

President's Recognition Award

2007 ~ Mountain Counties Heritage, Inc.

In recognition of their commitment to seek regional input and project prioritization to create a prosperous future for the Maine Woods Region



Business Development Achievements

1999 ~ River Valley Growth Council

Creation of an economic development organization

2000 ~ Growth Council of Oxford Hills

Strategic approach to economic development for eight communities

2003 ~ Oxford Networks

Oxford Networks Lewiston/Auburn Fiber Optic Network

2004 ~ Lewiston-Auburn Economic Growth Council

Foreign Trade Zone

2006 ~ Greater Franklin Development Corporation

Abbott Hill Business Center

2007 ~ Saddleback Mountain Ski Area

economic opportunity that is sensitive to the rustic beauty and traditions of Western Maine



Transportation Achievements

1999 ~ Greater Bethel Area Transit Study Committee

for efforts and commitment to develop a public participation group interested in quality of regional transportation

2000 ~ Route 26 Corridor Committee

Tireless effort to improve a major transportation corridor in their area

Achievements in Planning

1997 ~ Town of Madrid

Madrid Planning Program represented innovative approach to planning for small rural communities

1998 ~ Town of Bethel

For the Bethel Comprehensive Plan Public Participation Program

1999 ~ The City of Auburn -The ADAPT Plan -

to the development of quality planning programs

2000 ~ City of Lewiston

For their vision and inclusive approach to the Downtown Master Plan

2001 ~ The Town of Norway and

Norway Downtown Revitalization Group

Efforts to enhance the economic vitality of Norway's Downtown



Environmental Achievements

2001 ~ The City of Lewiston and No Name Pond Watershed

Management Plan

Commitment to improve the water quality of

No Name Pond

2002 ~ City of Lewiston Public Works Department

Gully Brook Sewer Separation Project

In recognition of the unique methods employed to eliminate a sewer system overflow and protect water quality

2006 ~ Androscoggin River Watershed Council

Source to Sea Canoe Trek

In recognition of the Tenth Anniversary, which has increased awareness of the river's potential

2007 ~ Neokraft Signs

Exemplary Recycling Efforts