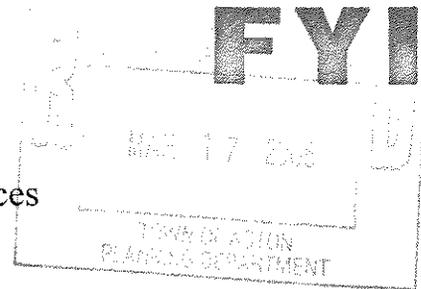


Massachusetts Land Forum Announces



The Second Massachusetts Forum on Land Use Reform

Sponsored by

The Coalition for Zoning Reform / Zoning Reform Working Group

Wednesday, April 6, 2005

10:00 AM - Noon (Registration at 9:30 AM)

**Location: Suffolk University Law School, 120 Tremont Street, Boston
(Across from the Park Street T Station)**

**The forum is FREE. Please register through links at www.apcc.org
(Association to Preserve Cape Cod)**

The Forum will provide information and updates about the proposed Massachusetts Land Use Reform Act, the chief sponsors of which are Senator Pamela Resor and Representative Douglas Peterson and Stephen Kulik. The forum will focus on the land use planning challenges faced by the Commonwealth, why these reforms are needed, and what is involved in moving them from proposed legislation into law. The full text and background material on the Massachusetts Land Use Reform Act, as well as updates on this forum, can be found at www.massmunilaw.org

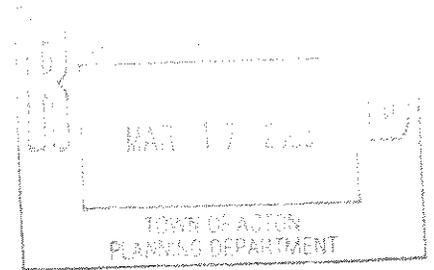
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The Massachusetts Federation of Planning and Appeals Boards

SAVE THESE DATES

- - Annual Meeting 2005 - -



The **Annual Meeting** of the Massachusetts Federation of Planning and Appeals Boards will be held on **Saturday, October 22nd**, from **9:00 AM to 3:30 PM** at the Crowne Plaza in Worcester. This is the Federation's 90th year of service to the Planning Boards and Zoning Boards of Appeals in the State of Massachusetts. Please join us for a quiet celebration and another interesting program.

- - Spring Area Meetings for 2005 - -

(all meetings - 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM)

Central Massachusetts - Thursday, April 28th. At The Castle Restaurant in Leicester. Although the program is still being readied, we can tell you that Attorney Carol Rolf will introduce her new manual on Special Permits.

Southeastern Massachusetts - Thursday, May 5th. At Albert's Restaurant in Stoughton. The program is still in preparation, but William Tebaldi of Needham will present a proposal for a by-law to offer accessory apartments for the elderly. This by-law would be fully 40-B compliant. Bill's idea has gained some national attention!

Western Massachusetts - Thursday, May 12th. At The Yankee Pedlar in Holyoke. This program is also in preparation. Staff will present the new Special Permits publication. Other speakers to be announced.

Cape & Islands - Thursday, May 19th. At the Ramada in Hyannis. Attorney Carol Rolf will present her new Special Permits manual. Additional program elements to be announced.

Northeastern Massachusetts - Thursday, May 26th. At the Radisson in Woburn. Attorney Carol Rolf will introduce her new Special Permits manual. Additional program elements will be announced.

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