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CURRICULUM PROPOSAL COVER SHEET

University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

I. CONTACT

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Department Department of Geography and Regional Planning--Planning

II. PROPOSAL TYPE (Check All Appropriate Lines)

☒ **COURSE** Intro to Planning

Suggested 20 character title

☐ New Course* _____

Course Number and Full Title

☐ Course Revision _____

Course Number and Full Title

☐ Liberal Studies Approval+ _____
for new or existing course

Course Number and Full Title

☐ Course Deletion _____

Course Number and Full Title

☒ Dept. Prefix

☒ Number and/or Title Change GE 360 Introduction to Planning

Old Number and/or Full Old Title

RP 350 Introduction to Planning

New Number and/or Full New Title

☒ Course or Catalog Description Change RP 350 Introduction to Planning

Course Number and Full Title

☐ **PROGRAM:** ☐ Major ☐ Minor ☐ Track

☐ New Program* _____

Program Name

☐ Program Revision* _____

Program Name

☐ Program Deletion* _____

Program Name

☐ Title Change _____

Old Program Name

New Program Name

III. Approvals (signatures and date)

Gail S. Sechrist 9/11/95
Department Curriculum Committee

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College Curriculum Committee

Susan Enker 9-11-95
Department Chair

[Signature] 9/25/95
College Dean

+Director of Liberal Studies (where applicable)

*Provost (where applicable)

Part II. Description of the Curriculum Change

1) New catalog description.

RP 350 Introduction to Planning

3c-01-3sh

Introduction to the profession and activity of contemporary American urban and regional planning. Course emphasis is placed on land use control, design, growth management and development regulation. The legal and institutional bases of planning practice are covered as well.

2) Department prefix, course number, and catalog description change.

a) Change from **GE 360 Introduction to Planning** to **RP 350 Introduction to Planning**

b) Catalog description change.

Old description:

GE 360 Introduction to Planning

3c-01-3sh

Introduction to field of planning on city, metropolitan, regional, and county levels. Included are intergovernmental context and legislative basis for planning; the comprehensive plan; plan implementation and the planning agency.

New description:

RP 350 Introduction to Planning

3c-01-3sh

Introduction to the profession and activity of contemporary American urban and regional planning. Course emphasis is placed on land use control, design, growth management and development regulation. The legal and institutional bases of planning practice are covered as well.

3) Rationale for the changes.

- a) The department prefix is being changed to more clearly identify the Regional Planning courses. This change will improve graduation check out and move us toward our goal of accreditation. The course number has been changed to accommodate curriculum changes and insure consistency in format.
- b) The proposed catalog description more adequately reflects the specifics of course content and contemporary issues in planning practice.