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NJIT TAB Provides Organizational and Facilitation Services for VT All-EPA Brownfields Grantees and Roundtable

NJIT TAB assisted the Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation (VDEC) and the Two Rivers-Ottawaquechee Regional Commission (TRORC) with organizing and facilitating the Vermont All-EPA Brownfield Grantee and Brownfields Roundtable meeting held on November 9, 2016, in South Royalton, VT. The conference brought together approximately 30 participants from federal and state government as well as staff from Vermont's Regional Planning Commissions and Regional Development Organizations. The event provided a platform for attendees to forge partnerships and encourage closer collaboration for brownfield redevelopment. The event also provided an opportunity for attendees to hear great examples of success stories intended to inspire the next great brownfield redevelopment project. During the facilitated peer-to-peer discussion, the attendees brought forth numerous ideas and solutions regarding how to select sites for brownfield programs, how to work with property owners



as well as ideas for working with multiple stakeholders.

Having knowledge of the NJIT TAB Team's extensive experience and expertise in organizing conferences, VT DEC and TRORC requested assistance in planning the event. The NJIT TAB Team not only spearheaded the event's planning activities, but also managed invitations and registrations, sent reminders, confirmed speakers, provided facilitation services for the event, prepared name tags, and assisted with "day of" logistics. NJIT TAB also presented an overview of the TAB program and the free services available.