



LOWELL PARKS & CONSERVATION TRUST

Press Release

Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust seeks Accreditation Renewal
Stakeholder Notification/Public Notice
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The land trust accreditation program recognizes land conservation organizations that meet national quality standards for protecting important natural places and working lands forever. The **Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust, Inc.** is pleased to announce it is applying for renewal of accreditation. A public comment period is now open.

The Land Trust Accreditation Commission, an independent program of the Land Trust Alliance, conducts an extensive review of each applicant's policies and programs. Voluntary accreditation provides independent verification that land trusts meet the high standards for land conservation, stewardship and nonprofit management in the nationally-recognized *Land Trust Standards and Practices*.

The Commission invites public input and accepts signed, written comments on pending applications. Comments must relate to how **Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust** complies with national quality standards. These standards address the ethical and technical operation of a land trust. For the full list of standards see <http://www.landtrustaccreditation.org/help-and-resources/indicator-practices>.

To learn more about the accreditation program and to submit a comment, visit www.landtrustaccreditation.org, or email your comment to info@landtrustaccreditation.org. Comments may also be faxed or mailed to the Land Trust Accreditation Commission, Attn: Public Comments: (fax) 518-587-3183; (mail) 36 Phila Street, Suite 2, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866.

Comments on **Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust's** application will be most useful by April 19, 2019.

