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# Built to Belong: *The Next Generation of Mixed-Use Neighborhood Developments*

**Keynote Speaker: Donald Powers**

Tuesday, September 15, 2026 | Dover, NH | 9:00AM-4:00 PM

## Plan NH Fall Conference - *Built to Belong*

**Housing, open space, walkability, connection, community.** Join us for Plan NH's 2026 Annual Fall Conference exploring how planners, developers, and municipal leaders are creating new mixed-use developments that echo the vibrant, walkable charm of traditional New England villages. Featuring expert insights and an on-site tour of the Cocheco Waterfront District, this inspiring event brings together community leaders, design professionals, policymakers, and advocates dedicated to shaping the future of New Hampshire communities.

*This event will be in-person and provide sponsor exposure to approximately 60-80 attendees from a cross-section of the community development field.*

## About Our Keynote Speaker - **Donald Powers** *AIA, LEED AP, CNU*



Donald Powers is the Founding Principal and President of Union Studio Architecture & Community Design. In his 35 years as an architect, Donald has helped establish placemaking, walkability, and human scale as a basic standard of community design. His decades long association with the Congress for the New Urbanism and frequent collaboration with some of the best design firms and developers in the country that are doing traditional urban design has made him an expert in the technique and art of creating livable communities.

*Union Studio is a nationally practicing, mission-driven firm committed to designing sustainable places that will be loved for generations. Their work includes urban planning and community design, civic and institutional buildings, mixed-use developments, and housing of all types. Union Studio is based in Providence, RI.*



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Across the state, large-scale mixed-use developments are emerging as a compelling solution to meet the increasing demand for vibrant, walkable communities, alongside the region's housing and economic development needs. Transformative projects like Tuscan Village in Salem, Woodmont Commons in Londonderry, and The Cocheco Waterfront District in Dover are reshaping how communities think about housing, retail, entertainment, and public spaces.

Plan New Hampshire's Fall Conference delves into the rising trend of these next-generation mixed-use neighborhoods, which replicate the most cherished elements of traditional New England villages, resulting in destination-like environments where people can live, work, and gather. Through engaging speaker presentations, a dynamic panel discussion, and an on-site tour, participants will gain insights into the planning, partnerships, and design strategies that underpin these ambitious projects.

Developers, municipal leaders, planners, and design professionals will share lessons about the zoning, infrastructure, financing, and community engagement required to bring these projects to life. Following the discussion, we will tour The Cocheco Waterfront District to experience first-hand how site design, public space, and integrated amenities create a sense of place while supporting economic growth.

Participants will gain practical insights into the opportunities, challenges, and lessons learned – from zoning and partnerships to infrastructure and creating a sense of place – and how mixed-use developments can support housing supply, attract businesses, and create vibrant community destinations. Perfect for planners, economic development professionals, housing officials, architects, developers, real estate professionals, municipal leaders, and others interested in shaping the future of New Hampshire communities.

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