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Subject NEW for 2015 AMO Online Course: What is Land Use Planning?

**Why does a municipality need a plan?  
What is the Planning Act?  
What key tools will help council in planning?  
How do you manage expectations of citizens, staff and other stakeholders?  
What is Land Use Planning?**

Councillors in Ontario may have a basic understanding of what land use planning is and how it is approached in Council. This online course by AMO is intended to provide an overview of what you need to know about land use planning and provide you with a basic understanding of the challenges faced by Councillors.

This go at your own pace course explores:

- What is land use planning?
- Why is land use planning important?
- The Planning Act and framework
- Key tools for land use planning
- Zoning By-laws
- Land Severances
- Plans of Subdivision
- Minor Variances
- Site Plan Control By-laws
- Development Permit System (DPS)
- Managing Councillor expectations
- Functions, roles and processes

Learn more about the course at <http://amo.skillbuilder.ca>

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