

THE ACADEMY FOR SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES
PRESENTS
BUILDING COMMUNITY, CREATING PLACES
AND SUSTAINING NEIGHBORHOODS
WITH FRED KENT
MAY 7, 2010



This keynote presentation focuses on the simple challenge of creating places within cities that people intuitively like and where communities thrive. Fred Kent has spent over 30 years researching and helping communities conquer this challenge.

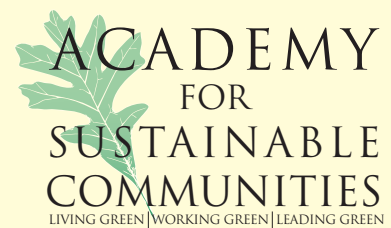
“Placemaking,” a term coined by Fred’s organization, Project for Public Spaces (PPS), is both an overarching idea and a hands-on tool for improving a neighborhood, city or region.

Fred will share new ways of thinking about public spaces and how placemaking can be used to bring communities together and revitalize underperforming spaces.

EVENT DETAILS

Speaker: Fred Kent
Date: Friday, May 7, 2010
Time: 8–10 a.m.
Location: Sylvester Powell Community Center
6200 Martway, Mission, KS 66202
Fee: \$25 per person; \$15 student rate
\$180 for a table of eight

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