

K. W. Poore and Associates, Inc.

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CEO EMERITUS / SENIOR PROJECT CONSULTANT

BACKGROUND

Founder and CEO Emeritus of K. W. Poore and Associates, Inc., Ken serves as the firm's Senior Planning Consultant, and has over forty (40) years experience in the preparation and/or supervision of comprehensive/master plans and community development projects throughout Virginia. He manages the firm's comprehensive planning and design workload, project development, and implementation of various federal and state funding initiatives including CDBG, conducts annexation studies involving expert testimony, and prepares redevelopment and conservation programs under Title 36.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Project Consultant – Comprehensive Plan Update

Town of Vinton, VA.

The final Comprehensive Plan included an Economic and Community Development Plan to supplement implementation and funding strategies for such projects as downtown redevelopment and neighborhood revitalization. The final plan articulated a strong sense of place. By emphasizing gateway entrances, corridor improvements, housing and neighborhood preservation, greenways and parks.

Project Consultant – Comprehensive Plan Update

City of Petersburg, VA.

Planning efforts have focused on high stakeholder participation and coordination between City departments, neighboring institutions, area NGOs and resident input. Special attention is paid to entrance corridors, and opportunities for redevelopment and economic expansion. The final Comprehensive Plan will include future development scenarios, land use and transportation planning, and identifying redevelopment opportunities and funding resources.

Project Consultant – Comprehensive Plan Update

Town of South Boston, VA.

Working closely with the Planning Commission, Town Council, and Town staff, existing conditions were analyzed, potentials for development identified, and recommendations developed for the future. The plan focused on attracting a diverse mix of new residents and business developments. It also served to maintain the area's high quality of life and low cost of living through a series of goals and objectives along with implementation strategies.

EDUCATION

Master of Urban and Regional Planning, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University, 1966

Bachelor of Architecture, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University, 1966

Urban Studies, George Washington University, 1965

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Planning Association, Virginia Chapter

American Institute of Certified Planners

National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials

Chesapeake Bay Foundation

