

## Connecticut Association of Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commissions, Inc.

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Greetings to all Connecticut Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commissions & staff,

The CACIWC Board of Directors and Annual Meeting Committee are very pleased to provide additional details on our 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting and Environmental Conference scheduled on Saturday, November 23, 2019 when we will return to the Red Lion Hotel Cromwell (formerly known as the Radisson Hotel Cromwell).

The CACIWC Annual Meeting Committee has scheduled a series of informative workshops on a host of relevant topics for both experienced and new conservation and inland wetlands commissioners and staff. Additional details can be found on our website <a href="https://www.caciwc.org">www.caciwc.org</a> and in the upcoming summer/fall issue of *The Habitat*. Individuals associated with CACIWC member commissions in good standing who register before <a href="https://occ.org/to-october-15">October 15</a>, 2019 can still save up to \$25 off the registration fee for each commission member or staff (see attached registration form). You can either register by completing the on-line registration form, or by mailing completed registration forms along with your checks to us at our deKoven House address, or by scanning and emailing completed registration forms (along with any questions) to us at: <a href="mailto:AnnualMtg@caciwc.org">AnnualMtg@caciwc.org</a>.

We also remind commissions who have not yet sent in their CACIWC membership renewal that our current fiscal year began on July 1, 2019. Please note that the CACIWC Board of Directors has decided *not* to raise membership fees for the July 1, 2019-June 30, 2020 fiscal year. We have also attached a copy of the membership renewal form for your convenience. Your prompt return of the completed form and check to CACIWC at the above address will help us fund our Annual Meeting and Environmental Conference, issues of *The Habitat*, along with additional proposed education sessions. You may also renew and pay by credit card using our on-line registration form, see <a href="https://www.caciwc.org">www.caciwc.org</a>.

Your commission's support of our membership dues has become even more critical in recent years as the costs of hosting our annual meeting and environmental conference have substantially increased. Please also consider becoming a conference sponsor this year. Your sponsorship at any level (see the categories listed on the registration form and our website for more information) will help us meet these increasing expenses.

We thank you for your ongoing support and hope to see you at the conference!

Alan J. Siniscalchi, President CACIWC