

LOCAL COMMITMENT

The Town is interested in achieving agreement and acceptance of policies, programs and projects relating to the Local Waterfront Revitalization Area by the Town Planning Board and the Town Board.

The Town has been involved for the past several years with the Shorelands Task Force whose purpose has been to develop the means for preserving and enhancing the natural, scenic and historic resources of the Town along the Hudson River, particularly within the area designated as the Mid-Hudson Historic Shorelands Scenic District. Red Hook has had an interest in long range planning coupled with a tradition of public involvement.

The Town organization with primary responsibility for achieving local commitment on this LWRP will be the Red Hook Waterfront Committee which will be comprised of one member of each of the following Town boards--the Town Board, the Planning Board, Conservation Advisory Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals--and a representative to the Hudson River Shorelands Task Force.

The following steps have been or will be undertaken to achieve local commitment:

1. The Committee has contacted groups and individuals concerned with the waterfront including various civic and homeowner association and invite input concerning their interests and information that they may possess.
2. Consultants to the Committee have prepared and submitted to the Committee for review and comment, background material and drafts of planning policy documents, including analyses and plans for uses and specific projects within the Waterfront Revitalization Area.
3. The Committee has conducted a public meeting to achieve public input and has disseminated drafts.
4. Various civic and resident associations and environmental groups have been and will be further consulted regarding waterfront policies and revitalization projects.
5. The Committee has been making and will make recommendations to the Town Board regarding development policies and revitalization projects.
6. The Waterfront Committee chairperson has kept and will maintain contact with the media to assure that information is provided to the public.
7. The Waterfront Committee and subsequently the Town Board will approve a set of policies and plans relating to Red Hook's Waterfront Revitalization Area. These will serve as a basis for: ,

- a. Submission of a draft LWRP, a draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and a final EIS to the State;
 - b. Land use regulations and public improvements;
 - c. Public and joint public/private projects;
 - d. Coordination of local, State and Federal participation in the implementation of the LWRP, particularly in terms of assuring consistency with the local plan.
 - e. Adoption of a final LWRP.
8. The Town Board will conduct a public hearing on the draft LWRP and draft EIS.

Persons invited to 9/19/84 public hearing on Town of Red Hook Local Waterfront Revitalization Plan - Red Hook, NY.

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Town Assessor - Richard Trotti
Red Hook Town Recreation Commission
Town Highway Superintendent - George Hildenbrand
Town Attorney - Albert Trezza
County Legislator - Madison Sipperley
Red Hook Chamber of Commerce
Red Hook Visual Environmental Commission
Red Hook Boat Club
Unification Church
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Red Hook Egbert Benson Historical Society
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