

July 7, 2010

The Town of Easton is pleased to announce and welcome Mr. Bradford V. Washburn as its new Planning Director, and Mr. Timothy Harrigan as its new Community Housing Planner.

Mr. Washburn, of Roslindale, brings to the Town of Easton more than seven years experience in the public and private sectors. He previously served as Boston Harbor Regional Coordinator for the Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management. Mr. Washburn also made many valuable contributions to the city of Boston as a planner for the city's Redevelopment Authority.

Mr. Harrigan of Providence, RI previously served as an Urban Information Consultant on the Providence Plan. He also worked on the Division of Planning and Development in Lowell, as well as the Merrimack Valley Planning Commission. He has experience in municipal housing production plans, as well as a solid background in grant-writing, land use and smart growth. He will report on Monday July 19, 2010.

Mr. Washburn holds a Masters in Regional Planning from The University of Massachusetts, Amherst, in addition to an undergraduate degree in Political Science from the University of North Florida. Mr. Harrigan possesses a Masters in Regional Economic and Social Development from the University of Massachusetts, Lowell, as well as a B.A in Sociology from Emmanuel College. His first day will be July 28, 2010.

The Town of Easton is excited to begin working with both individuals and hopes to sustain a lasting and productive relationship for years to come. Please join the Town in welcoming both Mr. Washburn and Mr. Harrigan to the community.