

## Chapter 5 Guided Reading Questions- Urban Sprawl

1. Define urban development.
2. Define suburbs and give an example.
3. How and why are suburbs created?
4. What technology makes suburbs possible (mode of transportation)?
5. Define urban sprawl and give an example.
6. Define metropolitan area and give an example.
7. Why were cities much smaller 200 years ago?
8. Define urban fringe and give an example.
9. Define rural fringe and give an example.
10. Define walking city and give an example.
11. Why do cities want to grow quickly?
12. Why do people oppose urban growth?
13. Define pollution and give an example.
14. What did Oregon do to balance both sides?
15. Define smart growth.
16. Define urban growth boundary.
17. Define public transit system and give an example.
18. Define mixed use developments and give an example.
19. What is Canada's largest metropolitan area?
20. Define infill.
21. Instead of sprawling out, how did Toronto decide to grow?
22. What do people opposed to infill argue?
23. What city is known as the "fastest spreading human settlement in history"?
24. Describe four problems associated with growth in Atlanta?
25. What law did Atlanta violate due to growth?
26. If they did not comply what was their penalty?
27. What was Gov. Barnes solution?
28. How successful was it (Question 27)?
29. (Opinion supported by evidence) (Essay) What is more important: economic development and growth or the environment and very slow growth?