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Subject: State Review of Comprehensive Plan

Dear Mr. Ezovski:

This correspondence presents the results of my review of Town of North Smithfield Comprehensive Plan 2019 (the Plan) as adopted by the Town Council on April 1, 2019 and revised in response to my initial comments of August 30, 2019. The Comprehensive Planning and Land Use Regulation Act (the Act) requires that I review municipal comprehensive plans to ensure that comprehensive plans and subsequent amendments comply with the requirements listed in §45-22.2-9(d). Therefore, pursuant to these requirements, I hereby find:

- 1) the intent and goals of the Act as stated in § 45-22.2-3(b)(1) and (c)(1) through (10) have been met;
- 2) the Plan is internally consistent and complete as required by § 45-22.2-6;
- 3) the Plan is consistent with, and embodies, the goals and policies of the State and its departments and agencies as contained in the State Guide Plan and the laws of the State;
- 4) municipal planning activities have been coordinated according to the provisions of § 45-22.2-7;
- 5) the Plan has been officially adopted and submitted for review in accordance with § 45-22.2-8 and other applicable procedures;
- 6) the Plan complies with the rules and regulations adopted by the State Planning Council; and, that
- 7) adequate, uniform, and valid data have been used in preparing the plan or amendment.

Decision

Based on these findings, I certify that the North Smithfield Comprehensive Plan 2019 is consistent with the goals, findings, and intent as established by the Act.

I greatly appreciate the level of hard and dedicated work that went into the production of this plan. In order to publicly recognize this accomplishment, I would like to invite you, the Town Planner, Tom Kravitz, and any other Town representatives to attend a presentation of a Certificate of Recognition at the meeting of the State Planning Council scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on November 14, 2019. The meeting will be held in Conference Room A on the second floor of the Powers Building.

Congratulations and on behalf of the State of Rhode Island, we look forward to working with your community in realizing the desired future as expressed by the residents of North Smithfield through your Comprehensive Plan.

Yours truly,

Meredith E. Brady (KN)

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Associate Director

cc: Tom Kravitz