

American Society for Public Administration
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Breakfast Roundtable

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TOPIC: Long Term Planning for the State of Connecticut: Do It or Else?

MODERATOR: Professor Paul Petterson, President, CT ASPA

PANEL

- * Ms. Carol Atkinson-Palombo, Assistant Professor, UCONN, Department of Geography
- * Mr. Mark Pelligrini, Director, Neighborhood Services and Economic Development and President, CT Chapter, American Planning Association.
- * (The Legislature's Program Review & Investigation Committee may also provide a panel member.)

A recently completed report on long term planning authored by the Program Review and Investigation Committee found that the state has "no clear vision" for "where it wishes to be in 20 years (or some long-term period) or how it intends to get there" (p. 34). The state lacks a coordinate data collection point where data are collected and analyzed that could be used in long term planning, or in monitoring progress toward achieving established goals (p. 32).

A number of states have mounted long range planning efforts – from Washington State to Kentucky - that provide executive and legislative leaders with good information for decision making and budget development. If long term and coordinated planning should be a core part of state government operations, not peripheral and subject to the whim of changes in leadership - what should we do in Connecticut to get there and what price will we pay if we do not?

Special Note: This program will be recorded for future webcast.

WHEN: Wednesday, March 19, 2008
8:15 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

WHERE: Charter Oak State College
55 Paul Manafort Drive, New Britain CT

DIRECTIONS and PARKING: See attachment

COST: ASPA Members and Students \$5.00/Non-Members \$15.00
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*** Registration Form ***



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- * Take I-91 South to I-84 West to Exit 39A, to Rte 9 South.
- * Take Exit 29.
- * At end of exit turn right onto Ella Grasso Blvd
- * At next major intersection, turn left onto Stanley St.
- * At next light (Dunkin Donuts), turn left onto Paul Manafort Dr.
- * Charter Oak's parking lot is on the right.

>From New York and other points SOUTH of New Britain:

- * Take I-95 North to I-91 North to Exit 22 North to Rte. 9 North.
- * Follow Rte. 9 to Exit 29, Cedar St (Rte. 175).
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