

Agenda
The Lower Connecticut River and Coastal Region Land Trust Exchange
May 17, 2017, 7:00 – 9:00pm
Lower CT River Valley Council of Governments
145 Dennison Rd., Essex, CT

Please arrive early for refreshments so that we may start promptly at 7pm!

7:00 – 7:50

Property Tax Assessment
Catherine M. Rawson, J.D., M.E.M.
Executive Director
Weantinoge Heritage Land Trust, Inc., Kent, CT

7:50 – 8:20

CT DEEP Regional Conservation Partnership Program
This new cooperative program provides technical and financial assistance to non-industrial private forestland owners interested in implementing habitat management projects to create young forest habitat for wildlife. RCPP staff is currently reaching out for potential program participants. The process includes a site review and plan development by a Program Forester and Wildlife Biologist.

Lisa Wahle, Program Biologist
Nick Zito, Program Forester

8:20 – 8:50

Project funding guide/ matrix for LTE funding plan.-
Survey results, other considerations, and weighting

8:50 – 9:00

Information concerning consideration of adding Audubon's Important Bird Areas to LTE
Conservation Plan
Financial Shared Services RFP guidelines
RiverCOG non-profit status