

30th Annual Planning Symposium

March 1, 2018 • Marriott Syracuse Downtown
PROGRAM

- 7:30 – 8:00 AM** **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 – 8:20** **Welcome and Federation Annual Meeting**
David Tessier, President, Onondaga County Planning Federation
Edward M. Riley, Managing Member, Hotel Syracuse Restoration
- 8:30 – 9:30** *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*
A. ZBA Overview (Please note this session runs through 10:40 am)
B. ReZone Syracuse
C. Solar Ready Communities
- 9:40 – 10:40** *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*
A. ZBA Overview, continued
D. Regulatory 101
E. Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) and Their Positive Impact on CNY and the Mohawk Valley
- 10:40 – 11:00** **Break**
- 11:00 – 12:00 PM** *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*
F. Site Plan Review
G. Is Enhanced Transit Viable in the Region?
H. Planning for Community Resiliency
- 12:15 – 12:50** **Lunch**
- 12:50 – 1:00** **Keynote Introduction**
Joanne M. Mahoney, County Executive, Onondaga County
- 1:00 – 1:30** **Keynote**
Richard A. Ball, Commissioner, New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets
- 1:40 – 2:40** *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*
I. Record Keeping
J. Stepping Through the SEQRA Process
K. Incorporating Food Systems in Planning
- 2:40 – 3:00** **Break**
- 3:00 – 4:00** **Closing Plenary Session: Case Law Update for Planning and Zoning**
- 4:00 – 4:45** **Guided Tour of the Restored Marriott Syracuse Downtown**