Advisory Council

Grow Smart Rhode Island’s Advisory Council has played a major role in building a cohesive private/public partnership for specific smart growth efforts. The Council meets monthly and helps the Grow Smart staff and Board research key issues, and develop policy, programmatic and public education initiatives. It serves as a communication vehicle for agencies and groups working on different aspects of sprawl. Between our Board and Advisory Council, there are now more than 50 separate organizations represented within Grow Smart Rhode Island.

Federal Government
Office of Senator Lincoln Chafee
Office of Senator Jack Reed
John H. Chafee Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor
USEPA Region 1

State Government
Office of the Governor
Office of the Lieutenant Governor
Office of the General Treasurer
Office of the Attorney General
Rhode Island State House of Representatives
Rhode Island State Senate
Rhode Island Department of Transportation
Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management
Rhode Island Economic Development Corporation
Rhode Island Economic Policy Council
Rhode Island Water Resources Board
Rhode Island Historical Preservation and Heritage Commission
Rhode Island Statewide Planning
Rhode Island Office of Municipal Affairs

Municipal Government
City of Cranston
City of East Providence
City of Newport
City of Providence
City of Woonsocket
Rhode Island League of Cities and Towns
Town of East Greenwich
Town of South Kingstown

Corporate
Baldwin Corporation
FilarSKI/Architecture Planning
Narragansett Electric Company
Newport Collaborative
Newport County Chamber of Commerce
Preservation Services

**Community Development**
Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC-RI)
Main Street Rhode Island
Providence Foundation
Rhode Island Housing and Mortgage Finance Corporation
Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission
The Housing Network

**Environmental**
Aquidneck Island Land Trust
Conservation Law Foundation
Green Light Foundation
Save the Bay
Sierra Club/Rhode Island Chapter
The Nature Conservancy

**Historical Preservation**
Preserve Rhode Island
Providence Preservation Society
The Preservation Society of Newport County

**Higher Education**
Providence College
University of Rhode Island
URI Cooperative Extension
URI Graduate School of Oceanography/Coastal Resources Center

**Non-Profit Policy Organizations**
Rhode Island Public Expenditure Council
Rhode Island Rural Lands Coalition
South County Regional Transportation Initiative
Vision Rhode Island