



INTERNSHIP AVAILABLE SUMMER 2011

The Berkshire Regional Planning Commission (BRPC), located in Pittsfield, Massachusetts, provides regional and local planning services to local governments and entities in Berkshire County. We provide services in community and economic development, environmental planning, land use planning, transportation planning, and otherwise work on issues involving member municipal governments. We have an internship opening for summer 2011. Internships are full-time (35 hours/week) during the regular office hours, 9-5 Monday-Friday for a 10-12 week period. Pay is in the \$10-12 per hour range, commensurate with educational level and experience. Interns are expected to provide his/her own accommodations and transportation. Please – no phone calls.

Berkshire Benchmarks Intern

One intern is needed to assist BRPC staff on the Berkshire Benchmarks project (www.berkshirebenchmarks.org). Berkshire Benchmarks is a collaborative program designed to track a variety of economic, environmental and social conditions in the Berkshire region. The intern will primarily be responsible for collecting a variety of socio-economic data on the region, such as education, medical, economic and crime statistics from the internet as well as through outreach to organizations in the region. Data collected will be entered into an online database and basic analysis of the collected data can be expected. The intern will also be expected to research sources of data and assist in determining appropriate measures to track the various conditions. The selected intern may also assist the Commission on other projects as needed. This position is an excellent opportunity for an analytically, technically oriented and computer proficient student with an interest in planning or statistical analysis. Please send a letter of interest, resume, and starting and ending dates of availability via email to Mark Maloy at mmaloy@berkshireplanning.org.