

Background Reading Suggestions for Town Planning

Available at the Norwich Library-Summer 2019

2019 DRAFT TRORC Regional Plan <https://www.trorc.org/trorc-regional-plan/>

Above and Beyond -- Visualizing Change in Small Towns and Rural Areas, by Julie Campoli. <https://www.juliecampoli.com/visualizing-density-1>

Putting Smart Growth to Work in Rural Communities.
https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2014-01/documents/10-180_smart_growth_rural_com.pdf

Getting the Density You Want by Elizabeth Humstone <http://plannersweb.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/300.pdf>

A Question of Scale by Elizabeth Humstone <http://plannersweb.com/2011/04/a-question-of-scale/>

Americans Need More Neighbors NY Times, June 15, 2019,
<https://www.nytimes.com/2019/06/15/opinion/sunday/minneapolis-ends-single-family-zoning.html?smid=nytcore-ios-share>

"Thinking in Systems: A Primer" by Donella Meadows, Edited by the Sustainability Institute. <https://www.chelseagreen.com/product/thinking-in-systems/>

Energy Action Network Annual Progress Report <https://www.eanvt.org/2018-progress-report/>

* "Climate Action Plan for 2019 <http://vermontconservationvoters.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/Climate-Action-Plan-for-2019.pdf>

* from Vox: "The key to tackling climate change: electrify everything
<https://www.vox.com/2016/9/19/12938086/electrify-everything>

* NY Times: "Your Questions About Food and Climate Change, Answered" <https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2019/04/30/dining/climate-change-food-eating-habits.html>

* Earth Institute/Columbia University: "The 35 Easiest Ways to Reduce Your Carbon Footprint" <https://blogs.ei.columbia.edu/2018/12/27/35-ways-reduce-carbon-footprint/>

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(Also available at the Norwich Bookstore-Summer 2019)

Growth & Development // Strong & Diverse Economy // Preservation // Village Centers & Rural Countryside

[*The Art of Gathering: How We Meet and Why it Matters*](#) by Priya Parker

[*How Civility Works*](#) by Keith J Bybee

[*35 Dumb Things Well-Intended People Say: Surprising Things We Say That Widen the Diversity Gap*](#) by Dr Maura Cullen

Environmental Protection // Energy Plan // Flood Resilience

[*Drawdown: The Most Comprehensive Plan Ever Proposed to Reverse Global Warming*](#)
edited by Paul Hawken

[*Grass, Soil, Hope: A Journey Through Carbon Country*](#) by Courtney White

Housing

[*Squeezed: Why Our Families Can't Afford America*](#) by Alissa Quart