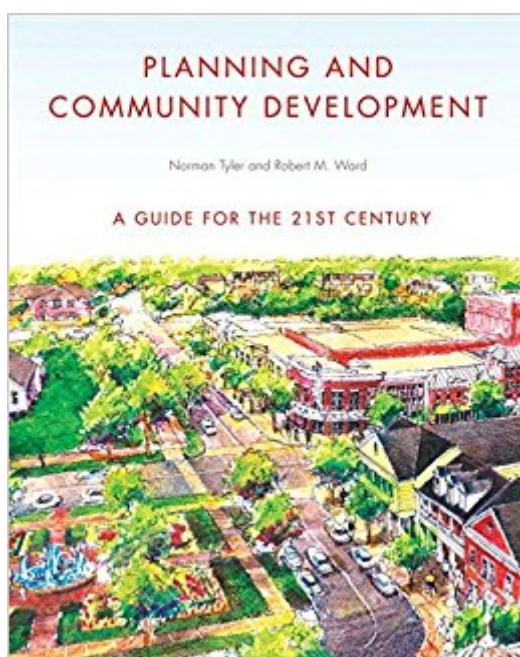


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# Planning And Community Development: A Guide For The 21st Century



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Not gonna tell anyone anything about the book because I used it for a planning course at university and read less than 1/4 of it.

It was required for my course. It is a decent read if city planning is something you are interested in?

As an Urban Planning major, I am required to read many texts about community development. This text was very interesting and focused on some of the architects and planners that changed the direction of planning in the U.S. It provides much historical context and I enjoy that aspect of it. Great book and an easy read. Good condition.

The book was purchased to be donated to a public library in honor of a speaker who is a Community Development specialist. She was very pleased with the book and highly complementary of the selection.

Great introductory book for urban planning. Good visuals and references are easy to find.

No complaints. Informative, served its purpose as class reading

Needed the book for school, it arrived in great condition and is exactly what I needed!As for the book, little boring at parts, but it's a college textbook so. . Actually pretty exciting for a college book.

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