

Reading #1: Making Plans

Not as easy as it sounds should be an add-on to this title as the article explores the complexity of the process from analogies of “plan first, then react.” Overall the solution is meant by answering four questions: solving problems, plan justifications, the adjustment to the rational model, and the role of the planner in making, developing and implementing the plans. Problems stem from when planners identify key components. Justifying is when planners rely on legal or moral authority. The rational model adaption is expanded when used with comprehensive plans, policy and strategic plans finishing with consensus building. The last question to be answered is the role of the planner which is in relation to the title of “Urban and Regional Planner” it is what is done that facilitates the outcome.