



Panel Discussion: The Need for Affordable, Workforce Housing

The Kennebunk Economic Development Committee and the Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Committee cordially invite you to a panel discussion focused on affordable, workforce housing on **Wednesday, May 24, 2017 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in Room 300 of the Town Hall.**

Affordable housing, and in particular, workforce housing, is becoming increasingly hard to find, even for those in the moderate income range (80-120% of median income). These groups are critical to the service industry in the community; they include teachers, firefighters, police officers and many in the health care and hospitality industry. The panel will share information regarding programs and projects they provide in the development of affordable housing, as well as address some innovative actions the community might want to consider, including zoning density, inclusionary zoning, residential TIFs or density bonuses.

Panel speakers include:

- Robert Georgitis, Chair of the Kennebunk Economic Development Committee and Moderator
- Matt Peters, Avesta Housing
- John Gallagher (or alternate), Maine Housing Authority
- Kurt Shillington, Princeton Properties

For more information, please contact Economic Development Director Mathew Eddy at 604-1366.