

8:00-9:00	Registration, Continental Breakfast, and Exhibits		
9:00-10:00	A1 Zoning Board of Appeals Overview, NYSDOS This introductory course to the zoning board of appeals focuses on the statutory tests boards must follow to grant use and area variances and proper handling of zoning interpretations. Meeting procedures and notice requirements will also be discussed, along with the ZBA's relationship with enforcement officials and the planning board, and the importance of making good findings.	B1 The Rochester Electric Vehicle Accelerator (ROC EV) and Related Projects: An Update, Carolyn Levine, Rochester EV Accelerator and David Keefe, Greater Rochester Clean Cities Coalition This session provides an overview and update of the various projects focused on the increased adoption and use of electric vehicles and electric charging equipment. The centerpiece project is the Rochester Electric Vehicle Accelerator, or ROC EV, an innovative program aimed at making greater Rochester a cleaner, healthier, and more sustainable community by facilitating the widespread adoption of plug-in electric vehicles. ROC EV projects cover topics such as workplace charging, fleet electrification, and the creation of a network of charging stations at municipalities within the region. CM 1.0	C1 Local Land Use Strategies for Reducing Flood Risk, Jayme Thomann, G/FLRPC Federal regulations state that communities participating in the NFIP must take flood hazards into account in all official actions relating to land management and use. This workshop will review the available tools for implementing comprehensive local floodplain management programs that use local authorities to proactively manage land uses in mapped floodplains and other hazardous areas. Participants will learn about strategies for integrating flood hazards with other local priorities in comprehensive plans and for promoting flood safe land use patterns through local regulations. We will apply these principles to case studies. CM 3.0
10:00-11:00			
11:00-12:00	A2 Minute Taking and Other Duties of Planning Board and ZBA Secretaries, NYSDOS The responsibilities of secretaries of local PBs and ZBAs range from accepting applications, to maintaining and archiving records—and everything in between, including issuing notices and transmitting communications on behalf of their boards. The more effective the board secretary at these tasks, the more efficient local development review and approval will be. In addition, the more complete the record, the better prepared the local government will be to address challenges to decisions. This course explores the essential duties of secretaries to planning boards and zoning boards of appeals, as well as best practices.	B2 Review of Major Facilities Siting Under Public Service Law Article 10 and Article VII, Andrew Davis, NYS Department of Public Service This session will provide a review of the certification review process and requirements for siting of major power facilities in New York State. Two presentations will address environmental reviews and public participation opportunities in the licensing process - for major electric generating facilities, and for major electric lines and gas transmission pipeline facilities. CM 2.0	
12:00-1:00	Lunch and Exhibits		
1:00-2:00	A3 Comprehensive Planning, NYSDOS This session will include a discussion of the practical and legal benefits of adopting a comprehensive plan. Included are the importance of involving the public in the development of the plan—early on; strategies for compiling essential data to set the direction of the plan; plan contents; and steps leading to the adoption of a comprehensive plan. There will be a review of the comprehensive plan statutes as well. CM 1.75	B3 Community Choice Aggregation (CCA) in the Genesee Finger Lakes Region, Sue Hughes-Smith and Ben Frevert, RPCC Since the Public Service Commission implemented CCA early in 2014 there has been a grass roots effort to implement this empowering policy in the region. It is being led by volunteers at the Rochester People's Climate Coalition and is steadily gaining momentum. This session will provide an overview of CCA explaining the basic features, community benefits, implementation process, and regional status as well as how you can bring this information to your municipal leadership. CM 1.0	C2 Variances and Limitations, Corey A. Auerbach, Barclay Damon Variances allow property uses otherwise prohibited by local zoning. When poorly managed, they undermine the intent of local zoning laws and threaten the quality of life for community residents. "Variances and Limitations" examines the statutory framework for evaluating use and area variance applications along with the limits on the ZBA's authority. CM 1.75
2:00-2:45		B4 Clean Energy Communities—An Update, Matt Halladay, G/FLRPC Communities are at the heart of the state's efforts to build a cleaner, more resilient and sustainable New York for generations to come. The \$14 million Clean Energy Community program has supported local governments across the State in implementing energy efficiency, renewable energy and sustainable development projects in their communities. Now approaching its third year, we'll check in to see how effective the program has been at fostering local climate and clean energy action, saving local governments and residents money on their energy bills, helping to expand the green economy, and how a community can take advantage of the Clean Energy Community Program. CM 1.75	
2:45-3:00	Break and Exhibits		
3:00-4:00	A4 Planning Board Overview, NYSDOS This basic course addresses the powers and duties of town, village, and city planning boards and commissions. The administrative and regulatory roles of the planning board, including its review of site plans, special use permits, and subdivision plats are discussed, along with the planning board's role in the municipal comprehensive plan. The importance of board procedures, referral to the county planning agency, and making findings are also covered.	B5 Zany Zoning Codes, John Steinmetz, and Molly Gaudioso, Steinmetz Planning Group This session is an educational (and yet humorous) critique of zoning codes and requirements from communities of all types and sizes. Through real world examples, learn what to avoid and what to strive for in developing and updating local land development controls. CM 2.0	C3 What is resiliency planning and why should communities consider it? Christopher Dodson, Syracuse University Environmental Finance Center and Mary Austerman, New York Sea Grant This session will help communities plan for an uncertain future. Attendees will gain an understanding of potential extreme weather impacts, and other environmental and economic threats, in their region. CM 1.0
4:00-5:00		C4 Community Resiliency: Tools, Financing & Funding, Khristopher Dodson, Syracuse University Environmental Finance Center and Mary Austerman, New York Sea Grant We will discuss ways decision makers can think about/plan for resiliency, some related funding opportunities, and learn about tools to help identify risks as well as manage and plan for impacts. CM 1.0	

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Spring Local Government Workshop

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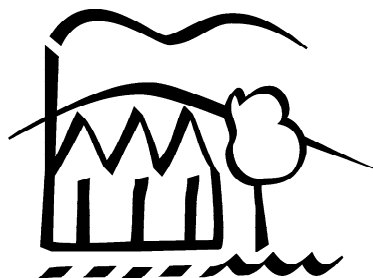
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For most municipalities the Local Government Workshop fulfills state law requiring training for local planning officials. A Certificate of Participation may be requested for the number of hours of attendance.

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