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Subject: POCD Draft Re: SALT

John and Diane:

I am not surprised to see the following statement in the POCD draft given the work that participated in with the Northwest Connecticut Affordable Housing & Conservation Collaboration on behalf of SALT.

“Consider partnering with the Salisbury Association Land Trust to explore limited development on parcels they own and acquire, ensuring that the conservation values of these parcels are not compromised, i.e. the development is compatible with conservation objectives.”

However, I believe that this statement may be misleading. My sense is that the very least it should be revised to state “...development on certain parcels they own and acquire.” Or simply, “...development on certain parcels they may acquire.”

My understanding, and correct me if I wrong, is that most (all?) of the parcels under the SALT umbrella today are restricted from development.

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