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GEOG. 479  
RURAL, TOWN & REGIONAL PLANNING  
MWF, 2:10 to 3:00, Room: SS362

TEXT Herbert Smith. "The Citizen's Guide to Planning." Chicago: The American Planning Association, 1993.

Sept.	4	Introduction
	6	Introduction -- Film: "Why Plan?"
	9	Introduction -- Slides: "Woodland Heights"
	11	An overview of rural America
	13	The planner and the rural community
	16	The planner and the rural community
	18	The Planner's dilemma- Video: "The State of Discontent"
	20	Getting to know people
	23	Getting to know people
	25	Comprehensive Planning
	27	Comprehensive Planning
	30	HOLIDAY-for attending Planning Board Meeting
Oct.	1	Attend Missoula Planning Board Meeting: 7:00 to ??? at the Missoula City Council Chambers
	2	Student meetings to prepare for Oct. 4 presentations
	4	Student presentations and discussions regarding Planning Board Meeting
	7	Comprehensive Planning
	9	Comprehensive Planning--Sides:"Today is Yesterday's Tomorrow"
	11	Land subdivision
	14	Land subdivision
	16	Visiting Speaker: Subdivision, Planner, Office of Planning and Grants, Missoula
	18	MIDTERM EXAM
	21	Zoning
	23	Zoning
	25	Zoning
	28	Zoning
	30	Visiting Speaker: Zoning, Office of Planning and Grants, Missoula
Nov.	1	Capital Improvement Planning
	4	Capital Improvement Planning
	6	Planning law: Christopher Daly, Missoula practicing attorney
	8	Planning law
	11	Holiday

	13	Planning law
	15	Planning law
	18	Planning law
	20	Design and design problems--Pattern Language
	22	Design and design problems--Slides: "Site Planning, The Physical Process"
	25	Design and design problems--Video: "Conserving Rural Character and Open space"
	27	Holiday
	29	Holiday
Dec.	2	Design and design problems--Video: Randall Arendt
	4	Design and design problems--Video: Randall Arendt
	6	Student Presentations
	9	Student Presentations
	11	Student Presentations
	13	Student presentations
	16	Student presentations
	18	Make up day
	20	FINAL EXAM - 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. (Friday)