Supporting Community Centered Schools for All: A Workshop on Policy, Practice, and Legal Strategies

Schools are one of the most important public elements in neighborhoods, cities, and regions. Families and communities want schools that are learner-centered, sustainable, centers of community, and that enhance all students’ achievement. Schools also provide safe, engaging places for children and their families to exercise and play. In this session, we look at K-12 schools in the smart growth context. How do policies and practices support smart growth outcomes? How do smart growth policies support schools?

Thursday, February 4th, 1:30-5:00

Workshop Includes:

- Opening Up Our Schools with Joint Use Agreements Discussion
- Small Group Breakout Activity
- Schools as Centers of Community Policy Panel

Come speak with policy experts and state and local leaders about ways to ensure schools are integrated into and viewed as strategic assets in their communities.

Workshop Participants:

Center for Cities & Schools
National Trust for Historic Preservation
Public Health Law & Policy
Seattle Parks and Recreation
Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, State of Washington
Oregon Transportation & Growth Management Program