

October



Kathleen E. Connolly will speak at the MACC (Massachusetts Association for Conservation Commissions) Fall Conference in Wellesley, MA on October 24 and in Northampton, MA on November 7.

Ms. Connolly is creating and teaching a course on record-keeping for land trusts for the Massachusetts Land Trust Coalition on November 7.

Ms. Connolly also published an article entitled "Conservation Commissions' Authority to Collect Fees and Spend Funds" in the Newsletter of the Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions (MACC).



Michael P. Connolly will be part of a three-person panel for a Roundtable discussion sponsored by PNC Wealth Management. The topic of discussion is Director and Officer liability exposure in today's market, and will cover recent legislative changes, ways to reduce risk of claims from creditors, individuals and shareholders, and how to protect your assets from creditors. The audience includes CEO's and Members of Boards of Directors from different Boston companies. The Roundtable will be held on October 21.



On October 2, **Janemarie W. Murphy** spoke at the Greater New Haven Chamber of Commerce Health Care Council breakfast. **Ms. Murphy's** topic was "Is SustiNet Sustainable?"



On September 30, **Gregory A. Sharp** and **Andrew W. Lord** presented at the Connecticut Marine Trades Association's Environmental Expo in Branford, CT. **Mr. Sharp** presented on "New Connecticut General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater Associated with Industrial Activity" and **Mr. Lord** presented on "Introduction to the Clean Water Act – Implications for Marine Facilities."



WHO'S DOING WHAT 2009



On September 23, **Heather O. Berchem**, in collaboration with Kathy Bruni (Director of the Alternate Care Unit of the Department of Social services), presented a seminar on MI/MR and Level of Care Review processes at the Department of Social Services for the Connecticut Association of Health Care Facilities.



On September 16, **Stephen E. Ronai** served as a moderator and contributor to the American Arbitration Association's live webinar "Protecting Patient Safety & Quality Care: Embracing the Joint Commission's Leadership Standard on Conflict Management."



September 10 – 11, **Irving S. Schloss** served as faculty and speaker at the ALI-ABA's "Sophisticated Estate Planning Techniques." Mr. Schloss spoke on "Fixing a Broken Plan: What Can You Do When a Client is Underwater?"