City of Rock Hill Internship

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Why Did I Participate In This Internship?

- I chose to participate in this internship, so that I could learn form the "Real World", instead of a classroom.
- During my internship, I have done many different things from observing plan reviewers to going out on field inspections.

What Did I Learn in the Office?

- While in the office, I have had the opportunity to learn from many different departments of the Planning and Development department at the City of Rock Hill
- I have learned from the long range planners, whose job is to determine how the recent, and future, development of Rock Hill will change things like traffic flow.
- When I was with the plan reviewers, I learned how to read plans for a building or home and determine if the plans meet the required building codes.

What Did I Learn in the Field?

- Majority of my time spent at internship was with the field inspectors.
- I have observed the field inspectors inspect things ranging from electrical panels to replaced windows to the framing of a building
- I have also been given the opportunity to help the inspectors by learning how to check the outlets to make sure they are wired correctly.

How Has This Internship Helped Me?

- Through this internship, I have learned things that will help me in the future, as well as now.
- I have used some of the information presented to me during my internship to help me with physics projects and in my drafting class.
- I feel that this experience will help me tremendously in my future, because if I know the jobs of the people I will be working with, my job will become much easier.