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Connecting the Dots... To a Better Connecticut Transit System

The state has increasing transit resources - bus lines, Metro-North, Shoreline East, the new CTfastrak and, soon, the New Haven-Hartford-Springfield commuter rail line. But true transit success only comes with well-planned development that allows for the full utilization of those resources: housing, jobs, training, healthcare and recreation at transit stops.

What can we learn from other states with similar challenges that have successfully implemented Transit-Oriented Development?

How can we utilize our state resources to leverage financing to spark economic, housing and neighborhood development and ensure that transit effectively connects those who need it most to the services they use?

Keynote Speaker:

Chris Zimmerman

**VP for Economic Development
Smart Growth America**

Zimmerman provides technical assistance to local governments, regional agencies, and states, and conducts research on the interrelationships between land use, transportation, and development policies. He particularly focuses on the economic and fiscal impact of land use patterns and other policies on the economic and fiscal health of localities and regions.

Tuesday, February 23, 2016

The Lyceum, 227 Lawrence Street, Hartford, CT
(directions: www.lyceumcenter.org)

9:00am – 9:30am: Breakfast & Conversation

9:30am – 11:30am: Program

Event is free. Register early to ensure a seat as we expect strong attendance.

Snow date is Mar. 1. Please mark your calendars.

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