



Rockingham Planning Commission

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Memorandum

To: *Chairmen of Boards of Selectmen, Planning Boards, Planning Directors and Conservation Commissions in RPC Coastal Communities*
From: *Glenn Greenwood, Assistant Director*
Date: *January 4, 2008*
Subject: *CZP Grant Funds – Technical Assistance Projects*

Each year the RPC applies to the NH Department of Environmental Services for a technical assistance grant from the NH Coastal Program to use in support of local planning projects within our coastal zone. These funds can be used for master planning projects, natural resource mapping, community-wide buildout analyses and any number of other projects that enhance coastal resource management and protection.

This is a reminder that if your community anticipates applying to the RPC to be included in this grant round you will need to budget for this item now. The following guidelines also apply:

- < It is a 50/50 matching program with no limit per community and can be used only for planning assistance provided by the RPC;
- < The local match must be in the form of budgeted funds and be available as of July 1, 2008;
- < The project must be able to be completed by June 30, 2009;
- < You must be a community located in the NH Coastal Zone (these include Exeter, Greenland, Hampton, Hampton Falls, New Castle, Newfields, Newington, North Hampton, Portsmouth, Rye, Seabrook and Stratham); and
- < These funds may not be used for projects already covered by existing contracts with the RPC.

If you have a project proposal or any questions regarding the CZP Technical Assistance Grant program, please contact the RPC planner assigned to your community or Glenn Greenwood, Assistant Director.

cc: RPC Commissioners

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