

31st Annual Planning Symposium

March 7, 2019 • Marriott Syracuse Downtown
PROGRAM

7:30 – 8:00 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00 – 8:15 Welcome and Federation Annual Meeting

Kevin Gilligan, President, Onondaga County Planning Federation

8:30 – 9:30 *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*

- A. Planning and Zoning: An Introduction** (Please note this session runs through 10:40 am)
- B. Whatever Floats Your Zone: A Case Study of the DeWitt Mixed-Use Overlay District**
- C. Where's the Money and How to Get It**

9:40 – 10:40 *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*

- A. Planning and Zoning: An Introduction, continued**
- D. Accessing the Benefits of Historic Preservation**
- E. Best Trees for the Most Benefits**

10:40 – 11:00 Break

11:00 – 12:00 PM *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*

- F. Walkable Communities**
- G. NYS Harmful Algae Blooms and the Planning Response**
- H. SOCPA Hour with Dan and Allison**

12:15 – 12:45 Lunch

12:45 – 1:45 **Keynote: A Conversation with Onondaga County Executive J. Ryan McMahon, II and Syracuse Mayor Ben Walsh**

Facilitated by Dan Kwasnowski, Director, Syracuse-Onondaga County Planning Agency

2:00 – 3:00 *Choice of three concurrent sessions:*

- I. Community Design Tools**
- J. Understanding the New Changes to SEQRA**
- K. Small Cell Wireless Network Technology and Planning: Presentation and Panel Discussion**

3:00 – 3:15 Break

3:15 – 4:15 **Closing Plenary Session: Case Law Update for Planning and Zoning**

4:15 – 5:00 **Guided Tour of the Restored Marriott Syracuse Downtown**