

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Wednesday, February 21, 2024 @ 4:30 pm

## Remote Participation via Zoom

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Page	<u>AGENDA</u>					
	4:30 <sup>1</sup>	Adjustments to the Agenda				
		Public Comment				
2	4:35	<b>Approve Meeting Minutes</b> <sup>2</sup>				
	4:40	Review Survey Results (enclosed)				
	5:10	Next Steps				
	5:20	Adjourn				

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All times are approximate unless otherwise advertised

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Anticipated action item.

1	CENTRAL VERMONT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
2	Nominating Committee
3	Draft MINUTES
4	January 24, 2024
	January 24, 2024
5 6	Present: Jerry D'Amico, Michael Gray, Robert Wernecke
7	Staff: Christian Meyer, Nancy Chartrand, Brian Voigt
8	Starr. Christian Weyer, Namey Chartrana, Bhan Voigt
9	Meeting called to order at 4:33 pm.
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11	Adjustments to the Agenda: None
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13	Public Comment: None
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15	<b>Elect Committee Officers:</b> Robert Wernecke moved to nominate Jerry D'Amico as Chair, seconded by
16	Michael Gray. Motion carried unanimously.
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18	Robert Wernecke moved to nominate Michael Gray as Vice Chair, seconded by Jerry D'Amico. Motion
19	carried unanimously.
20 21	Review Positions and Materials: Brian Voigt provided confirmation that a municipal representative on
22	Winooski Basin Water Quality Council is not representing their own municipality, but a municipal
23	perspective in general. There was a brief overview of the information that was provided in the meeting
24	packet. In addition, there was discussion about whether or not there was any opportunity to
25	consolidate or retire any of the committees.
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27	Next Steps
28	Staff will distribute the interest surveys by Monday, January 29 <sup>th</sup> with a due date of February 12 <sup>th</sup> . The
29	next committee meeting will be warned for February 21st at 4:30 pm. It was confirmed that a
30	recommended slate must be presented to the Board on May 14 <sup>th</sup> and that elections will take place June
31	11 <sup>th</sup> .
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33	Adjourn
34 35	Michael Gray moved to adjourn at 5:07 pm; Robert Wernecke seconded.
36	Respectfully submitted,
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38	Nancy Chartrand

## CENTRAL VEMONT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

## **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

**FY25 Committee Interest** 

As of Feb 15, 2024

Municipality	Commissioner	Alt	Executive Committee	Project Review Committee	Regional Plan Committee	Municipal Plan Committee	Brownfields Advisory Committee	Clean Water Advisory Committee	Basin Water Quality Council	CVEDC Economic Project Priorization	More than one?	Comments
Barre City	Janet Shatney											
Barre Town	Alice Farrell			2	1		3			1	Yes	
Berlin	Robert Wernecke			1						2		
Berlin	Karla Nuissl, Alt.	Х										
Cabot	Brittany Butler											
Calais	John Brabant			1	1			1			Yes	would like to maintain present roles on PRC, RPC & CWAC
Calais	Jan Ohlsson, Alt	Х										
Duxbury	Alan Quackenbush											
Duxbury	David Wendt, Alt.	Х										
E. Montpelier	Vacant											
E. Montpelier	Clarice Cutler, Alt.	Х										
Fayston	Vacant											
Marshfield	Vacant											
Middlesex	Ron Krauth					2	3	1				
Middlesex	Mitch Osiecki	х						1	3	2	NO.	might be able to serve on alternative committee, but 3 listed work best based on proposed meeting schedule
Montpelier	Ariane Kissam											
Montpelier	Mike Miller, Alt.	х			1							Would like to be reappointed. Believes his experience would be helpful in reviewing the update
Moretown	David Stapleton											
Moretown	Joyce Manchester, Alt	Х										
Northfield	Royal DeLegge											
Orange	Lee Cattaneo		1	2	3						Yes	
Plainfield	Paula Emery		2				2			1	No	Can't choose a priority on either committee as work schedule is changing and time could become even more limited. If plenty of people serving on Brownfields keep me on Executive and take me off Brownfields
Plainfield	Bob Atchinson, Alt	Х										
Roxbury	Gerry D'Amico		1									Will also be appointed to TAC and is serving on Nom Comm
Waitsfield	Don La Haye											
Waitsfield	Alice Peal	Х	1	1	1			1	1	2	Yes	Would also serve on Exec Comm
Warren	Alexis Leacock											
Warren	Jennifer Faillace	Х										
Washington	Peter Carbee		1	2			3				Yes	
Waterbury	Doug Greason			2	1					3	Yes	-
Williamstown	Richard Turner											
Williamstown	Jacqueline Higgins, Alt	Х										
Woodbury	Michael Gray		2	2		1	3				No	Interested in Brownfields, but has a town commitment the same evening/time of the month. Been on EC for a while, is not interested in a leadership role. Feels looking at other choices is better.
Worcester	Bill Arrand	1		Х		Х					Х	

# **Committees and Annual Appointments**

\*red highlights are expiring terms or vacant seats

## STANDING COMMITTEES

Executive Committee (Commission Bylaws; Executive Committee Rules of Procedure 6/9/20)<sup>1</sup>

Meets: 4-6pm on the Monday of the week before the Commission meeting

Term: 1 year beginning July 1; officers typically serve for two years **Members:** 3 officers and 4 at-large Commissioners elected annually

FY24 Members: Gerry D'Amico, Roxbury – Chair; Peter Carbee, Washington - Vice Chair; Janet Shatney, Barre City - Secretary/Treasurer; Lee Cattaneo, Orange; Michael Gray, Woodbury; Paula Emery, Plainfield; Alexis Leacock, Warren - At-Large

- To support the Board by facilitating the general operation of CVRPC as directed by the Board and to act on behalf of the Board in the absence of a Board quorum when time precludes the delay of decision or action.
- Oversee and approve an annual work plan and budget for CVRPC, including budget adjustments.
- Recommend municipal dues.
- Oversee and approve an organizational plan for CVRPC.
- Authorize and accept grants, agreements and contracts with outside organizations and agencies.
- Review and accept the annual audit.
- Approve the addition and elimination of staff positions as recommended by the executive director.
   Adopt job descriptions and wage ranges for staff positions.
- Adopt and oversee personnel, financial, procurement, operational and administrative policies and procedures.
- Monitor emerging issues affecting CVRPC and inform the Board as appropriate.
- Approve agendas for Board meetings.
- Recommend to the Board or, if timing requires, take appropriate action on policy issues, including legislative issues, state or federal plans and policy, regional planning commission allocation formulas or other issues affecting the Central Vermont Region and its municipalities.
- Nominate candidates for the Nominating Committee, taking demonstrated commitment to CVRPC into account.
- Review committee Rules of Procedure drafted by committees. Draft Rules of Procedure for new committees. Recommend revised or new Rules to the Board.
- Carry out other actions as directed by the Board.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Governing documents for Committee duties and roles are depicted in parenthesis.

**Nominating Committee** (Commission Bylaws; Nominating Committee Rules of Procedures April 11, 2023 and Nominating Committee Guidelines January 12, 2021)<sup>1</sup>

Meets: As needed, usually between February and April

Term: The Board shall elect the Nominating Committee annually at its January meeting; members cannot serve two consecutive terms

**Members:** 3 Commissioners or Alternate Commissioners appointed by the Commission Current Members: Robert Wernecke, Berlin; Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury; Michael Gray, Woodbury

**Duties:** Recommend to the Board a slate of candidates for the Board positions of Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary/Treasurer and at-large members of the Executive Committee.

- Recommend to the Board candidates for Standing and Special Committees.
- Recommend CVRPC representatives appointed by the Board to other organizations and for other positions when directed by the Board.

<u>Project Review Committee</u> (Commission Bylaws; Project Review Committee Rules of Procedure and Project Review Committee Rules of Process 09/12/17, SRI Definition amended 2018)<sup>1</sup>

Meets: 4-6 pm on the fourth Thursday of the month; generally, meets 7-9 times per year

Term: 3-year, staggered terms, appointed annually in June

Members: 5 Commissioners or Alternate Commissioners (2 members may be Alternate Commissioners), 1 alternate, and project's host municipality Commissioner; one member has historically been an Executive Committee member

FY24 Members (term ends): Robert Wernecke, Berlin (2024); (Bill Arrand, Worcester (Alternate Seat 2024); Lee Catteneo, Orange - Chair (2025); Peter Carbee, Washington (2025); Ron Krauth, Middlesex (2026); John Brabant, Calais (2026);

- Evaluate Act 250 and Section 248 development projects relative to conformance with the Regional Plan.
- Evaluate Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) license applications and renewals relative to conformance with the Regional Plan
- Offer advice, input, and opinions to applicants, the District Environmental Commission, the Vermont
  Public Utility Commission, and other organizations and individuals as appropriate, consistent with
  plans, policies, positions or resolutions adopted by the Board.
- Provide recommendations to the Regional Plan Committee on amendments or changes to Substantial Regional Impact criteria.
- Provide the Board copies of all written decisions and recommendations regarding Act 250 and Section 248 projects.

<u>Regional Plan Review Committee</u> (Commission Bylaws; Regional Plan Review Committee Rules of Procedure 12/10/19)<sup>1</sup>

Meets: As needed Term: 1 year

Members: 5 Commissioners or Alternate Commissioners (2 members may be Alternate

Commissioners)

FY24 Members: John Brabant, Calais; Michael Miller, Montpelier Alternate; Rich Turner, Williamstown; Alice Peal, Waitsfield Alternate; Doug Greason, Waterbury

### **Duties:**

- Oversee development and maintenance of the Regional Plan, pursuant to 24 V.S.A. Section <u>4347</u> and the requirements and allowances in 24 V.S.A. Section <u>4348(b)</u>, and make recommendations for approval by the Board.
- Provide advice and recommendations on plans, policies, programs, budgets, and issues related to Plan implementation.
- Oversee other tasks related to the Regional Plan as assigned by the Board or required or permitted by the Act.

<u>Municipal Plan Review Committee</u> (Commission Bylaws; Municipal Plan Review Committee Rules of Procedures – January 12, 2021)<sup>1</sup>

Meets: As needed Term: 1 year

Members: 5 Commissioners or Alternate Commissioners (2 members may be Alternate

Commissioners)

FY24 Members: Bill Arrand, Worcester (Chair); Ron Krauth, Middlesex; Alexis Leacock, Warren; Jan Ohlsson, Calais Alternate; Joyce Manchester, Moretown Alternate;

- Review municipal plans for conformance to statutory requirements, in accordance with 24
   V.S.A. Section <u>4350(b)</u>, and make recommendations regarding approval to the Board.
- Review municipal enhanced energy plans for determination of energy compliance, in accordance with 24 V.S.A. Section <u>4352(b)</u>, and make recommendations regarding certification to the Board.
- Review municipal planning processes, in accordance with 24 V.S.A. Section <u>4350(a)</u>, and make recommendations for confirmation to the Board.
- Review the compatibility of all municipal plans at least every eight years and in accordance with 24 V.S.A. Section <u>4345a(9)</u> and report its findings to the Board.
- Provide guidance to municipalities about future plan updates and ways to strengthen planning efforts.

Transportation Advisory Committee (Commission Bylaws; Transportation Advisory

Committee Rules of Procedures 12/08/20)1

Meets: 6:30 pm on the fourth Tuesday of each month

Term: 1 year

Members: 23 town members appointed by municipalities

FY24 Members: Barre City: Vacant; Barre Town: Stephanie Magnan; Berlin: Robert Wernecke; Cabot: John Cookson; Calais: David Ellenbogen, Karin McNeil (Alt); Duxbury Alan Quackenbush, William Whitehair (Alt); East Montpelier: Vacant; Fayston: Vacant; Marshfield: Todd Eaton; Middlesex: Ronald Krauth; Montpelier: Dona Bate; Moretown: Joyce Manchester; Northfield: Tom Davis, Jeff Schultz (Alt); Orange: Lee Cattaneo; Plainfield: Bob Atchinson; Roxbury: Gerry D'Amico; Waitsfield: Don LaHaye, Alice Peal (Alt); Warren: Michael Bridgewater; Washington: Peter Carbee; Waterbury: Mike Hedges; Williamstown: Richard Turner; Woodbury: Chris Koteas;

Worcester: Bill Arrand

- Oversee the CVRPC transportation planning program in accordance with CVRPC plans, policies and procedures, including assisting with the development of CVRPC's annual transportation work program and budget.
- Develop and update a regional transportation element as part of the Regional Plan.
- Provide recommendations on funding and prioritization for the Vermont Agency of Transportation's Capital Budget and State Transportation Improvement Program.
- Act as a liaison between local communities and the Vermont Agency of Transportation.
- Provide local and regional input to the Board and the Vermont Agency of Transportation regarding transportation issues important to the region.

## SPECIAL COMMITTEES

<u>Clean Water Advisory Committee</u> (Commission Bylaws; Clean Water Advisory Committee Rules of Procedures 12/08/20)<sup>1</sup>

Meets: As needed

Term: 2 years (staggered)

Members: 3 Commissioners and 1 Alternate member, 5 municipal representatives, 1 interested

stakeholder

FY24Members: Commissioners – Richard Turner, Williamstown (2024) Ron Krauth, Middlesex (2024);

John Brabant, Calais (2025); Royal DeLegge, Northfield - Alternate Seat (2025);

Municipal Representatives: Emily Ruff, Orange Conservation Commission (2024); John Hoogenboom, Moretown Selectboard (2024); Alice Peal, Waitsfield Planning Commission (2024); Joyce Manchester, Moretown TAC Member (2025); Jeff Schulz, Northfield Town Manager (2025) John Whelan, Montpelier Conservation Commission/Interested Stakeholder (2025)

### **Duties:**

- Oversee programming related to the CVRPC's assistance to ANR with basin planning and surface water management, including but not limited to:
  - Development of tactical basin plans.
  - Technical assistance and data collection activities, including information from watershed organizations, to inform municipal officials and the State in making water quality investment decisions.
  - Coordinating municipal planning and adoption or implementation of municipal development regulations to meet State water quality policies and investment priorities.
  - o Implementing a project evaluation process to prioritize water quality improvement projects within the region to assure cost effective use of State and federal funds.
  - Guidance for project prioritization for submittal of grant applications for water quality improvement or planning projects.
- Undertake water quality related technical assistance and policy activities and coordinate activities with the Transportation Advisory Committee including but not limited to activities related to implementation of Municipal Roads Stormwater General Permits.
- Participate in special studies conducted by the CVRPC.
- Provide input and policy recommendations to the Board of Commissioners regarding pertinent water quality issues, including review of State plans, policies, and legislation.

Bylaws Work Group(a working committee of the Executive Committee; established 2014

currently not activeMeets: As needed

Term: None established

Term: None established

**Members:** 3 Commissioners or Alternate Commissioners

FY22/23 Members: George Clain, Michael Gray, Steve Lotspeich

**Duties:** Recommend revisions to the Bylaws.

Personnel Policy Committee (a working committee of the Executive Committee; established 2014

currently not active

Meets: As needed

Term: None established

Members: 3 Commissioners

2018-2020 Members: Julie Potter, Laura-Hill Eubanks, Steve Lotspeich

**Duties:** Recommend revisions to the Personnel Policies.

## **CVEDC Economic Project Prioritization Committee** (prioritizes economic development projects for

the region)

Meets: As needed Term: 1 year

Members: 3 Commissioners

FY23 Members: Robert Wernecke, Berlin; Peter Carbee, Washington; Richard Turner, Williamstown

**Duties:** Prioritizes economic development projects for the region in conjunction with CVEDC

## **Brownfields Advisory Committee** (Rules of Procedure 10/11/16)

Meets: 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday @ 6 pm

Term: 2 years, staggered (Commissioners even years & Interest Groups odd years)

## Members:

- 1) Voting 4 Commissioners and 1 alternate, CVEDC, VT Dept. of Health, up to 12 members, at minimum representing housing, real estate, finance, at-risk populations, and the environment
- 2) Non-voting members: EPA, VT Agency of Commerce, VT Dept. of Environmental Conservation FY24 Members:
- 1) Voting Janet Shatney (Barre City), Paula Emery (Plainfield) Ron Krauth (Middlesex); Alice Farrell (Barre Town); Peter Carbee (Alternate member) terms end June 30, 2024

Melissa Bounty (CVEDC); Liz Scharf, Capstone Community Action (at risk populations); Joan Marie Misek (VT Dept. of Health, Barre District); Vacant (housing & community development); Vacant, (finance); Vacant (real estate); Vacant (environment); - terms end June 30, 2025

2) Non-Voting: Vacant

- Recommend investment of brownfield funds to the Executive Committee.
- Assist to identify and prioritize communities/neighborhoods in need of support.
- Develop brownfield-related policies for recommendation to the Commission.
- Provide oversight, and assist in the development of, the Commission's brownfields work program and budget.
- Participate in public outreach efforts.
- Maintain site selection criteria.
- Review and prioritize nominated sites for inclusion in the Region's brownfields program
- Assist in the hiring of consultants and oversee consultant progress.

## ANNUAL APPOINTMENTS

## Winooski Basin Water Quality Council

(Rules of Procedure (Rules of Procedure 8/22/22)<sup>1</sup> Meets: Monthly, generally the 3rd Thursday at 1:00 pm

Term: 3 Years

Members: 2 Regional Planning Commissions, 2 Watershed Organizations, 2 Natural Resources

Conservation Districts, 2 Municipalities, 1 Conservation Organization

FY24 Members from CVRPC: Alan Quackenbush, Duxbury; Robert Wernecke, Berlin (Alternate

Member)

FY24 Municipal Members: Annie Costandi, Essex; Sarah McShane, Stowe (Alternate Member); Nigel Hicks-Tibbles, Northfield; Alice Peal, Waitsfield (Alternate Member)

**Duties:** The Winooski BWQC will establish policy and guide decisions on project prioritization and selection of clean water projects for funding. The CWSP will oversee identification, implementation, and operation of those projects to achieve pollution reduction targets for the Winooski Basin.

## **Vermont Economic Progress Council**

Meets: Monthly, normally on the fourth Thursday of the month in Montpelier; attend only when there is an application from the region; participation is non-voting

Term: 1 year

Appointee: As desired by the Commission. RPCs usually designate their Executive Directors to VEPC, but some RPCs have designated Board members to the position.

FY24 Member: Christian Meyer

**Duties:** Participate in two meetings a year

### **Green Mountain Transit**

Meets: Third Tuesday of the month at 7:30am in Burlington

Term: 3 years

Appointee: As desired by the Commission, usually Executive Director or Transportation Planner

FY24 Members: Christian Meyer and Alice Peal, Waitsfield (alternate)

Duties: Annually, set long-term goals to guide the General Manager and the priorities of the

organization for that fiscal year; monitor progress in meeting the goals; participate on at least one

committee as designated by the Chair

## **Mad River Valley Planning District**

Meets: Third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm

Term: 1 year

Appointee: By Board of Commissioners; Delegated to Executive Director

FY24 Member: Christian Meyer and Vacant (Alternate) **Duties:** Manage business and affairs of the district



## CENTRAL VERMONT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

**Committees and Appointed Positions** 

Fiscal Year 24 - Working Document for Nominating Committee

Seats that need filling

## STANDING COMMITTEES

Seats: 3 Commissioners

Committee.

Meets: February - April, as needed

	Executive
Meets:	Monthly, 4:00 pm, week prior to Commission meeting
Seats:	3 officers and 4 at-large Commissioners

Eligible Members: Commissioners

Term: 1 year

Elected: By Board of Commissioners

# Duties

- Act on behalf of the Commission in absence of a Commission
- Approve budgets, contracts & audits
- Add/eliminate staff and contractors
- Amend Personnel Policies
- Approve policy actions
- Recommend positions to be taken
- Approve Commission agendas

### Term Ends June 30, 2024

Gerry D'Amico, Roxbury,Chair

Peter Carbee, Washington, Vice Chair

Janet Shatney, Barre City, Secretary/Treasurer

Lee Cattaneo, Orange, At Large

Michael Gray, Woodbury, At Large

Alexis Leakcock, Warren, At Large Paula Emery, Plainfield, At Large

## Appointed January 2024, Term Ends January 2025

Robert Wernecke, Berlin Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury

Michael Gray, Woodbury

**Nominating** 

Eligible Members: Board members, including 1 Alternate

- Nominate officers and at-large members of the Executive

Term: 1 year; cannot serve consecutive terms Appointed: By Board of Commissioners

# **Project Review**

Meets: Monthly (as needed), on the fourth Thursday, 4:00 Seats: 5 Board members + 1 alternate Board member

Eliaible Members: Board members, including up to 2

Alternate Commissioners Term: 3-year; staggered terms

Elected: By Board of Commissioners

- Determine Act 250/Section 248 project conformance with the Regional Plan
- Provide input and recommendations for projects with Significant Regional Impact
- Solicit input from other parties as needed to gather
- information and render a decision
- Evaluate potential cumulative impacts for projects
- Provide guidance on amendments or changes to Substantial Regional Impact criteria

## Term Ends on June 30 of fiscal year noted

2024 - Bill Arrand, Worcester (Alternate Member)

2024 - Robert Wernecke, Berlin 2025 - Lee Cattaneo, Orange

2025 - Peter Carbee, Washington

2026 - John Brabant, Calais

2026 - Ron Krauth, Middlesex

## **Regional Plan**

Meets: As needed, 1st Tuesday @ 4:00 pm

Seats: 5 Board members

Eligible Members: Board members, including up to 2 Alternate

Commissioners

Term: 1 year

Elected: By Board of Commissioners

## Duties:

- Develop and recommend updates to the Regional Plan

## Term Ends June 30, 2024

John Brabant, Calais

Michael Miller, Montpelier Alternate

Alice Peal, Waitsfield Alternate

Rich Turner, Williamstown

# STANDING COMMITTEES

## **Municipal Plan Review**

Meets: As needed

Seats: 5 Board members

Eligible Members: Board members, including up to 2 Alternate Commissioners

Term: 1 year

Elected: By Board of Commissioners

### Duties:

- Review municipal plans for conformance to statutory requirements and recommend whether a plan should be approved
- Review each municipality's planning process and recommend whether it should be confirmed
- Review municipal plans for conformance with enhanced energy planning requirements
- Provide guidance to municipalities about future plan updates and ways to strengthen planning efforts

## erm Ends June 30, 2024

Bill Arrand, Worcester

Ron Krauth, Middlesex Alexis Leacock, Warren

Jan Ohlsson, Calais Alternate

## **Transportation Advisory**

Meets: Monthly on 4th Tuesday, 6:30 pm

Members: Municipal reps and, when determined by the Commission, reps of transportation-related groups Eligible Members: As determined by the municipality's

legislative body Term: 1 year

Appointed: By municipal legislative body

## Duties:

- Recommend Transportation Planning Initiative (TPI) work program & budget to Executive Committee
- Prioritize transportation studies funded by the Commission's TPI program
- Recommend Regional Plan transportation element
- Prioritize state-funded transportation projects

Appointed by the 23 municipalities

## **ADVISORY COMMITTEES Clean Water Advisory**

## **Brownfields Advisory** Meets: 3rd Monday @ 6:00 pm

Seats: 4 Board members + 1 alternate Board member, CVEDC, VT Dept of Health, 5 representatives of housing, real estate, finance, at-risk populations, and the environment

Eligible Members: Board members

Term: 2 years; staggered (Commissioners even years & Interest Groups odd years) lected: By Board of Commissioners

- Oversee CVRPC Brownfields Program
- Prioritize sites for assessment
- Participate in hiring contractors
- Recommend brownfield-related policy - Participate in public outreach

## Term Ends on June 30, 2024

4 Regional Commissioners + 1 Alternate

Paula Emery, Plainfield Janet Shatney, Barre City Ron Krauth, Middlesex

Alice Farrell, Barre Town Peter Carbee, Washington (Alternate Member)

## Term Ends on June 30, 2025

## **Interest Group Representatives**

Designated Economic: Melissa Bounty, Central VT Economic Development

Health: Joan Marie Misek, VT Dept. of Health Barre District Non-Designated Even Term) At Risk Populations - Liz Scharf, Capstone Community Action

Housing & Community Development - Vacant

**Environment - Vacant** Finance - Vacant

Non-Voting Vacant

Meets: Ad hoc, as needed

Seats: 13 members - 3 Board members + 1 alternate Board member, 5 municipal representatives, VANR, and 1 interested

Eligible Members: Board members and individuals participating on municipal boards

Term: 2-years; staggered

Elected: By Board of Commissioners

- Identify activities, policies, and direction for CVRPC's clean water support
- Determine CVRPC direction and goals regarding the Lake Champlain TMDL, Tactical Basin Plans, and the Regional Plan

3 Regional Commissioners + 1 Alternate

2024 - Richard Turner, Williamstown

2024 - Ron Krauth, Middlesex 2025 - John Brabant, Calais

2025 - Royal DeLegge, Northfield (Alternate Member)

## **Municipal Representatives**

2024- Emily Ruff, Orange Recreation Committee 2024 - Alice Peal, Waitsfield Planning Commission

2024 - John Hoogenboom, Moretown Selecthoard

2025 - Jeff Schulz, Northfield Town Manager 2025 - Joyce Manchester, Moretown TAC Alt

Private companies or interested stakeholders

2025 - Joseph Whelan, Montpelier Conservation Commission Vermont Agency of Natural Resources (ex-officio, non-voting), Keith Fritschie

## Advisors

Winooski Natural Resource Conservation District

Friends of the Winooski River Friends of the Mad River

**CVEDC Economic Project Prioritization** 

- Prioritize economic development projects for the region

Meets: Ad hoc, as needed, generally in December

Seats: 3 Board members

Eligible Members: Board members

Term: 1-year

Elected: By Board of Commissioners Duties:

## Term Ends June 30, 2024

Peter Carbee, Washington Robert Wernecke, Berlin

Richard Turner, Williamstown

## **Vermont Economic Progress Council**

Meets: Monthly, 4th Thursday of the month

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Appointee: As desired by the Commission, usually the Executive Director

Appointed: By Board of Commissioners

Duties:

- Attend as needed and comment on projects in the region

## Term Ends June 30, 2024

Christian Meyer, Executive Director

## Winooski Basin Water Quality Council

Monthly, 3rd Thursday of Month 1:00 pm

Appointee: CVRPC Representative
Appointee: 2 municipalities in the basin

Term: TBD; set by BWQC

Appointed: By Board of Commissioners

Duties:

- Establish policy and make decisions for the clean water service provider regarding the most significant water quality impairments that exist in the basin.

- Prioritize the projects that will address those impairments based on the basin plan.

- Participate in the basin planning process  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left($ 

## Term Ends on June 30 of year noted (year TBD)

Regional Commissioner (1)

Alan Quackenbush, Duxbury (Vice Chair)

Robert Wernecke, Berlin (RPC Alternate)

Municipalities (2)

Annie Costandi, Town of Essex

Sarah McShane, Stowe (Municipal Alternate)

Nigel Hicks-Tibbles, Northfield (Chair)

Alice Peal, Waitsfield (Municipal Alternate)

## COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS

# **Green Mountain Transit** *Meets:* Monthly on 3rd Tuesday, 7:30 am

Term: 3 years

Appointee: As desired by the Commission, usually Executive Director or Transportation Planner

Appointed: By Board of Commissioners

### Duties:

- Guide the organization through setting goals and annual
- Participate on at least one committee as designated by the

### Term Ends on June 30, 2024

Christian Meyer, Executive Director

Alice Peal, Alternate Commissioner, Waitsfield

## **Mad River Valley Planning District**

Meets: Monthly on 3rd Thursday, 7:00 pm

Term: 1 year

Appointee: As desired by the Commission, usually staff

Appointed: By Board of Commissioners; Delegated to Executive Director 06/12/18\*\*

Duties:

- Manage business and affairs of the District as an exofficio, non-voting member of its Steering Committee

## Term Ends June 30, 2024

Clare Rock, Senior Land Use Planner
Christian Meyer, Executive Director (Alternate)

May 1995 – when Executive Committee membership became 7, including the CORC rep.

Chair: Doug Reed, Moretown Vice-Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Treasurer: George Malek, Orange Secretary: Gunner McCain, Waterbury

Council of Regional Commissions: Dennis Darrah, Middlesex At large: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield; George Mitchell, Northfield

## May 1996

Chair: Gunner McCain, Waterbury Vice-Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Treasurer: George Malek, Orange

Secretary: Therese Ackerman, Barre City

Council of Regional Commissions: Dennis Darrah, Middlesex At large: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield; Ed Blackwell, East Montpelier

### May 1997

Chair: Gunner McCain, Waterbury Vice-Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Treasurer: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Secretary: Therese Ackerman, Barre City

Council of Regional Commissions: David Healy, Calais

At large: Ed Blackwell, East Montpelier; Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield

May 1998-CORC representative no longer required to be a member of the Exec. Ctte.

Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Vice-Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Treasurer: Ed Blackwell, East Montpelier Secretary: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield

At large: Carol Davis, Washington; Gunner McCain, Waterbury; David Hoyne, Fayston

### May 1999

Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Vice-Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Treasurer: Ed Blackwell, East Montpelier Secretary: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield

At large: Carol Davis, Washington, David Hoyne, Fayston; Mark Nicholson, Barre Town

### May 2000

Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Vice-Chair: Ed Blackwell, East Montpelier Treasurer: Carol Davis, Washington Secretary: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield

At large: Tom Frazier, Roxbury; Gunner McCain, Waterbury; Ed Larson, Montpelier

## May 2001

Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Vice-Chair: Gunner McCain, Waterbury Treasurer: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield Secretary: Ed Larson, Montpelier

At large: Tom Frazier, Roxbury; Carol Davis, Washington; Rhonda Shippee, Calais

## May 2002

Chair: Gunner McCain, Waterbury Vice-Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Treasurer: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield Secretary: Ed Larson, Montpelier

At large: Carol Davis, Washington; Rhonda Shippee, Calais; Stan Walker, Duxbury

## May 2003

Chair: Gunner McCain, Waterbury Vice-Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Treasurer: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield Secretary: Ed Larson, Montpelier

At large: Larry Hebert, Williamstown; Rhonda Shippee, Calais; Stan Walker, Duxbury

## May 2004

Chair: Ed Larson, Montpelier

Vice-Chair: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield Treasurer: Rhonda Shippee, Calais Secretary: Larry Hebert, Williamstown

At large: Gunner McCain, Waterbury; Stan Walker, Duxbury; Dick Payne, Cabot

### May 2005

Chair: Ed Larson, Montpelier

Vice-Chair: Larry Hebert, Williamstown Treasurer: Rhonda Shippee, Calais Secretary: Harrison Snapp, Waitsfield

At large: Gunner McCain, Waterbury; Stan Walker, Duxbury; Dick Payne, Cabot

## May 2006

Chair: Larry Hebert, Williamstown Vice-Chair: Rhonda Shippee, Calais Treasurer: Margaret Torizzo, Fayston Secretary: Don LaHaye, Warren

At large: Gunner McCain, Waterbury; Stan Walker, Duxbury; Ed Larson, Montpelier

## May 2007

Chair: Larry Hebert, Williamstown Vice-Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Treasurer: Gunner McCain, Fayston (to replace M. Torizzo 12/07)

Secretary: Rhonda Shippee, Calais

At large: Paul Bicicia, Plainfield; George Malek 12/07; John Hurley, Berlin 1/08

## May 2008

Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury

Vice-Chair: Paul Bicica (Gunner McCain elected 3/2009 to fill the unexpired term.) Treasurer: John Hurley, Berlin (Tim Carver elected 9/2008 to fill the unexpired term.)

Secretary: Rhonda Shippee, Calais

At large: Tom Frazier, Roxbury; Don La Haye, Warren; Larry Hebert, Williamstown

## May 2009

Chair: Stan Walker, Duxbury Vice-Chair: Tom Frazier, Roxbury Treasurer: Don La Haye, Warren Secretary: Rhonda Shippee, Calais

At large: Tim Carver, East Montpelier; Ron Krauth, Middlesex; David Borgendale, Montpelier

## May 2010

Chair: David Borgendale, Montpelier Vice-Chair: Don LaHaye, Warren Treasurer: Bob Wernecke, Berlin Secretary: Tim Carver, East Montpelier

At large: Ron Krauth, Middlesex, Ray McCormack, Washington, Stan Walker, Duxbury

### May 2011

Chair: Bob Wernecke, Berlin Vice-Chair: Don LaHaye, Warren

Treasurer: Ray McCormack, Washington Secretary: Tim Carver, East Montpelier

At large: Ron Krauth, Middlesex; George Malek, Orange; Byron Atwood, Town of Barre

## May 2012

Chair: Bob Wernecke, Berlin Vice-Chair: Don LaHaye, Warren Treasurer: Byron Atwood, Barre Town Secretary: Tim Carver, East Montpelier

At large: Ron Krauth, Middlesex; George Malek, Orange; Michael Miller, Barre City

## May 2013

Chair: Don La Haye, Waitsfield

Vice-Chair: Byron Atwood, Barre Town Treasurer: Michael Miller, Barre City Secretary: Tina Ruth, Montpelier

At large: Bob Wernecke, (past chair) Berlin; George Malek, Orange; David Strong, Plainfield

## May 2014

Chair: Don La Haye, Waitsfield

Vice-Chair: Byron Atwood, Barre Town

Treasurer: Michael Miller, Barre City David Strong, Plainfield (to fill unexpired term)

Secretary: Tina Ruth, Montpelier

At large: Bob Wernecke, (past chair) Berlin; George Malek, Orange; David Strong, Plainfield Julie

Potter, East Montpelier (to fill unexpired term)

### May 2015

Chair: Byron Atwood, Barre Town

Vice-Chair: Julie Potter, East Montpelier Treasurer: David Strong, Plainfield Secretary: Tina Ruth, Montpelier

At large: Don La Haye (past chair) Waitsfield; Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield; Larry Hebert,

Williamstown

### May 2016

Chair: Byron Atwood, Barre Town

Vice-Chair: Julie Potter, East Montpelier Treasurer: David Strong, Plainfield Secretary: Tina Ruth, Montpelier

At large: Don La Haye (past chair) Waitsfield; Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield; Larry Hebert,

Williamstown

### May 2017

Chair: Julie Potter, East Montpelier

Vice-Chair: Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield Treasurer: Michael Gray, Woodbury Secretary: Dara Torre, Moretown

At large: Byron Atwood (past chair), Barre Town, Don La Haye, Waitsfield, Steve Lotspeich,

Waterbury

## May 2018

Chair: Julie Potter, East Montpelier Vice-Chair: Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield Treasurer: Michael Gray, Woodbury Secretary: Dara Torre, Moretown

At large: Byron Atwood (past chair), Barre Town, Don La Haye, Waitsfield, Steve Lotspeich,

Waterbury

### May 2019

Chair: Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield Vice-Chair: Steve Lotspeich, Waterbury Treasurer: Michael Gray, Woodbury

Treasurer/Secretary: Dara Torre, Moretown

At large: Julie Potter (past chair), East Montpelier; Janet Shatney, Barre City; Michael Gray,

Woodbury; Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury

### June 2020

Chair: Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield Vice-Chair: Steve Lotspeich, Waterbury Treasurer/Secretary: Dara Torre, Moretown

At large: Julie Potter (past chair), East Montpelier; Janet Shatney, Barre City; Michael Gray,

Woodbury; Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury

## June 2021

Chair: Steve Lotspeich, Waterbury Vice-Chair: Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury

Treasurer/Secretary: Janet Shatney, Barre City

At Large: Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield (past chair); Michael Gray, Woodbury; Marcella Dent,

Montpelier; Lee Cattaneo, Orange

### June 2022

Chair: Steve Lotspeich, Waterbury Vice-Chair: Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury

Treasurer/Secretary: Janet Shatney, Barre City

At Large: Laura Hill-Eubanks, Northfield (past chair); Michael Gray, Woodbury; Lee Cattaneo,

Orange; Peter Carbee, Washington

### June 2023

Chair: Jerry D'Amico, Roxbury

Vice-Chair: Peter Carbee, Washington

Treasurer/Secretary: Janet Shatney, Barre City

At Large: Michael Gray, Woodbury; Lee Cattaneo, Orange; Alexis Leacock, Warren; Paula Emery,

Plainfield