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Today at CMC Noon-1:15 p.m.

The Future of Street Level Retail in Downtown Columbus

Chris Boring, president, Boulevard Strategies; Cleve Ricksecker, projects director, CapitolSouth; Bill Schottenstein, principal, Arshot

Moderated by: Marc Conte, director of research and information, Downtown Development Resource Center Sponsored by: CVS Pharmacy

Upcoming CMC Forums

Wednesday, June 9 **Growing Smarter Series**

Growth and Social Equity

Presented in partnership with: 1000 Friends of Central Ohio

john a. powell, executive director, Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity at The Ohio State University and Williams Chair in Civil Rights and Civil Liberties at the Moritz College of Law

The concentration of poverty and minorities within city borders may seem like facts of economic life. In fact, the residential segregation that prevails in so many metropolitan regions derives from deliberate policy choices. john a. powell will discuss how, by investing public and private resources into existing communities encouraging the production of affordable housing; and eliminating barriers to affordable housing production; we can create more equitable communities

Wednesday, June 16

Rebuilding the I-70/71 **Downtown Split**

Gordon Proctor, director, Ohio Department of Transportation

Sponsored by: Kokosing Construction, Inc. and EMH&T Engineers The I-70/71 downtown split is the most congested, high-

crash freeway location in the state. By June, ODOT expects to narrow the list of potential concepts to two or three for further analysis, before making final recommendations for the corridor by the end of the summer. Join us for an in-depth look at the final three proposed concepts for fixing the dreaded downtown split.

Wednesday, June 23

OSU Alumni Association: New Leader, New Goals -A Whole New Ballgame!

Archie Griffin, president and CEO, The Ohio State University Alumni Association

Taking the reins of the second largest alumni association in the country is no small task even for the country's only two-time Heisman Trophy winner, Archie Griffin. After six months in the role, Griffin will share his vision, goals, priorities and dreams for the OSU Alumni Association as it fulfills its mission to "Stay Connected, Make Ohio State Stronger."

Wednesday, June 30

NO FORUM

Wednesday, July 14

Debating the Patriot Act Chuck Rosenberg, chief of staff to the

Deputy Attorney General of the United States; **Jeff Gamso**, legal director, ACLU of Ohio,

On October 26, 2001, President Bush signed the USA Patriot Act into law. This law provides for sweeping new powers for both domestic law enforcement and international intelligence agencies. Some argue that in doing so we have eliminated the checks and balances that previously gave courts the opportunity to ensure that these powers were not abused. Join us for a powerful debate about the new law and its provisions.

Columbus Nugget

In 1926 a group of forward-thinking Ohio farmers organized the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation to advocate their political and business interests. The early Farm Bureau leaders believed established insurance companies were overcharging their farmer members for auto insurance. After all, farmers only drove their cars when the rural roads were passable.

Although they knew little about insurance techniques and practices, these intuitive men and women went door to door to sell their neighbors this new auto insurance. Today, Nationwide Insurance is one of the nation's leading property and casualty insurers with nearly \$7 billion in total premiums.

Next Wednesday at CMC • June 9

Growing Smarter Series

Race, Social Equity & Urban Sprawl

Presented in partnership

john a. powell, executive director, Kirwan

Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity at The Ohio State University and Williams Chair in Civil Rights and Civil Liberties at the Moritz College of Law

In a recent survey by the Fannie Mae Foundation, interstate highway investments were ranked as the number one promoter of suburban sprawl. The typical sprawling development pattern that follows has isolated low-income people, particularly people

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Our public investments are a reflection of our social priorities. Much of the nation's infrastructure has been invested in new suburban communities, which have disproportionately benefited white and middle class neighborhoods. Cities that lose residents to the suburbs suffer from a decline in business investment and tax revenues, yet still must pay for a large physical infrastructure and the disproportionate social problems (crime, drug abuse, welfare) of those who cannot or do not leave.

Urban disinvestment, white flight and the concentration of poverty and minorities within city borders may seem like "natural"

facts of economic life - tragic but unavoidable. But in fact, the residential segregation that prevails

in so many metropolitan regions derives from deliberate policy choices.

Sprawl's pernicious effect on social equity took two generations to create and it will surely take longer to fix. However, fix it we must. Join CMC and john a. powell to find out how, by investing public and private resources into existing communities; encouraging the production of affordable housing; and eliminating barriers to affordable housing production; we can create more equitable communities.



United Way Assesses Community Needs: "What Matters 2004"

"The research takes a holistic approach to community impact to address the needs of the whole person, whole family, whole neighborhood, whole community."

 Roberta Garber, Executive Director, **Community Research Partners**



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Frey and Sandy Morckel continue the forum discussion.

'We're unveiling one of the most comprehensive needs assessments ever undertaken in this community. . . we really want this information out in the community. It doesn't do anyone any good if United Way keeps it."

- Janet Jackson, CEO & President United Way of Central Ohio

About Us...

CMC firmly believes in the free expression of all ideas and the benefits of an open exchange of information. CMC is non-partisan and takes no positions on issues.

Anyone can join! From the beginning, there have been no barriers to membership and all forums have welcomed the general public. Diversity, both in programming and membership, is one of the many benefits of being involved in CMC. Everyone is welcome.

Each forum is an hour-long program that starts with a brief introduction followed by 25-30 minutes of speaker comments. The final half hour is filled with unfiltered, unrehearsed questions from the audience.

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before the forum; \$17 thereafter. **Guest of a Member:** \$19 if registered by the Friday before the forum; \$22 thereafter. **General Public:** \$22 if registered by the Friday before the forum; \$25 thereafter. **Pre-Paid Reservations**: All (members, guests, public) reservations must be pre-paid. American Express, Mastercard, VISA, checks and

cash are accepted. CMC has a long-standing member service of keeping credit card numbers on file for use only when authorized by the cardholder. To initiate this automatic billing service, contact the CMC office at (614) 464-3220. Reservations must be paid before the forum. Cancellations: Cancellations must be made no later than the Monday before the forum for a full refund. You will be called if space is not

Guest Policy: CMC welcomes guests of members with a special fee.

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Our policy remains the same: a non-member may attend two forums per year as a guest of a member at \$19 per forum; thereafter that guest will be charged the general public fee of \$22 per forum. All guests' names are needed in advance.

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