

Free Workshop January 21, 2016

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Resilient Vermont Network

Communicating and Collaborating to Protect Vermont's River Corridors

Thursday, January 21, 2016, 12-3:30 (lunch provided)

Vermont League of Cities and Towns Conference Room
89 Main St #4, Montpelier, VT

Who should attend: This workshop is for individuals and organizations working with municipalities and landowners on river corridor protection, land use, community preparedness and resilience.

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River corridor protection is critical to the health and safety of our communities and landscapes, but it's not so simple to put policies and actions into place. There have been many changes to rules and regulations, incentives, and even language around river corridors in recent years. Join us to explore how we can better communicate the importance of protecting our river corridors and collaborate to make it happen. This workshop will:

- Build relationships and collaboration strategies among others working on resilience and river corridor protection.
- Identify compelling messages to encourage river corridor protection
- Share experiences, best practices and lessons learned by others engaged in outreach to landowners and municipal officials
- Give you access to new outreach materials and resources
- Help you connect with additional support and technical assistance

Vermont has more than 23,000 miles of rivers and streams running across the state. Currently only 14% of Vermont municipalities have adopted development restrictions specific to river corridors

Together, we can work to better protect river corridors to reduce risk to Vermont communities.

This workshop is organized by the Resilient Vermont Network, in partnership with the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources and the Vermont League of Cities and Towns.

If you've ever wondered...

- What's the difference between a river corridor and a fluvial erosion hazard zone?
- How is a river corridor different than a floodplain?
- What's the best way to explain these differences to a municipal official?
- And what options does that municipality have for protecting these areas?
- Who can help me explain these concepts?
- Where can I find the best education and outreach materials?

Then this is the workshop for you!



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