



NH Coastal Climate Summit VIII

TIPS, TOOLS, AND PERSPECTIVES: PAYING FOR CLIMATE ADAPTATION AND RESILIENCE

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DRAFT AGENDA

- 8:30 WELCOME** – *Steve Miller, Great Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve (GBNERR)*
- 8:45 SETTING THE STAGE** – *Cameron Wake, University of New Hampshire*
- 9:00 HOW IT REALLY FEELS | MUNICIPAL PERSPECTIVE** – *Todd Selig, Town of Durham*
- 9:15 TAKING ADVANTAGE OF EXISTING PROGRAMS** – *Cory Riley, GBNERR*
- ◆ **NH Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) funds**
 - Overview of the Funding Source – *Whitney Welch, HSEM*
 - Use of HSEM Funds for Adaptation – *Alexx Monastiero, HSEM*
 - ◆ **State Revolving Loan Fund**
 - Evolution of the Program to Include Resiliency – *Tracey Wood, NH Department of Environmental Services (NHDES)*
 - Durham project – *Kyle Pimental, Strafford Regional Planning Commission*
 - ◆ **Aquatic Resource Mitigation Funding**
 - Overview of funding source – *Lori Sommer, NHDES*
 - Lubberland Creek, Newmarket – *Steve Fournier, Town of Newmarket*
 - ◆ **Questions and Facilitated Discussion** – *Cory Riley, GBNERR*
- 10:45 BREAK**
- 11:00 EXPLORING THE BENEFITS OF STORMWATER UTILITIES** – *Julie LaBranche, Rockingham Planning Commission (RPC)*
- ◆ **Introduction to Stormwater Utilities | Co-Benefits** – *Deb Loiselle, NHDES*
 - ◆ **Success Story: Portland, ME** – *Ed Suslovic, City of Portland*
 - ◆ **Dual Purpose: Northampton, MA** – *Ben Sweeney, NHDES*
 - ◆ **Feasibility Study: Dover, NH, Lessons Learned** – *Chris Parker, City of Dover*
 - ◆ **Questions and Facilitated Discussion** – *Julie LaBranche, RPC*
- 12:30 CAW CLIMATE CHAMPION AWARD PRESENTATION**
- 12:45 LUNCH**
- 1:45 CREATIVE APPLICATIONS OF EXISTING TOOLS** – *Nathalie Morison, NHDES*
- ◆ **Nuts and Bolts** – *Steve Buckley, NH Municipal Association*
 - ◆ **Dover: Transfer of Development Rights and Tax Increment Financing** – *Chris Parker, City of Dover*
 - ◆ **Exeter: Tax Incentives/Credits in RSA 79-E Community Revitalization Tax Relief Incentive** – *Darren Winham, Town of Exeter*
 - ◆ **Portsmouth: Solar Tax Abatement and Exaction Fees** – *Peter Britz, City of Portsmouth [INVITED]*
 - ◆ **Questions and Facilitated Discussion** – *Nathalie Morison, NHDES*
- 3:00 WRAP UP AND NETWORKING WITH HOLIDAY COOKIES**