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Present

"Mt. Laurel Litigation: New Jersey's Ongoing Struggle With Affordable Housing"

Since the original refusal by the town of Mount Laurel to allow the building of 32 acres of garden apartments in 1970, the topic of zoning for affordable housing has been at the forefront of New Jersey land use law. In order to address the ongoing need for open, organized access to the lengthy and complex body of documents that make up the series of Mount Laurel housing cases, the Rutgers Law Library, funded by a grant from the National Archives, undertook the task of digitizing the record and making it available on the Internet. That task is now finished, and part of our Affordable Housing digital collection, available at <http://njlegallib.rutgers.edu/housing/>.

In order to celebrate this milestone, and the efforts of our librarians and staff, we are pleased to present Professors Peter Simmons and David Troutt as panelists for a discussion of the Mount Laurel litigation and its meaning for the State of New Jersey. They will share their insights about the impact of Mt. Laurel on the state.

Featuring:

Peter Simmons, University Professor, Rutgers School of Law – Newark
David Troutt, Professor of Law and Justice John J. Francis Scholar,
Rutgers School of Law – Newark

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6:00 p.m. Reception; 7:00 p.m. Program
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