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## **APA IL Chapter Award Recipients 1999-2009**

<b>2009 Award Winners</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
The Last Four Miles: Completing Chicago's Lakefront Parks.	Daniel Burnham Award for a Comprehensive Plan
City of Elmhurst Comprehensive Plan	Daniel Burnham Award for a Comprehensive Plan
West Bloomington Neighborhood Plan	Strategic Plan
Reconnecting Neighborhoods	Strategic Plan
City of Naperville Ogden Avenue Corridor Enhancement Initiative	Strategic Plan
City of Naperville Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice Report	Best Practice
North Branch Chicago River Open Space Plan	Sustainability
Honoring Our Water; A Regional Stormwater Plan for Peoria, Tazwell & Woodford Counties	Sustainability
Village of Plainfield Lockport Street Streetscape	Implementation
Kishwaukee Street Corridor Revitalization Plan	Community Outreach
City of Galesburg East Main Street Corridor Plan	Student Project (UIUC DURP)



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Revitalization and Adaptive Reuse: Maximizing the Potential of Downtown Carbondale	Student Project (SIU School of Architecture)
Ty Warner, AICP	Distinguished Service
<b>2008 Award Winners</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
West Evanston Physical Planning and Urban Infill Plan	Plan Gold Award
City of Urbana Bicycle Plan	Plan Gold Award
City of Park Ridge Uptown Redevelopment Project	Program, Project or Tool Gold Award
City of Naperville "Your Place" Web Application	Program, Project or Tool Gold Award
Village of Oak Park; Marion Street Planning	Implementation of a Plan Gold Award
Implementing Best Management Practices in the Mossville Bluffs Watershed	Implementation of a Plan Gold Award
City of Peoria Comprehensive Plan Public Outreach	Special Community Initiative Gold Award
Village of Manhattan 2008 Comprehensive Plan	Plan Silver Award
Village of South Elgin Village Center Master Plan	Plan Silver Award
Village of Olympia Fields Retail Business Assessment, Marketing Strategy and Site Development Action	Program, Project or Tool Silver Award



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Plan	
Village of Glenview Downtown Form Based Code	Program, Project of Tool Silver Award
Village of Hinsdale 2025 Strategic Plan	Special Community Initiative Silver Award
<b>2007 Award Winners</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
Village of Riverside - Village of Riverside Residential Districts Ordinance	Plan
Village of Carpentersville - Carpentersville Comprehensive Plan	Plan
City of Rockford - Rockford Area Transportation Study – Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation Study	Plan – Honorable Mention
Planning Prep - Planning Prep AICP Exam Prep Tool	Program, Project or Tool
Village of Burr Ridge - Burr Ridge Village Center PUD and Sub-Area	Program, Project or Tool – Honorable Mention
Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning - 2040 Plan: Centers Toolkit	Implementation of a Plan
Village of Palos Park - Palos Park Strategic Plan	Implementation of a Plan – Honorable Mention
City of Chicago - The Chicago Green Alley Program	Public Education
City of Naperville - Toolkit for Successful Redevelopment	Public Education – Honorable Mention
Ellen Shubart	Distinguished Service



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Local Initiatives Support Corporation / City of Chicago – Chicago Neighborhood Plans	Plan
The Northeast Illinois Planning Commission – 2040 Regional Framework Plan	Plan
The City of Urbana – Comprehensive Plan	Plan
The Village of Libertyville – Comprehensive Plan	Plan
The City of Chicago – Logan Square Open Space Plan	Implementation of a Plan
Kane County – Kane County Farmland Protection Program	Implementation of a Plan
The Village of Algonquin – Algonquin Public Art Program	Special Community Initiative
Sam Santell	Distinguished Service
Bruce Knight, FAICP Shawn Christ, AICP Robert Ahlberg, AICP	In Appreciation
<b>2005 Award Winners</b>	<b>Category</b>
The City of Marengo – Comprehensive Plan	Plan



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The Village of River Grove – Grand Avenue Village Center Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
The City of Elgin – Comprehensive Plan and Design Guidelines	Plan - Honorable Mention
The City of Geneva and Sho-Deen Inc. – Dodson Place Planned Unit Development Project	Planning Program, Project or Tool
The Village of Palatine – Downtown Land Use Guide	Plan Implementation
The North Central Illinois Council of Governments – Utica United Recovery Plan	Special or Unique Community Initiative
Karen Stonehouse	Distinguished Service
<b>2004 Award Winners</b>	<b>Category</b>
The DeKalb County Regional Planning Commission – The DeKalb County Unified Comprehensive Plan	Plan
The WIKADUKE Trail Land Use & Access Management Advisory Committee – The WIKADUKE Trail Land Use & Access Management Study	Plan - Honorable Mention
The Northeastern Illinois Planning Commission – The Green Infrastructure Vision	Plan - Honorable Mention
The DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference and The County of DuPage – The Dupage Area Transit Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention



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The Illinois Association of Regional Councils – The Planning Guidebook – Developing a Community Strategic Plan	Planning Program, Project or Tool
The Northeastern Illinois Planning Commission – The Paint the Town Forecaster	Planning Program, Project or Tool
The Town of Normal – Guidelines for the South Downtown Residential District	Planning Program, Project or Tool – Honorable Mention
Chicago Department of Environment, The Chicago Park District and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers – The Morgan Shoals Natural Area Concept Development Report	Planning Program, Project or Tool – Honorable Mention
The Northeastern Regional Illinois Planning Commission and The Campaign for Sensible Growth – The Building Sustainable Communities Series	Public Education
The Tri-County Regional Planning Commission – The Tri-County Trails for the Future CD ROM	Public Education – Honorable Mention
The Village of Round Lake Beach – Neighborhood Vacant Home Acquisition and Rehabilitation Project	Plan Implementation
The Village of Skokie – The Skokie Swift Dempster Street Multi-Modal Transportation Center	Plan Implementation – Honorable Mention



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The Blackberry Creek Water Resource Planning Committee – The Blackberry Creek Futures Analysis	Special or Unique Community Initiative
Robert E. Sullivan	Distinguished Service
<b>2003 Award Winners</b>	<b>Category</b>
The City of Decatur and The Decatur Housing Authority – The Near North Neighborhood Redevelopment Plan & Design Guidelines	Plan
Kane County Forest Preserve District, Kane County and The Kane County Council of Mayors – the Kane County Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
The City of Highland Park – The City of Highland Park Affordable Housing Needs and Implementation Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
The City of Urbana - The City of Urbana Comprehensive Plan Update and Public Participation Process	Plan - Honorable Mention
The Forest Preserve District of Dupage County – The Salt Creek Greenway Master Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
The City of Aurora – The Aurora Countryside Vision Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
The City of Batavia – The Downtown Batavia Master Plan: A Primer for Placemaking	Plan - Honorable Mention
The Chicago Housing Authority – The Northtown Village Project	Planning Program, Project or Tool



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The City of Chicago – The Planning and Licensing a Child Day Care Center in Chicago Manual	Planning Program, Project or Tool – Honorable
The Village of Skokie – The Southeast Industrial Area Redevelopment Project	Planning Program, Project or Tool – Honorable Mention
The League of Women Voters of Jo Daviess County – The Jo Daviess County Comprehensive Plan Education Project	Public Education
The Northeastern Illinois Planning Commission – Smart Growth Portfolio – Building a Regional Framework	Public Education – Honorable Mention
Kane County – Making it Work! Series of Workshops	Public Education – Honorable Mention
The Southwestern Illinois Resource Conservation & Development, Inc. – Chouteau Island Master Plan Project	Plan Implementation
The City of Aurora – Aurora Neighborhood Initiative	Plan Implementation – Honorable Mention
The Village of Glen Ellyn and the Glen Ellyn Historical Society – Glen Ellyn Teardown Study	Special or Unique Community Initiative – Honorable Mention
John C. Pettigrew	Distinguished Service
<b>2002 Award Winners</b>	<b>Category</b>
The City of Chicago - The Calumet Area Land Use Plan	Plan
Will County - The Will County Land	Plan - Honorable Mention



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Resource Management Plan	
The City of Springfield – The Springfield R/UDAT 2002 Project	Planning Program, Project or Tool – Honorable Mention
The Metropolitan Planning Council - Revise, Recreate, Rezone: A Neighborhood Guide to Zoning	Public Education – Honorable Mention
The Chaddick Institute of DePaul University - Technical Workshops	Planning Program, Project or Tool – Honorable Mention
The City of Des Plaines – The Des Plaines Library Plaza Project	Plan Implementation – Honorable Mention
Kane County - The Kane County Rustic Roads Program	Plan Implementation – Honorable Mention
Community First, Inc. - Workbook for Successful Development	Special or Unique Community Initiative
The Illinois Lincoln Highway Coalition - The Illinois Lincoln Highway Coalition Project	Special or Unique Community Initiative – Honorable Mention
Grace Bazylewski	Distinguished Service
<b>2001 Award Winners</b>	<b>Category</b>
City of Elgin - Riverfront/Center City Master Plan	Plan
City of Naperville - Naperville Downtown Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
City of Kankakee - Downtown Kankakee & Court Street Corridor	Plan - Honorable Mention



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City of Chicago - Guide to the Chicago Landscape Ordinance	Planning Program, Project or Tool
City of Elmwood - Kids Planning Workshop	Public Education – Honorable Mention
City of Springfield - Springfield Neighborhood College	Public Education – Honorable Mention
Village of Bensenville - Heritage Square Development	Plan Implementation – Honorable Mention
<b>2000 Award Winners</b>	<b>Category</b>
NIPC - Biodiversity Recovery Plan	Plan
NIPC - Regional Water Trails Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
Village of Northfield - Northfield 2020 Vision Plan	Plan - Honorable Mention
Rock Island - Making Cents of 11th Street	Public Education
McLean County Regional Planning – Newsletters	Public Education
Campaign for Sensible Growth - Growing Smart in Illinois	Public Education – Honorable Mention
Arlington Heights - Arlington Heights CDB Plan Implementation	Plan Implementation
Lake Forest - Lake Forest Character Study	Special or Unique Community Initiative
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North Branch Chicago River Watershed Plan	Plan



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Rock Island Neighborhood Development Planning	Plan
City of Chicago - Public Outreach for Preservation Planning	Public Education
Village of Northbrook - Central Business Area Newsletter	Public Education
DuPage Co. Natural Areas Study Implementation Report	Plan Implementation
Highland Park /Chamber Partnership Marketing Program	Plan Implementation – Honorable Mention
Custer & Reed Townships: Will Co.- Comprehensive Plan	Special or Unique Community Initiative
Ford Heights/APA Pro-Bono/Congressman Jesse Jackson, Jr. – Ford Heights Pro Bono Project	Special or Unique Community Initiative – Honorable Mention