

Advisement Form – **Master of Administration - COMMUNITY PLANNING EMPHASIS**

Department of Geography and Public Planning, Northern Arizona University

**STUDENT:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STUDENT ID#** \_\_\_\_\_

Emphasis Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

**Master of Administration Core (18 units):**

\_\_\_\_\_ **ADM 515 - Principles of Leadership (3)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **ADM 540 - Principles of Administration (3)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **POS 543 - Organizational Management (3)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **ADM 599/526 - Advanced Professional Writing (3)** (or advisor approved elective; this is a new course starting Fall 2009, and will be required starting Fall 2010)

\_\_\_\_\_ Choice of one of the courses (3):

- **ADM 530 - Principles and Strategies of Program Evaluation**
- **POS 501 - Research Methods and Analysis**
- **PL 506 - Community Planning Students may substitute PL 506 for this requirement, with advisor approval.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **ADM 689 - Capstone (3)** - Capstone Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

**Community Planning Emphasis (18 units)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 501 - Communities and Public Planning (3)** - This online seminar introduces students to major issues and approaches in public planning.

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 506 - Planning Analysis and Presentations (3)** – This online class introduces students to census and population data and its analysis and presentation related to land use issues. (If used for the M. Admin. Core, above, then another elective will be taken in place of this class.)

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 532 - GIS for Planners (3)** - This online class teaches planners how to use geographic information systems for land and community analysis. (*Computer knowledge and skills are a prerequisite for this course, along with permission from the instructor to register for it.*)

**Nine Units** selected from the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 401 - Planning Permitting and Review (2)** (*required* for students with no professional planning experience)

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 521 - Planning Law and Ethics (3)** (*required* for students with no professional planning experience; new course starting Spring 2010)

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 545 - Community Planning and Public Health (3)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 599/514 - Sustainable Community Planning (3)** (new course starting Spring 2010)

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 608 - Fieldwork Experience (1-12)** (internship)

\_\_\_\_\_ **PRM 423 - Recreation Facilities Planning (3)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **CM 690 - Construction Contract Administration (3)**

\_\_\_\_\_ **PL 599 – Current Issues / Special Topics (3)** (may be repeated with different titles)