

Janet H. Morrison

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Lawyer and Conservation Professional

- § Executive Director, North County Land Trust, a regional land trust working in north central Massachusetts
- § Experience working in Massachusetts with land trusts, private conservation groups and public entities from state agencies to municipal boards.
- § Membership in regional and state-wide advocacy groups, with experience analyzing conservation policies and land protection strategies.
- § Completed collaborative land protection projects, involving fee acquisition and conservation easements, throughout north central Massachusetts.
- § Addressed various groups, from land owners to conservation commissioners, on land conservation options, strategies and opportunities.
- § Professional experience in negotiation and drafting of conservation restrictions, deeds and other legal documents involved in the conservation of land in Massachusetts; professional experience in real estate conveyancing; professional experience in legal research and writing.
- § GIS skills ArcView 10

EDUCATION

- § M.S. Antioch New England Graduate School 2003
Natural Resource Management and Administration.
- § J.D. Boston College Law School 1979
- § B.A. Harvard University 1976

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- § 2000 – March 2016 North County Land Trust, Inc., Massachusetts
Executive Director/Director of Land Protection
- § 2001 – 2012 Janet H. Morrison, Attorney at Law
- § 1981 – 2001. Morrison & Morrison, Attorneys at Law

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- § Member in good standing: Massachusetts Bar since 1979
Federal Bar, District of Massachusetts since 1980
- § Member Massachusetts Land Trust Coalition (MLTC)
- § Member Massachusetts Easement Defense Subcommittee (MEDS) of MLTC

PUBLIC SERVICE/AWARDS

- § Fitchburg Greenway Committee: Co-Chair 2007 - present (FGC is an ad-hoc committee which promotes parks, trails and greenways in Fitchburg, Mass.)
- § Massachusetts Watershed Coalition: Director 2008 – 2013
- § Massachusetts DCR Off-Highway Vehicle Enforcement and Education Working Group: member 2008 – 2010; Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Committee 2013 - 2016
- § Nashua River Watershed Association: Director 2000 – 2008: Recognized at NRWA’s 40th Annual Meeting in 2009, as one of 40 people who have made an “especially important contribution...to protect the natural resources of the Nashua River watershed.”
- § The Trustees of Reservations: Accepted award for the Fitchburg Greenway Committee as “Conservationist of the Year” at 2010 Annual Meeting.

PROFESSIONAL CONTACT INFORMATION

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