Wednesday, March 4, 2009 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

#### Location

City Hall Plaza Council Chambers (Lower Level) 630 South Central Avenue Marshfield, WI 54449

## Registration

The cost of the workshop is \$15. The registration fee includes printed materials. Catered lunch will be provided for an additional \$10 per person.

The Zoning Board Handbook, 2nd Edition, Nov 2006, is also available for an additional \$10 per copy.

# Open Workshop

This workshop will have an open concept: registrants may come and go as they please, staying for a portion of or the entire workshop, although the registration fee of \$15.00 will remain the same for all registrants. Lunch will be provided for those who request it in advance. It will NOT be available to walk-in registrants.

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# About the Program

This workshop is presented by the University of Wisconsin-Extension Center for Land Use Education. The workshop is designed for new and continuing plan commission and zoning board members. Other interested persons are also encouraged to attend.

### Presenters

Lynn Markham and Rebecca Roberts—Land Use Specialists with the Center for Land Use Education

# Topics of Interest

Please send suggestions for topics you would like to see covered at the workshop to Lynn. Markham@uwsp.edu. Workshop for Plan Commissions and Zoning Boards



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City	
State Zip	
County	e-mail □ ✓ to add to CLUE electronic mailing list
Daytime Phone	$\Box$ $\checkmark$ to add to CLUE electronic mailing list $\Box$ $\checkmark$ to receive an electronic receipt
Additional registrants:	
Workshop Fee (includes handouts):	Qty \$15.00 each
Lunch	Qty \$10.00 each
Zoning Board Handbook, 2nd Edition, (Add \$2.00 shipping & handling per handbo	
Method of Payment	
Check enclosed (Payable to the <i>Center for Land Use Education</i> )	Bill local government unit at:
Total amount enclosed	
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To register by phone, call (715) 346-3783	or, mail registration form to: BOA Workshop
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Agenda		
8:30-9:00 a.m.	Registration	
For Plan Commission 9:00-9:05 a.m. 9:05-9:15 a.m. 9:15-10:30 a.m.	<ul> <li>Members         <ul> <li>Introduction by Jason Angell, Director of Planning &amp; Economic Dev Overview</li> <li>Local government structure and the role of planning and zoning</li> </ul> </li> <li>Plan Commission Basics         <ul> <li>Authority and organization</li> <li>Roles and responsibilities                 <ul> <li>Planning and plan implementation</li> <li>Referrals and advisory recommendations</li> <li>Conditional uses, rezones, plat review</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Break	
<i>For Plan Commission</i> 10:45 a.mNoon	<ul> <li>and Zoning Board Members</li> <li>Procedural Standards</li> <li>Open meetings, public hearings and site visits</li> <li>Making and recording decisions         <ul> <li>Impartial decision makers and recusal</li> <li>Decision standards</li> <li>Creating a proper record and findings of facts</li> <li>Working with others: Applicants, planning staff, governing body, boards, commissions, residents and others</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
Noon-1:00 p.m.	Lunch (catered)	
For Zoning Board Men 1:00-1:05 a.m. 1:05-3:00 p.m.	<ul> <li>Introduction by Bonnie Curtiss, Planner/Zoning Administrator Zoning Board Basics</li> <li>Authority and organization</li> <li>Purposes of provisions in your zoning ordinance: setbacks, height limitations, other</li> <li>Zoning board decisions         <ul> <li>Administrative appeals</li> <li>Conditional uses/special exceptions</li> <li>Variances: Legal standards</li> <li>Variances: How to consider expansions to nonconforming structures beyond what is allowed in the ordinance</li> </ul> </li> <li>Exercise: Would you grant the variance?</li> </ul>	