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January 31, 2018



VICTOR DOVER, FAICP, FOUNDING PRINCIPAL, DOVER, KOHL & PARTNERS TOWN PLANNING

TOPIC: STREET DESIGN: THE SECRET OF GREAT CITIES AND TOWNS

Approved for 1.5 AICP CM Credits

March 14, 2018



RICK GONZALES, AIA, PRESIDENT, REG ARCHITECTS

TOPIC: HISTORIC BUILDINGS AS PLACEMAKER ANCHORS

February 21, 2018



ELLEN DUNHAM-JONES, FCNU, PROFESSOR OF URBAN DESIGN, GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

TOPIC: RETROFITTING SUBURBIA FOR 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES

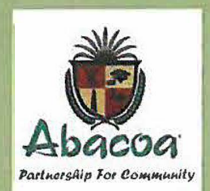
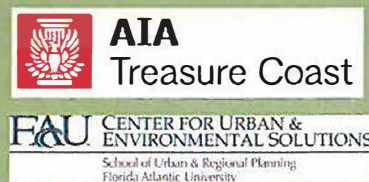
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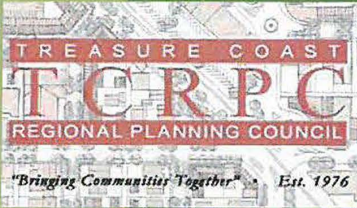


RAPHAEL CLEMENTE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, CITY OF WEST PALM BEACH

TOPIC: THE IMPACT OF ART ON TOWNS AND CITIES

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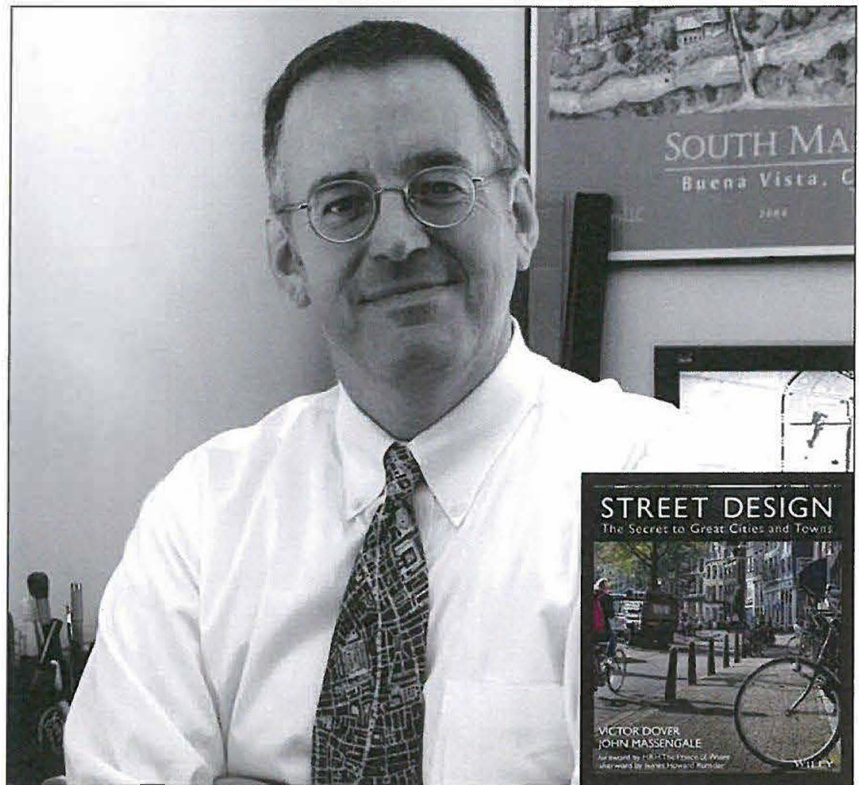
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Victor Dover, FAICP cofounder of Dover, Kohl & Partners Town Planning in Coral Gables, Florida, has 25 years of experience restoring healthy neighborhoods and creating walkable communities. The coauthor of *Street Design: The Secret to Great Cities and Towns* (Wiley, January 2014), he has designed 150 neighborhoods, urban revitalization programs, and regional plans across five continents including Plan El Paso, hailed as "America's Best Smart Growth Plan."

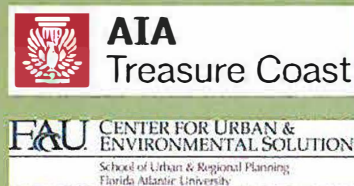


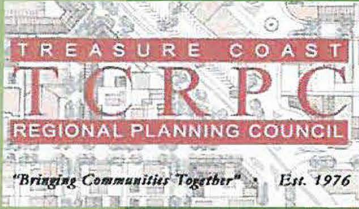
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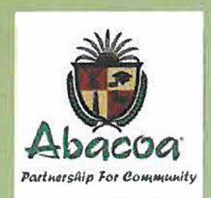
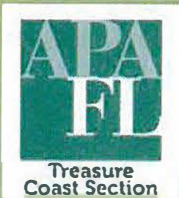
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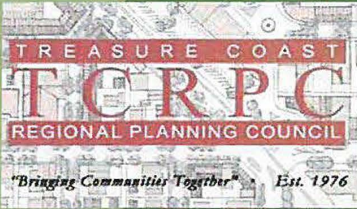
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Ellen Dunham-Jones, FCNU, is a professor of urban design and Director of the Master of Science Program in Urban Design at the Georgia Institute of Technology. An authority on sustainable redevelopment of dead shopping centers, office parks, etc., she is co-author of *Retrofitting Suburbia: Urban Design Solutions for Redesigning Suburbs*, (Wiley; 2009, 2011). Her work has been featured in *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, TED, and NPR.

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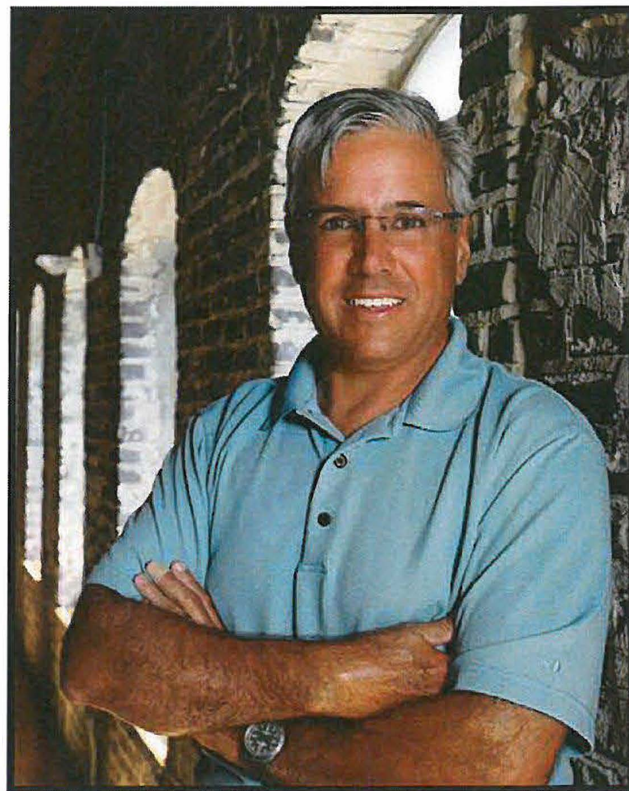
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Rick Gonzalez, AIA, founded REG Architects, Inc., with his father Ricardo in 1988 in downtown West Palm Beach. Rick holds two architectural degrees from the Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C. and has studied design in Guatemala, Costa Rica, Colombia, and Italy. He is currently on the board of the Florida Historical Commission, a past President of the Florida Trust for Historic Preservation, and is actively involved with many community organizations. He has served on the Board of Trustees of the Maryland Institute College of Art, (MICA) and the Preservation/Architectural Advisory Boards of the University of Florida and Catholic University of America. His association with high-profile projects like Donald Trump's Clubs at: Mar-a-lago, West Palm Beach, Jupiter and Doral, the Historic 1916 Palm Beach County Court House, the Harriet Himmel Theatre at City Place, Marriott Hotel & Resort, Singer Island, and the Lake Worth Beach Casino has led the firm to numerous awards for architecture, historic preservation, and planning.

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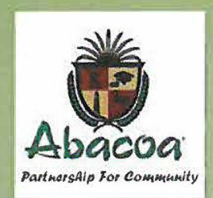
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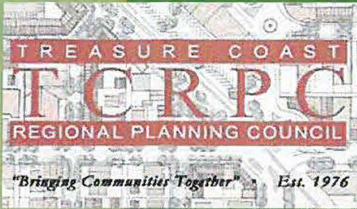


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Throughout the decade Raphael has been working as the Executive Director of the Downtown Development Authority for the City of West Palm Beach. He has increasingly utilized art and creative “instigations” as tools to improve and enhance the public realm. These projects and programs have resulted in a measurable improvement of the public perceptions of West Palm Beach and an increase in business revenues. As a result of the success of arts based programs, the Downtown Development Authority launched the West Palm Beach Arts and Entertainment District in November of 2015. Since that time the District has made a tremendous impact in the community with dozens of arts based projects, and over \$100,000 of grants and sponsorships in less than two years.

ART HARNESSSES THE POWER OF CREATIVITY, EMOTION AND INNOVATION, AND CAN TRANSFORM THE PUBLIC REALM FROM MUNDANE TO MARVELOUS. IT IS WHAT OUR CHILDREN, VISITORS AND INVESTORS REMEMBER ABOUT A CITY, WHETHER THEY GREW UP WITH AN ICONIC LANDMARK, PASS IT ON THE WAY TO WORK, OR SEE IT ON THEIR WAY TO THE AIRPORT, CRUISE SHIP OR WALKING DOWN A STREET. ART TELLS A STORY AND CONNECTS PEOPLE TO A PLACE. THE PRESENTATION WILL PROVIDE EXAMPLES FROM DOWNTOWN WEST PALM BEACH AND OTHER LOCALES THAT DEMONSTRATE THE OVERWHELMING DIFFERENCE THAT ART MAKES IN HOW THE PUBLIC REALM IS PERCEIVED AND EXPERIENCED. THE SITE SELECTION PROCESS, AND HOW TO GAIN SUPPORT, WILL BE ALSO BE DISCUSSED.

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