

MEETING NOTES

HB 1579 COMMISSION TO STUDY LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

RESEARCH ON ALTERNATIVE STATE PROGRAMS SUBCOMMITTEE

April 20, 2009 * 2:45 PM
LOB Room 305, Concord, NH

Present:

Representative Sue Gottling, NH House of Representatives
Johanna Lyons, representing NH Department of Resources and Economic Development
Jennifer Czysz, NH Office of Energy and Planning
Laura Deming, NH Audubon Association

I. REVIEW MATRIX

Those present noted that the matrix has become imbalanced and needs additional identification of programs in other states to draw comparisons to those in NH. Those present assigned individuals to identify programs from *outside* NH to add to each row. Programs need not be represented within every column on the matrix, however, there should be 1-3 alternatives to a NH based program presented in each row. Rows were divided up amongst individuals who will send information to Jen to be incorporated into a more balanced matrix. Row assignments were as follows:

- Federal and State Environmental Protection Acts – P. Walker
- Smart Growth – J. Czysz
- Land Use Planning – J. Lyons
- Integrated Planning – J. Czysz
- Water Resources (general) – C. Adams?
- Wetlands – direct – C. Adams?
- Wetlands – Indirect – L. Demming
- Rivers/Streams – L. Demming
- Lakes/Ponds – L. Demming
- Aquifers – L. Demming
- Infrastructure and Transportation – C. Killam?
- Housing – J. Czysz
- Redevelopment and Historic Preservation – S. Gottling
- Wildlife – L. Demming
- Conservation/Recreation – J. Lyons
- Coordinated Permitting – C. Russell

II. REVIEW RESEARCH TEMPLATE

The research template is complete and has been emailed to each member of the subcommittee. Members of the subcommittee will complete the research template for programs within their assigned matrix row. Research templates do not need to be completed for every program listed in the matrix, but rather those that are most valuable for the Commission's further consideration.

III. NEXT STEPS

1. Jen will distribute the row assignments.
2. Members will identify additional programs to be listed in other states or Federal items to complete each matrix row.
3. Members will begin to complete the research templates for individual programs.

IV. FUTURE MEETING SCHEDULE

The subcommittee members proposed meeting on May 8, 2009. Jen will arrange a meeting time and location.