

**TOWN OF FRANKLIN  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**Tuesday, April 25, 2017  
7:00PM**

**Franklin Homestead-FELCO room**

Notice is hereby given to the residents of the Town of Franklin, Vermont that the Franklin Planning Commission will hold a hearing on Tuesday, April 25, 2017 at 7:00 PM at the Franklin Homestead-FELCO room to consider for adoption the following Town of Franklin Municipal Plan pursuant to Chapter 117 of Title 24, Section 4387 and 4384, Vermont Statutes Annotated.

By state statute, municipalities must prepare and update their town plan every five years; the current Town of Franklin Municipal Plan expires on May 8, 2017. The plan update focused on the following: to update data and information in the plan to be as current as possible, to incorporate goals and policies that will make Franklin a more flood resilient community, and to improve eliminate repetitive language in the plan. The updated plan does not alter the designation of any land area in the Town of Franklin.

The Town of Franklin Municipal Plan contains 15 chapters, which include: Introduction, Plan Goals, Policies, and Objectives, Community Profile, Setting, Historic, and Archaeological Resources, Economy, Community Facilities, Community Services, Community Utilities, Energy, Transportation, Education, Natural Conditions and Features, Land Use, Compatibility with Neighboring Towns, and Implementing the Plan. A full text of the plan is on file in the Franklin Town Clerk's Office. The plan proposes goals and policies that impact the entire Town of Franklin. This plan is intended to be consistent with the goals established in Title 24, Section 4302.