Vermont Alliance for Response Forum

Monday, Aug. 31, 2009
Billings Farm & Museum and Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park,
Woodstock, VT

All morning sessions at Billings Farm & Museum Theater

8:30 am - Registration & coffee.

9:00 am - Welcome - Jackie Calder, Curator, Vermont Historical Society; David Donath, President, Billings Farm & Museum/Woodstock Foundation; Daniel Laven, Management Assistant, Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park.

9:10 am - What is Alliance for Response? - Jane Long, Vice President, Emergency Programs, Heritage Preservation.

9:20 am - The Effects of Disasters on Cultural Property - MJ Davis-Paper Conservator, member of American Institute for Conservation, Emergency Response Team.

9:40 am - Developing an Emergency Plan - Polly Darnell, Archivist, Shelburne Museum.


10:45 am – Break.

11 am - Woodstock Under Siege: An Emergency Scenario – Corwin Sharp, Director of Program Development, Billings Farm & Museum; Laura Anderson, Curator, Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller-National Historical Park; Jay Morgan, Woodstock Town Clerk; Jack Anderson, Executive Director, Woodstock Historical Society; Deb Spackman, Head Librarian, Norman Williams Public Library, Volunteer Fireperson & EMT; Phil Swanson, Woodstock Town Manager; Butch Sutherland, Woodstock Fire Chief and Fire Marshal for the Vermont Division of Fire Safety, Rutland office; Byron Kelly, Woodstock Police Chief.

12:00 - Making Contact with Your Vendors Before an Emergency Happens - James Gilbert, National Accounts Manager, Munters.
12:30 pm - **Bag Lunch** - Courtesy of **Munters**. Lunch on your own on the grounds of Billings Farm & Museum or Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park.

**Concurrent Sessions at Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park**

1:20 – 2:30 pm - (each session is 30 minutes long and will be given twice).

*Building Renovation: A Time for Risk Assessment and Preservation Planning* – Nick Artim, Director, Fire Safety Network. (Meet at the Visitor Center).

*Models and Resources for Emergency Planning: The COSTEP Program and FEMA Region I* - Aimee Primeaux, COSTEP and Jack Sullivan, FEMA, Region I. (Meet at the Forest Center).

**Regroup at the Billings Farms & Museum Theater**

2:45 - 3:30 pm - *VT Alliance for Response: The Road Forward* - Ann Cousins, Field Services Representative, Preservation Trust of Vermont; Jackie Calder, MJ Davis, Barbara Farr, Jane Long.