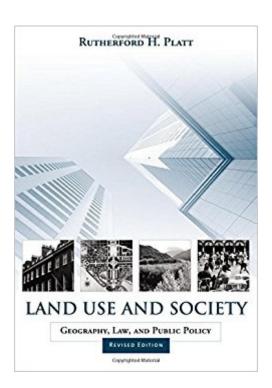


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As I said its good for beginners in Land Use field. The book covers history mostly but not very theoretical / scientific history. It only informative history. Again I bought it for a class and referred it for exams.

Today, I read a letter to the editor in the Daily Hampshire Gazette in which Professor Platt, the

author of this book, opined about the recent State court decision that determined the Northampton Business Improvement District had not been properly established and was thus - null and void. In Mr. Platt's letter, he laments the demise of the Northampton BID and faults the plaintiffs in the litigation for protecting their property rights and shining a light onto the corruption of the local Northampton proponents of the BID and the politicians who looked the other way as the corruption was underway. So, since Mr. Platt referred to this book in his letter, I decided to look it to determine if his misguided analysis of the NBID litigation would be displayed in his text. Does the author's lack of respect for the rule of law interfere with his judgment overall when he writes about topics discussed in this text? I will not know because I decided not to purchase his book. Frankly, its cost far exceeded my interest. Full disclosure. I have an interest as a plaintiff in the Federal lawsuit against the City of Northampton and the Northampton BID.

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