



Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission

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RE: SNHPC Information and Activities

SNHPC has a number of activities your community may be interested in. Details can be found on our website, www.snhpc.org. We write to bring to your attention the following.

- ***NHDOT State Freight Plan:*** At the March 27, 2018 MPO meeting, Lucy St. John from NHDOT provided an overview of the State Freight Plan, which is currently under development. Additional information about the Plan can be found at <https://www.nh.gov/dot/org/projectdevelopment/planning/freight-plan/>. SNHPC will provide input to NHDOT about which freight corridors in the region should be considered as possible additions. For details, contact SNHPC Deputy Executive Director Nate Miller at 669-4664.
- ***SNHPC FY2017-2020 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment #4:*** During the March MPO meeting, Mr. Miller reviewed the anticipated project changes in the SNHPC region resulting from TIP Amendment #4. The draft amendment can be found at <http://www.snhpc.org/pdf/18-0309DraftAmendment4ForWebsite.pdf>. Please contact Nate Miller for more information.
- ***Becoming Age-Friendly Pilot Program Update:*** Also at the March meeting, SNHPC Associate Planner Cameron Prolman provided an update on the Becoming Age-Friendly Pilot Program. The three Communities chosen by the Subcommittee are Bedford, Chester and Goffstown. The three Businesses are Roots Catering of Hooksett; Queen City Bike Collective of Manchester; and World Academy of Nashua. SNHPC staff will work with staff from each town and business in the coming weeks and make tailored recommendations based on their goals to become friendlier to people of all ages. To find out more, contact Cam Prolman at 669-4664.

The SNHPC region includes the City of Manchester and the towns of Auburn, Bedford, Candia, Chester, Deerfield, Derry, Francestown, Goffstown, Hooksett, Londonderry, New Boston, Weare and Windham. The region encompasses portions of Hillsborough, Merrimack and Rockingham counties. Executive Order Number Fifteen, issued by former Governor Walter Peterson, delineated the SNHPC region. SNHPC promotes coordination between planning boards and local officials; intergovernmental cooperation; and coordinated development of the region.