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As a community planner and landscape architect, Mr. Drum leads multi-disciplinary teams in formulating water resources development projects within the Ohio River Basin. He is responsible for formulating civil works projects for flood risk reduction, inland navigation, ecosystem restoration, water supply, hydroelectric power, recreation and other public benefits throughout several states. Mr. Drum has worked on riverfront development, greenways, regional parks, community redevelopment, intermodal industrial park development, urban redevelopment, regional planning, and coastal hurricane protection. He has been the lead planner in the ongoing Martin redevelopment project in Martin, KY, and was the lead Corps planner for the West Virginia Statewide Flood Protection Plan. He recently prepared a nonstructural plan formulation appendix for the Mobile District that addressed hurricane protection for the entire coastline of Mississippi. Mr. Drum is currently the lead planner for a four District Ohio River Basin Comprehensive Recon Study spanning 15 states and 204,000 square miles. He is a licensed landscape architect in WV and a past member of the AICP.