

SECTION VII - CONSULTATION WITH OTHER AFFECTED FEDERAL, STATE, REGIONAL AND LOCAL AGENCIES

Consultation with those government agencies and other organizations identified as having an interest in the preparation of Dexter's Local Waterfront Revitalization Program has been achieved through the use of two approaches. First, are efforts dealing with the village's waterfront facilities planning activities prior to Dexter's involvement in the State's Coastal Management Program, which in turn have become major components of this program. Second, consultation regarding the entire program was initiated in December of 1982 and continued throughout the preparation of the draft.

Numerous federal, State, regional and local government agencies and other organizations have been consulted through Dexter's waterfront facilities planning efforts over the past three years. Such efforts were the impetus for the village's involvement in the State's Coastal Management Program. The village has focused its waterfront development activities on the renovation and reuse of the former Sulphite Mill and the development of public access - recreation facilities in support of the State's sports fisheries program.

The village's program consultation began with the identification of those agencies and organizations most likely to be affected by the local program. Throughout the following year such agencies and organizations were invited to public meetings, meetings regarding specific State and local projects and activities, and/or contacts to provide needed information. Through Village Board meetings and sessions with the Local Waterfront Revitalization Advisory Committee, program staff has continued to maintain an information exchange with involved groups, neighboring communities and general citizenry on the status of the local program.

The following is a detailed list of government agencies and other organizations consulted either through specific program components or the preparation of the draft program.

Federal Agencies

- Department of Agriculture
 - Farmers Home Administration
- Department of Commerce
 - Economic Development Administration
 - Office of Coastal Zone Management
- Department of Defense
 - Corps of Engineers
- Department of Energy
 - Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
- Department of Housing and Urban Development
- Department of Interior
 - U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Department of Transportation
- U.S. Coast Guard
Federal Foreign Trade Zone Board
Small Business Administration

State Agencies

Department of Commerce
Department of Environmental Conservation
Department of Health
Department of State
Job Development Authority
Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation
Public Service Commission
St. Lawrence-Eastern Ontario Commission
SUNY at Plattsburgh (Technical Assistance Center)
Urban Development Corporation

Regional Agencies

Black River-St. Lawrence Regional Planning & Development Board

Local Agencies

Hamlet of Limerick
Jefferson County Planning Board
Town of Brownville
Town of Hounsfield
Village of Brownville
Village of Chaumont
Village of Sackets Harbor

Other Organizations or Groups

Catholic Charities
Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce
Dexter Citizens Committee
Frontier Housing Authority
Hydro Development Group, Inc.
Jefferson County Sport Fisheries Advisory Council
Local Waterfront Revitalization Advisory Committee
Watertown Chamber of Commerce
Watertown Trust

Upon completion, the draft LWRP will be available for review and comment by all affected agencies and interested parties. Comments received at public hearings and/or in writing will be analyzed by program staff. Where such comments warrant changes to the draft LWRP, they will be accommodated in the final program document and FEIS to the maximum extent practicable. The Secretary of State will be called upon to assist in mitigating conflicts where such conflicts involve federal or State agencies or substantial disagreement between other parties.