



Working Together to Build Back Better

City of Schenectady and Town of Rotterdam 2nd Planning
Committee Meeting

7:00 PM October 3, 2013

Rotterdam Town Hall, 1100 Sunrise Boulevard, Rotterdam

Meeting Agenda

1. Review of 9/30 Public Meeting
2. Conceptual Plan Overview
3. Review and Finalize Community Vision Statement
4. Review and Finalize Geographic Scope
5. Review Asset Inventory
6. Needs and Opportunities Brainstorming Session
7. Review List of Strategies and Potential Key Projects
8. Public Engagement Strategy
9. Next Steps and Assignments



Conceptual Plan Overview

Conceptual Plan will include:

1. Community vision
2. Community profile
3. Geographic scope
4. Key strategies identified by the committee
5. Potential key projects identified by the committee
6. Potential actions that could be taken to implement key strategies

Deadline:

Final Draft due October 28, 2013

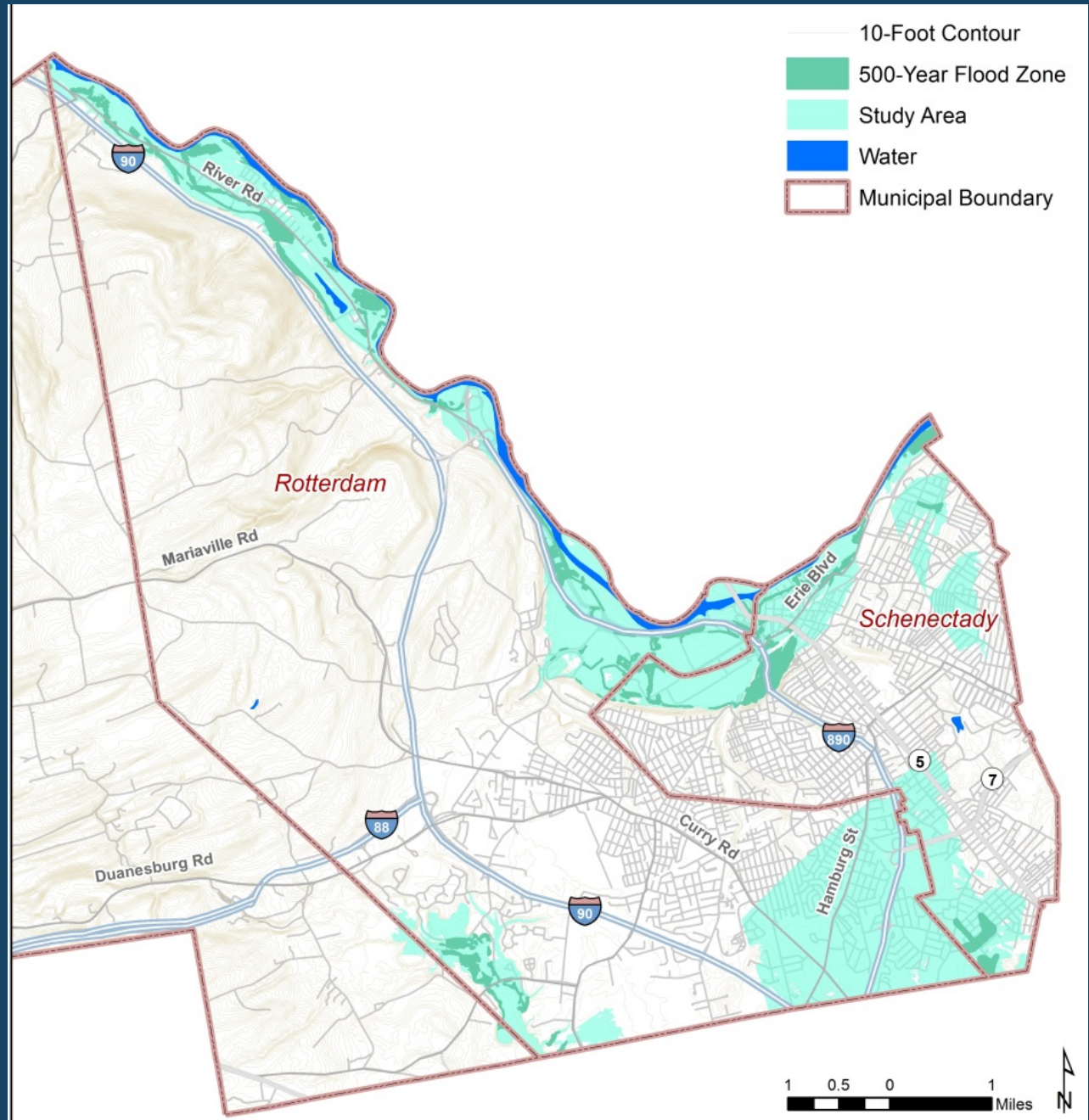


Community Vision

The City of Schenectady and the Town of Rotterdam will be resilient: they will anticipate flood risks, limit impacts to property and infrastructure when flooding is unavoidable, and respond efficiently and recover quickly, in a manner that protects traditional community neighborhoods, quality of life, and takes advantage of waterfront recreational opportunities.



Geographic Scope / Project Study Area



Review of Assets

- Asset categories:
 1. Economic
 2. Health and Social Services
 3. Housing
 4. Infrastructure Systems
 5. Natural and Cultural Resources
 6. Vulnerable Populations
- Review asset spreadsheet and determine which assets are at risk.
- Assets will be provided for review next week.

Needs & Opportunities Brainstorming

- Community Planning and Capacity Building
- Economic Development
- Health and Social Services
- Housing
- Infrastructure
- Natural and Cultural Resources

Strategies and Potential Key Projects Subcommittee

- Subcommittee will assemble and distribute the following information for review. This information will be included in the conceptual plan:
 1. Key strategies
 2. Potential key projects
 3. Potential actions that could be taken to implement key strategies
 4. Project list due October 9; projects may be submitted on a rolling basis

Key Projects

Brainstorming session

Public Engagement Subcommittee Update

Two public meetings to be held by Nov 10th

1. Introduction to program, input on vision, needs, opportunities, and projects - **COMPLETED**
2. Feedback on draft conceptual plan, provide strategy and implementation ideas.

Two more public meetings by Feb 16th

1. Review risk assessment
2. Review strategies and implementation



Next Steps

Meetings:

- Schedule second public meeting
- Third Committee Meeting- November 7, 2013 at 7pm (Location)
- Subcommittee Meetings

Finalize the following items by October 9:

- Community Vision (if not finalized today)
- Geographic Scope (if not finalized today)
- Critical Assets- Committee to review asset list and provide comments
- Review draft Needs and Opportunities and provide comments
- Key strategies, projects and actions (Subcommittee)
- Send any missing plans to Anne-Elizabeth Kaitano at Akaitano@ene.com

