Green Infrastructure and Sustainability in Public Works: A Roundtable Discussion
A Connecticut Road Scholar Program Elective Workshop

July 21, 2010
Hartford, CT
8:30 a.m. — 1:30 p.m.
(registration begins at 8:00 a.m.)
(Lunch will be provided)

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Course Description:
The goal of this roundtable discussion will be to learn more about how Connecticut’s Cities and Towns are approaching “green” technologies and integrating sustainable practices into their operations. The session will include a discussion and tour of the Metropolitan District (MDC) “Green Capitols” project in Hartford. Participants will be able to ask questions, share their own experiences and learn from each other as well as our technical expert.

Instructor:
*Carl Bard, P.E.*, Deputy Chief of the Project Management Unit at the Metropolitan District (MDC), will share his insights on green infrastructure and provide us with information on how the MDC is exploring opportunities to implement Green Infrastructure into the CWP.

The MDC is currently working with EPA and DEP to determine appropriate applications to meet the program requirements.

Who Should Attend:
This program is designed for municipal and state personnel who are responsible for integrating green technologies and sustainable engineering practices into municipal projects. Town Engineering and Planning Staff and Public Works Directors are encouraged to attend.

Registration Fees
The registration fee for State and Municipal participants is **$75.00**; the registration fee for private sector participants is **$150.00**. The registration fee includes lunch and workshop handouts. Registration fees are due prior to the start of the workshop.

Participants from the Connecticut Department of Transportation must provide the ConnDOT workshop voucher number with the registration form and bring the original voucher to the workshop.

Refund Policy
The registration fee is refundable if notice of cancellation is received 48 hours prior to the start of the program. Registrants who are unable to attend and do not cancel in advance are subject to the registration fee.

Substitutions may be made at any time. Please notify us of changes.

Registration
Registration is closed one week prior to the day of the workshop. Please mail registration to address noted on the form or fax to (860) 486-5718.

You will receive a confirmation packet by mail containing travel directions and parking information prior to the training date.

Enrollment is Limited
Registrations will be accepted on a first-come first-served basis. Please register early for this workshop.

Tentative Schedule
8:00 a.m.  Registration
8:30 a.m.  Introductions and Technical Presentation:
Carl Bard
Project Management Unit
MDC
10:00  Tour of Capitol Greening Project
11:30  Lunch
12:30  Roundtable Discussion
- What are you doing?
- Challenges for Public Works
- Success Stories
1:30  Adjourn

Participants will be expected to actively participate in the discussion. Bring questions, comments and concerns about your department’s sustainable practices and how you are approaching “green” technologies.