

1000 Friends of Connecticut Proudly Invites You

Putting Connecticut Back on its Tracks:
Part III in A Speaker Series
featuring
COMMISSIONER SMITH, DECD

When: Thursday, January 19, 2012 from 6:30-8:00 PM

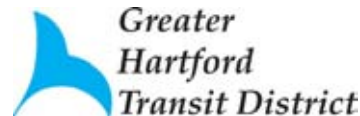
Where: Union Station Great Hall, One Union Place, Hartford, CT

Recent market forces and social trends have forced people to rethink the way we occupy space, particularly urban space. For that reason, 1000 Friends of Connecticut has invited Commissioner Smith from the Dept. of Economic and Community Development to close our Speaker Series and speak to issues surrounding ***sustainable economic development and the land-use decisions that will more effectively manage our state's historic sprawling growth patterns.***

Join us and learn how Commissioner Smith's vision for economic development will make real progress in areas including:

- Compact, walkable communities
- Revitalized Downtowns
- Enhanced Mass-Transit
- Smart-Energy Practices,
- And Land-use Decisions that Support Them!

Part Three of our Speaker Series is Made Possible By:



1000 Friends of Connecticut is a statewide organization whose mission is to promote and shape growth to ensure a prosperous economy, a healthy natural environment, and distinctive, integrated and attractive communities while promoting opportunities in education, housing, transportation, and employment for ourselves and future generations.

Program:

6:30-6:45: Registration and Networking

6:45-7:00: Welcome

7:00-8:00: Keynote Address, Commissioner Catherine Smith, DECD.

Question and Answer Session will follow!

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