State of Vermont, Funding Clean Water Improvements Report

Agenda

Date/Time: Thursday, October 20, 2016, 10:30am to 11:30am

Location: VT Dept. of Environmental Conservation, 1 National Life Dr., Main 2, Montpelier, Winooski Room, M240

Focus: Regional Planning Commissions

10:30 Welcome, Introductions, Purpose of Today's Meeting

State Treasurer Beth Pearce, DEC Commissioner Alyssa Schuren

10:35 Background State Treasurer Beth Pearce

1. Act 64 Call for a Legislative Report, Major Themes of the Report

2. Review of Process for Developing Legislative Report

10:45 Vermont's Clean Water Needs, Lake Champlain TMDL DEC Commissioner Alyssa Schuren

10:55 Review of Spring 2016 Stakeholder Discussions

Clean Water Initiative Manager Kari Dolan

1. Needs, Revenue Sources, and Gaps

11:00 Evaluation of Revenue Sources to Support the Clean Water Fund Tax Dept. Policy Director, Candace Morgan

1. Preliminary List of Revenue Tools to Support the Clean Water Fund

2. Draft Criteria for Analyzing Revenue Tools

11:10 Stakeholder Discussion

State Treasurer Beth Pearce

11:25 Discussion of Next Steps

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11:30 Adjourn

Handouts

- "Invest in Clean Water, Invest in our Economy" Factsheet
- "The Economic Impact of Clean Water" Factsheet
- "The Cost of Clean Water" Factsheet
- Excerpt from 2015 Act 64, Section 40, Clean Water Funding Legislative Report
- Process for Developing Legislative Report
- Revenue Criteria Exercise
- Clean Water Surcharge Matrix
- Clean Water Revenue Sources Matrix