attend educational seminars open only to NJAPZA members
- Have the opportunity to network with other professionals in the land-use field
- Receive frequent emails about upcoming educational opportunities approved by Rutgers for CE credits
- Gain access to website resources, including legislative updates



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New Jersey Association of Planning and Zoning Administrators



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Supporting Planning & Zoning In Our Communities

www.njapza.org

Our Mission

To educate our members to the legal requirements of planning and zoning administration and public employment and thereby to promote a better understanding of the official duties and obligations of its members

To encourage members to develop knowledge and expertise that enable them to excel in land-use administration and enforcement

To establish resources for membership assistance

To enhance the standing of the members in their respective communities

To promote the cause of competent and efficient municipal and county government



“The quality of our built and natural environment depends upon the skill, dedication and training of local officials ...” NJOSP Planning Memo (Vol. III, No. 1, 2/97)

The New Jersey Association of Planning and Zoning Administrators has been in existence as a statewide membership organization for more than twenty-five years. It has over 270 members who work primarily in municipal land-use offices as land use administrators, planning board secretaries, zoning board of adjustment secretaries, zoning officials, and a variety of other administrative and enforcement personnel.

Over many years the Association has partnered with the Center for Government Services at Rutgers University to establish the educational standards for key municipal planning and zoning positions. Today it continues to promote education as a critical factor in good local land-use practices, and certifications for planning board/zoning board secretaries, land use administrators, and zoning officials are offered by Rutgers.

Beyond the classroom, membership in the Association provides many opportunities to exchange ideas with others facing the same on-the-job challenges. NJAPZA also advocates for the professional respect and recognition that those working in municipal land-use offices should receive.

Membership is open to those individuals who are employed by a local government and provide administrative or zoning enforcement services in a land-use office as well as any individual with an interest in the field of planning and zoning.

Join us and make a difference!

For more information contact Jackie Zelinka, Executive Director, at 732-540-3517 or view our website at www.njapza.org.

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