

2015 Leahy Center Environmental Summit Agenda

Day One – Friday March 20th

<u>Timeframe</u>	<u>Task</u>
7:30-8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:30 am	Welcome - Mark Saba, Leahy Center for Lake Champlain, Board Chairman Our Summit Task & Objectives - Phelan Fretz, Leahy Center for Lake Champlain, Executive Director Overview of our Summit Methodology - Lindsey Godwin & Pru Sullivan Summit Facilitators, David L. Cooperrider Center for Appreciative Inquiry
9:15 am	Opening Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meet your neighbors from around the region:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Personal resilience story; key elements of successful project design; golden innovation & inspirations from others; 2020 vision of a resilient Vermont Roundtable Discovery & Report Outs
10:15 am	Break – 10 minutes
10:25 am	Inspirational Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sue Minter, Secretary of Transportation, State of Vermont – <i>Being Resilient</i>• Kim Stephens, M.Eng. P.Eng, Executive Director, Partnership for Water Sustainability in British Columbia – <i>Building Resiliency</i>
11:00 am	Roundtable & Report outs: Visions of a Resilient VT in 2020
12:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm	Designing for Success: Project Scope Setting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop a Scope Statement, Breakthrough impacts, Project objectives, Key milestones



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| 2:00 pm | <p>Keynote</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Secretary of Interior Sally Jewell and Senator Patrick Leahy |
| 3:00 pm | <p>Break – 15 minutes</p> |
| 3:15 pm | <p>Designing for Success, Project Planning, & Breakthrough</p> |
| 4:45 pm | <p>Insights and Reflections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deb Markowitz, Secretary, Vermont Agency of Natural Resources • Mark Saba, Board Chairman, Leahy Center for Lake Champlain |
| 5:30 pm | <p>Social Reception</p> |

Day Two – Saturday March 21, 2015

Timeframe

Task

7:30-9:00 am

Breakfast & Resource Expo

- Opportunity to meet and access federal and state resources

9:00 am

Welcome and Opening Reflections

- Phelan Fretz, Executive Director, Leahy Center for Lake Champlain

Inspirational Remarks

- Dr. Lesley-Ann Dupigny-Giroux, State Climatologist, State of Vermont

9:30 am

Headlines & Design II/III/IV

- Overview of Community Asset Mapping – Bill Roper
- Design Part II: Stakeholder and Resource Mapping
- Introduction to Design & Prototyping Methods
- Design Part III: Brainstorming in groups: “How might we engage stakeholders?”
- Design Part IV: Rapid Prototyping



12:00 – 1:30 pm

Working Lunch: Deployment & Moving to Action – Groups work on Action Plans

1:30 pm

Deployment Part II & Final Presentations

3:30 pm

Closing reflections & appreciations

- Mark Saba, Board Chairman, Leahy Center for Lake Champlain
- Phelan Fretz, Executive Director, Leahy Center for Lake Champlain

4:00 pm

Summit Adjourns

