



TESTIMONY

of the

CONNECTICUT CONFERENCE OF MUNICIPALITIES

to the

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

March 3, 2008

The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities appreciates the opportunity to testify on the following bill of interest to towns and cities:

R.B. 5672, “An Act Establishing A Municipal Land Use Grant”

CCM supports this bill.

R.B. 5672 would promote and encourage smart growth practices that would enable towns and cities to preserve open space, develop affordable housing and make more sound land use decisions.

CCM urges the Committee to support this proposal.

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If you have any questions, please call Ron Thomas, CCM’s Manager of State and Federal Relations, or Gian-Carl Casa, CCM Director of Legislative Services, at (203) 498-3000.