Date Submitted: May 12, 2015
Name of Committee Chair reporting: Paul Mogush and Andrew Mack

**Information Only Items**

1. **Briefly describe committee activities since your last report.**

We had a successful Planners’ Day at the Capitol event on April 8. This year we experimented with charging a $20 registration fee, and it did not appear to affect attendance. We had 24 attendees, which is comparable to recent years. The program focused on transportation, with a presentation from Transit for Livable Communities executive director Barb Thoman on the Move Minnesota agenda, to which the chapter has signed on as a supporter. We were joined by Rep. Tina Liebling of Rochester and Sen. Susan Kent of Woodbury for further discussions about transportation as well as how to interact with your legislators. Tom Jensen continues to produce regular updates on the legislative session and court cases of interest to the membership. We are working on cleaning up the committee’s portion of the chapter web site to make this information more clear and accessible.

**Items for which you are requesting action by the Chapter Board**

Please describe the type of action you are requesting (letter of support, approval of a budget line item, approval of workplan, etc.) Please provide background information for each item on which you are requesting Board action.

1. **Action you are requesting of the Chapter Board (should be one sentence):**
   Adopt budget and pilot program for citizen planner training.

   a. **Background information for your request:**
      [Andrew Mack will send this under separate cover]