

** UPDATE **

ULI New York's COVID-19 Response Plan

Dear ULI Community:

The health and safety of our members, staff, and event attendees remains ULI's highest priority. Since we announced our COVID-19 response plan in March we have continued to closely monitor the pandemic and the guidelines and information issued by the <u>WHO</u>, the <u>CDC</u>, and New York State and City health and public officials. In light of the most recent recommendations made by the CDC and State and City authorities and their forecasts of COVID-19's impact in New York, ULI New York is making further adjustments to our schedule of meetings, events, and programs. We will continue to reevaluate and update our plans on an ongoing basis as changes in circumstances require. As such, the following changes will now remain in effect through the end of June:

- All in-person committee meetings will be converted to conference or video conference calls. We will communicate updated meeting information directly to all meeting participants.
- All events, Local Product Council meetings, programs, and training sessions will be rescheduled, canceled or, where possible and appropriate, proceed on their originally scheduled date(s) as webinars or webcasts. We will communicate all changes and relevant information and details to all current and future registrants.
- Site tours and networking events will be rescheduled, and all current and future registrants will be notified of the rescheduled date(s).
- Spring 2020 UrbanPlan Facilitations and City Council sessions have been canceled and the volunteers have been directly notified.

Given the current forecasts for COVID-19, and in an excess of caution, we have rescheduled the 5th Annual Awards for Excellence in Development Gala to Monday, November 2. The Gala will take place at Cipriani Wall Street as previously planned. Please visit the Awards for Excellence website for information about the Gala and for the latest updates.

As we adjust to a rapidly changing environment due to COVID-19, we are implementing and exploring new ways of delivering value to our members through virtual content:

• Join fellow ULI members every **Thursday at 1pm** for our **Weekly Webinar Series** exploring the challenges, impacts, and long-term implications of COVID-19. Learn what your peers are doing to manage and lead through this public health crisis and what new strategies the industry can develop to adapt for an uncertain future.



- We are connecting and engaging our member networks through our Local Product Councils, committees, affinity groups (NEXT, WLI, YLG), and programs (TAPs, UrbanPlan, Mentor Program) utilizing Zoom Meetings.
- We continue to explore the virtual delivery of community impact initiatives like UrbanPlan and our Technical Assistance Panels (TAPs).

The COVID-19 pandemic remains an extremely fluid situation, and it is possible that future circumstances could require additional changes to our plans and schedules. We will make every effort to communicate those changes to our membership in a timely fashion.

Please visit the ULI New York <u>Events</u> page for more information, the latest updates on our events and programs, and to register for upcoming webinars.

If you have thoughts on particularly pertinent topics for the industry at this time, we welcome your ideas. Contact us at <u>newyork@uli.org</u>.

Thank you for your membership and continued support. Stay safe and healthy.