

LRPC LEGISLATIVE NIGHT MEETING

February 23, 2009* Southern New Hampshire University 2 Airport Road (NH Route 11), Gilford, NH 6:00 P.M.

Dear LRPC Commissioners, Legislators, and Interested Parties:

On Monday, February 23 the Lakes Region Planning Commission will convene a Legislative Night commission meeting at Southern New Hampshire University in Gilford. Starting at 6:00 pm, the meeting will feature a broad array of proposed 2009 legislation, including: state and municipal requirements for outdoor lighting, a 'Dark Skies policy' for NH; third party review of land use applications; a NH Broadband Plan and staff, leasing of state lands on public waters, and a moratorium on the comprehensive shoreland protection act. LRPC's Legislative Night Meeting is a unique opportunity for legislators, planning commissioners, local officials, and the public to meet and discuss proposed legislation. Your participation and attendance are encouraged and welcomed. All LRPC Commission meetings are open to the public. Please contact us at 279-8171 or lrpc@lakesrpc.org for additional information.

AGENDA

6:00 pm	Welcome and Introductions/Robert Snelling, LRPC Chairman Approval of the Minutes of the November 17, 2008 Commission Meeting
6:10	Legislative Night Introduction: Kimon Koulet, LRPC Director
	Senator Deb Reynolds (Plymouth) SB 159 Establishes a broadband technology director and the development of a comprehensive broadband plan for the state.
	SB 107 Establishes a process to lease state-owned real estate on public waters, with new provisions for leasing lands managed by the NH Bureau of Rail and Transit.
6:40	Representative Betsy Patten (Moultonborough) HB 156 Authorizes applicants to select third party review consultants from a list of persons prequalified by a planning board.
7:05	Robert Gillette (Ossipee) for Representative Robert Bridgham HB 585 Establishes a 'Dark Skies' policy for NH to encourage outdoor lighting efficiency at the municipal and state level
7:35	Representative Mark McConkey (Freedom) for Senator William Denley SB 139 Establishes a moratorium on the comprehensive shoreland protection act.
7:55	Other Discussion
	Adjournment Light Refreshment Available

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*For cancellations due to inclement weather, please monitor local radio stations and the channel 9 storm center Snow date is February 24, same time and place.