

CENTRAL VERMONT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

The Central Vermont Regional Planning Commission serves its 23 municipalities in Washington and western Orange Counties through planning support and technical assistance. Municipalities in the region are entitled to equal voting representation by a locally appointed member to the governing Board of Commissioners. We have no regulatory or taxing authority; each year, we request a per capita assessment from our members in support of local and regional planning activities and to help offset costs and provide local matching funds needed for state and federal funding. Your continued support for local and regional planning is appreciated! We are your resource – please contact us at (802) 229-0389 or cvrpc@cvregion.com for assistance.

FY23 Barre Town Activities:

- ❖ Developed custom map series to support the work of the Town's Public Works Department.
- ❖ Completed Traffic studies on Cassie Street, Hill Street, and Camp Street.
- ❖ Prepared Emergency Relief Assistance Fund (ERAF) information for the Town.
- ❖ Reviewed rail adjacent parcels for complementary uses or redevelopment as part of a statewide VTrans planning and marketing effort.
- ❖ Presented Village Center Designation program information to the Planning Commission for enrollment considerations.
- ❖ Hosted informational presentation by Lowery Road Solar and reviewed project for conformance with the Regional Plan.
- ❖ Inventoried and mapped municipal sidewalks as a planning resource.

CVRPC projects & programs include:

- ❖ *Municipal Plan and Bylaw Updates that focus on predictable and effective local permitting*
- ❖ *Brownfields environmental site assessments to facilitate redevelopment and economic growth*
- ❖ *Transportation planning, studies, data collection, traffic counts, and coordination of local involvement through the regional Transportation Advisory Committee*
- ❖ *Emergency planning for natural disasters and coordination with local volunteers and the State*
- ❖ *Climate and energy planning to support projects to reduce municipal and residential energy burdens and build resilience*
- ❖ *Natural resource planning to protect water resources, preserve forest blocks, enhance recreational opportunities and support agricultural and forest industries*
- ❖ *Regional Planning to coordinate infrastructure, community development, and growth*
- ❖ *Geographic Information System Services to support to municipalities*
- ❖ *Clean Water Service Provider to identify and fund water quality projects to achieve phosphorous reduction targets*
- ❖ *Special Projects such as recreation paths, farmland preservation, and*

affordable housing

- ❖ *Grant support through project identification, scoping, and applications*

Regional Commissioner
George Clain
**Transportation Advisory
Committee**
Stephanie Magnan