

Annual Conference May 10th to May 12th, 2023

Old Orchard Inn, Greenwich, NS

Wednesday, May 10, 2023

8:30 am Registration

9:00 am to 9:15 Introductions

9:15 am -10:30 am Peter Nightingale

Principal Planner/Development Officer, HRM

Topic: Modern Regulations for Land-lease Communities

10:30 am – 10:45 am Nutrition Break

10:45 am – 12:00 pm Eric Morse, P.Eng, NSLS

DeWolfe and Morse Surveying

Topic: Wetlands, Assessments and How they can affect the Subdivision Process

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm: Lunch Break (Provided)

1:00 pm – 2:15 pm: Stefan Furey, Engineer Specialist

NS Environment & Climate Change

Topic: NSECCs Role in Subdivision Process

2:15 pm – 2:30 pm: Nutrition Break

2:30 pm – 4:00 pm: Paul Beazley, Municipal Account Manager

Mathieu Chaput, Senior Commercial Assessor Rod Tremblay, Assistant Director of Assessment

Property Valuation Services Corporation

Topic: Roles and Responsibilities of Property Valuation Services Corporation



Thursday, May 11, 2023

Round Tables: 40 minute sessions

9:00 am – 12:00 pm (Nutrition Break 10:20 – 10:40)

Session 1: Topic: Parkland/Subdivision Agreements

Presenter(s) Doug MacInnis, Development Officer

West Hants

Session 2: Topic: Non-Conforming

Presenter(s) Andrew Faulkner, Development Officer

Halifax Regional Municipality

Session 3: Topic: Repeal of Subdivision

Presenter(s) Wanda Ryan, Development Officer

Eastern District Planning Commission

Session 4: Topic: Open Session – Q&A

Presenter(s) Andrew Jones, Development Officer

Eastern District Planning Commission Heather Archibald, Development Officer

Municipality of Chester

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm: Lunch (Provided) and AGM

2:00 – 4:00 pm: Discussion on Reuse of Places of Worship &

Tour of Church Brewery, Wolfville



Friday, May 12, 2023

9:00 am – 10:30 pm Devin Lake, Director of Planning and Economic

Development, Town of Wolfville

Topic: Secondary Planning Strategy & Comprehensive Development Districts

10:30 am – 10:45 am Nutrition Break

10:45 am – 12:00 pm: Emily Jackson, Senior Policy Analyst

Tourism Nova Scotia

Topic: Updates on the Airbnb Registry and Relationships with Municipalities

Supported by: Department of Municipal Affairs

Agenda subject to change

*Important Notes:

1) Hospitality Suite open from 7:00 pm – Midnight (Wednesday & Thursday evening)