



Long Island Section of the
American Planning Association
New York Metro Chapter

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2015 East End Planning Conference

Thursday, September 24, 2015, 3 PM – 7:30 PM

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On September 24th, the APA Long Island Section will hold its annual East End Planning Conference in a new location. This year the conference will be held at the **Stony Brook University School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences (SoMAS) Chancellors Hall** located on Tuckahoe Road in Southampton. The LEED Silver-rated Marine Sciences Center showcases state-of-the-art indoor and outdoor seawater labs, all visible from the central lobby. The program will include:

- ✚ **Behind the Scenes Tour** of the new **SoMAS Marine Sciences Center** and outdoor research grounds (2:00 – 3:00 pm) (*Optional*)
[Meet at Marine Sciences Center]
- ✚ **Registration and Networking** (3:00 – 3:30 pm) *Sponsor Exhibits*
[Chancellors Hall: Duke Lecture Hall]
- ✚ **Welcoming Remarks** (3:30 pm) – **Hon. Anna Throne-Holst**, Supervisor, Town of Southampton
- ✚ **Session 1** (4:00 – 5:30 pm): **East End Transportation Challenges** {1.5 CM credits pending}
This panel discussion will be moderated by **Gerry Bogacz**, Planning Director, New York Metropolitan Transportation Council, and feature presentations by **Thomas F. Neely**, Transportation & Traffic Safety Director, Town of Southampton, **Andrew Lynch**, Vice President, Hampton Jitney, and **Steve Bate**, Executive Director, Long Island Wine Council. The panelists will discuss balancing the interests of North and South Fork residents who prefer a quieter, agrarian quality of life, with the needs of the middle-income commuters and the “trade parade” and tourism visitors who fuel the region’s continued economic growth and success.
- ✚ **Dinner Buffet and Networking** (5:30 – 6:00 pm) *Sponsor Exhibits*
[Chancellors Hall: Kanas Lobby]
- ✚ **Session 2** (6:00-7:30 pm): **Needed Infrastructure to Support Burgeoning East End Aquaculture Communities** {1.5 CM credits pending}
This panel discussion will be moderated by **Gregg Rivara**, Aquaculture Specialist, Cornell Cooperative Extension, and feature input from **Scott Carlin, Ph.D.**, Chairman, Southampton Sustainability Committee, **Ed Warner**, Southampton Trustee, **Dewitt Davies, Ph.D.**, Chief Environmental Analyst, Suffolk Co. Dep’t of Econ Development & Planning, **Donna Lanzetta**, Manna Fish Farms, and **Dr. Konstantine Rountos**, SOMAS. The panel will discuss infrastructure gaps that exist for protecting and enhancing the water quality of our bays while promoting sustainable water-dependent industries and economic opportunities.

**Registration: \$15 students; \$20 municipal, APA members, non-profits;
\$25 Non-members; \$40 at the door**

To register for this event and pay online, please visit our website at www.apalongisland.org. Or, send a check payable to APA Long Island Section and mail to Kathryn Eiseman, APA LI Section Treasurer, c/o Nelson, Pope & Voorhis, LLC, 572 Walt Whitman Road, Melville, NY 11747 (please also send an email to keiseman@nelsonpopevoorhis.com if sending a check by mail after September 18th).

There are a number of Sponsorship opportunities starting at \$150. Details provided on our website. **All net proceeds fund future scholarships and donations are always welcomed!**

Thank you! We look forward to seeing you on September 24th!