

# AMERICAN PLANNING ASSOCIATION, SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES DIVISION ANNOUNCES FIRST EVER AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN SUSTAINABILITY

On April 27, 2014, the American Planning Association's Sustainable Communities Division handed out its first ever Awards for Excellence in Sustainability in seven categories. The categories and winners are:

#### 1) Sustainable Development Project

CITY OF LAKEWOOD, COLORADO for the

Sustainable Neighborhoods Program + Network

# 2) Sustainable Building Project

<u>LEMLE + WOLFF, INC</u> in partnership with Design AIDD Architecture, Di Bari Engineering + The Daylight Savings Company for 812 E. 231<sup>ST</sup> Street, Bronx, NY

## 3) Sustainable Parks, Recreation + Open Space Project

21ST CENTURY PARKS in partnership with Metro Parks, Future Fund Land Trust + Wallace, Roberts and Todd for the

The Parklands of Floyds Fork, Louisville Kentucky

#### 4) Green Infrastructure Project

CAMDEN COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY in partnership with the City of Camden, Camden Redevelopment Agency, Heart of Camden + Center for Environmental Transformation for the

Waterfront South Rain Gardens, Camden, New Jersey

#### 5) Sustainable Plan Award

CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS in partnership with Wallace, Roberts and Todd for the

Imagine Austin

## 6) Emerging Leaders' Sustainable Plan Award

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, Yohan Chang, Ashlee Grace, Diego Horna Munoz, Katie Knapp, Megan McPhilimiy, Christian Rodman, Katy Ryan and Katie Wholey, Students under the advisement of Larissa Larsen and Eric Dueweke for the

Revising Toledo's Stormwater Credits Program

### 7) Leadership in Sustainability Award

Wallace, Roberts + Todd

About the APA Sustainable Communities Division: The need for leadership on comprehensive approaches to sustainability planning is growing. The APA Sustainable Communities Division's goal is to help planners engage in and collaborate on innovative approaches to this important emerging issues. See <a href="https://www.planning.org/divisions/sustainable/">https://www.planning.org/divisions/sustainable/</a>