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Editors' Notes

After two issues which focused on special topics -- Rural Planning last spring, and Public/Private Ventures this winter -- we decided to publish a "mixed bag" issue in hope of offering a wide range of topics to fit the wide range of interest represented by our readers.

Those who are interested in historic preservation will enjoy reading the Southern and Kaplan article dealing with the preservation of rural housing, and the Rowland piece describing New Bern's involvement with the Main Street program.

Several articles describe intriguing planning methods. Coe and Jones describe the use of circuit riding planners; Hollyer and Snaman discuss the uses of CDBGs; Furuseth, Ives, Stiftel and Burby give planners ideas on flood management; and Guffey and Barnes show how human services planning can improve local delivery systems.

Propst examines new legal issues related to aesthetics and land use control which may soon be affecting planners throughout the Southeast, and various planning techniques and theoretical concepts are discussed by Hively, Robinson, and Haak. Also included are our regular features of Book Reviews and In the Works.

We hope our readers enjoy the issue, and we encourage letters to the editors, contributions to In the Works as well as regular articles, and of course, new subscriptions.



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