Smart Growth Project

Part 1

Fighting AGAINST Urban Sprawl – Divergent Thinking

This project will be due the first Friday we are back from the break. What are we trying to accomplish? Can we make a difference in high density, high poverty areas? Forge on to see!

Complete the following using your phone and/or computer.

1. In your own words, describe what smart growth is.
2. Justify why smart growth is needed in neighborhoods (new & existing) as well as urban areas.
3. Using the QR code to the left (1st, 9th & 10th principle use what is given in the box), identify 10 smart growth principle examples, location and summarize “in a nutshell” and “why we like it”.

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| Principle | Location | In a nutshell | Why we like it |
| Mix Land Uses |  | Rule of Thumb | How to achieve |
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| Make development decisions predictable, fair & cost effective |  | Look this up on google. Describe how it can be accomplished and identify 3 advantages. | |
| Encourage community & stakeholder collaboration in development decisions |  | Look this up on google. Describe the benefits of having this principle as part of a Smart Growth Development. | |