

VTEN | Vermont Transportation Efficiency Network

10:00 am to 1:00pm | June 15, 2016
Ludlow Town Hall Conference Room
Ludlow, Vermont

Partnering with Municipalities on Transportation Efficiency

Meeting Objectives

- Learn about several southern Vermont communities' experiences merging some operation of public transit and school busing.
- Develop an understanding of transportation initiatives of energy committees and other community volunteer efforts around the state.
- Identify common goals and opportunities/barriers to building partnerships between transportation efficiency professionals and community volunteers working on energy and/or transportation.

Agenda

10:00 **Welcome, introductions, and meeting purpose**

10:15 **Case Studies in Combining School Busing & Public Transit**

*Presentation from Randy Schoonmaker, Southeast Vermont Transit & Frank Heald, Town of Ludlow
Q & A*

Group Discussion: What are the challenges and opportunities to replicating these kinds of programs elsewhere?

11:15 **Short Break**

11:25 **Partnering with Community Volunteers (e.g. Energy Committees) on Transportation Efficiency**

*Quick introductions & status checks with energy committee members & other community volunteers
Q & A*

Group Discussion: What do energy committees/bike-ped committees need from us to work more effectively on transportation in their towns? What are some good practices and case studies on transportation efficiency on the community level? How can VTEN better coordinate with energy committees and other community volunteers? Let's identify specific partnerships or projects that we can do right now!

12:30 **Bag Lunch & Networking**

Continue our conversations, build partnerships, and make new friends in the conference room or outside.

Please fill out a MEETING EVALUATION before you go.