

SRPC Planning Board UPDATE 2/5/2019



1 SRPC staffers rely on several publications from municipal and planning agencies in New Hampshire to help them keep current with planning-related trends and developments. Among the most notable are Town and City magazine from the New Hampshire Municipal Association (NHMA) and Granite State Planner from the New Hampshire Planner's Association (NHPA). NHMA publishes Town and City six times a year, and NHPA releases its newsletter quarterly. Both include important case studies in New Hampshire and neighboring states, information on upcoming events, legislative happenings in the Granite State, and other important news. Each issue of Town and City also features a guest article from a regional planning commission.

Both organizations recently released their latest publications. All articles from the January/February 2019 edition of Town and City can be found on the [NHMA website](#). To view the Winter 2019 edition of the Granite State Planner, click on the link on the [NHPA website](#). SRPC's featured article, "Strafford MPO-led partnership receives national recognition," can be found in this latest edition.

Keep an eye on the NHMA and NHPA websites for the next editions, the March/April 2019 Town and City and, in the spring, the next quarterly Granite State Planner.

2 SAVE THE DATE:

The New Hampshire Office of Strategic Initiatives (NHOSI) will host its 25th Annual Spring Planning and Zoning Conference on Saturday, June 1.

Registration for the event will begin in March, when the agenda and descriptions of the conference sessions will be released.

Stay tuned to [NHOSI's website](#) for updates.

3 RESHARE from the SRPC Newsletter:

Join Plan NH from 8:30 a.m. – noon on Thursday, Mar. 14, for a workshop on nature and the economy presented by Shannon Rogers, Ph.D., of the University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension. The workshop is for planners, economic development folks, community and thought leaders, and anyone interested in making their community more vibrant and delightful. It will be held at NH Audubon in Concord.

Through case studies and interactive activities, participants will learn about the connections between the environment and the economy. They will sketch out their own community's natural assets and see how they can be used to advance community and economic development goals. Everyone who attends will leave with actionable ideas and potential next steps for their communities or organizations.

Learn more and [register online](#).