

Richmond Planning Commission

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2007 Town Plan Update Up and Running!

The 2007 Town Plan Update is now in full swing! Richmond must have a new Town Plan ready for the voters by Town Meeting Day 2007. In order to meet that deadline, the Richmond Planning Commission will be busy all summer discussing the Town Plan and trying to shape a vision for the next five years and beyond – and they need your help!!!

For the next month and a half, the Planning Commission will be reviewing the 2002 Town Plan to identify areas that need work or revisions. Please consider attending these meetings and giving your input. Below is a schedule of topics to be discussed at upcoming Planning Commission meetings. All meetings are held in the Richmond Town Center Meeting Room. Town Plan discussions will begin at 7:30pm.

Wednesday, June 7 – Introduction, Demographics and Housing, Economic Development

Wednesday, June 21 – Natural Resources, Historic Resources, Transportation

Wednesday, July 5 – Utilities and Facilities, Schools, Energy

Once this preliminary review is complete, there will be additional meetings and public forums to discuss specific issues in the Town Plan at greater length. Public input is key to a successful Town Plan, so please stay involved!

Copies of the 2002 Town Plan are available at the Richmond Planning and Zoning Office and Online at www.richmondvt.com. If you are unable to attend one of the meetings but would like to comment on the Plan, please contact the Richmond Town Planner, Seth Jensen, at 434-2430 or via email at sjensen@gmavt.net.