## **URBAN PLANNING – Yes, there is a plan**

## Wednesday, October 23, 2019 10 AM – 12 Noon Molinaro, D132



We all at times wonder what our city or village was thinking as they made decisions affecting its residents.

We have invited Ray Forgianni, the retired long-time city planner and director of city development for Kenosha, to give us some background on how those decisions come to be made and some of the constraints under which community leaders must function as they try to do what's best for the majority of residents.

Ray plans to discuss housing, such as where what types should be located (income level, density, etc.) and design considerations.

We will learn what goes into attracting and retaining both needed and desirable businesses to our communities. (Where's our Trader Joe's?)

Ray will then address transportation planning and what goes into the decisions as to how to get most of us where we need to go.

Questions? Contact Mary Ann Cassani at 815-409-1807 or email maryann.cassani@att.net

Urban Planning- Yes, there is a plan	Members \$7	Guests \$ 10	Register by October 13, 2019
Name		Check #	
Phone	Email		
Emergency contact name & phone			

Deliver **cash** registration to the ALL office in Tallent Hall. **Checks** payable to UW-Parkside/ALL; deliver or mail to Vanessa. **Credit card** registration for members <u>must be</u> submitted online; an email with a member registration **LINK** will be sent around the 1st Monday each month. NO online credit card registrations can be accepted for guests. As registrations fill, members get preference in signing up.

## **Ray Forgianni**



Ray Forgianni is the founder and president of Kenosha Common Market, Inc., a not for profit corporation, which operates Kenosha HarborMarket and Kenosha Winter HarborMarket, a European-style farmer market.

Previously, Ray was the City Planner and Director of City Development in the City of Kenosha for 33 years, retiring at the close of 2006.

Educated in Wisconsin at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, B.A. Psychology, and the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, M.S. Urban Affairs. Ray's efforts also included Urban Revitalization, Historic Preservation, Urban Design, Redevelopment and Economic Development.

You can find Ray at Kenosha HarborMarket. Ray also cultivates a garden, travels Europe visiting Public Markets and public space and is an avid cook and wine connoisseur.