# A Comparison of Selected States' Planning Frameworks

#### **Oregon**

for local governments only REQUIRED ELEMENTS - LEGALLY BINDING

**Citizen Involvement** 

**Land Use** 

Resource Lands: Agricultural & Forest

Natural Resources, Scenic & **Historic Areas, Open Space** 

Air, Water & Land Quality

**Natural Disasters & Hazards** 

**Recreational Needs** 

**Economic Development** 

Housing

**Public Facilities & Services** 

**Mobility/Transportation Shorelines** 

**Greenways** 

**Energy Conservation** 

## **Vermont**

for local governments REQUIRED ELEMENTS - LEGALLY BINDING

**Statement of Objectives** 

**Land Use Transportation** 

**Utilities & Facilities** 

Preserve natural areas, scenic & historic

resources

**Education Relationship to Adjacent Jurisdictions** 

**Energy** 

Housing Implementation

### **Maryland**

for local governments

REQUIRED ELEMENTS - LEGALLY BINDING

Goals & Objectives

**Land Use** 

Housing

**Transportation** 

**Community Facilities** 

**Mineral Resources Development Regulations** 

**Areas of State Concern** 

**Sensitive Areas** 

**Fisheries** 

**Municipal Growth** Water

**Development Capacity Analysis** 

**Implementation** 



# **Washington State**

regional > countywide > local



for local governments

REQUIRED ELEMENTS - LEGALLY BINDING

**Topography, Soils & Water** 

**Habitats & Critical Natural Resources Hazard Mitigation** 

**Historic & Archaeological Resources** 

Agriculture & Forestry

**Marine Resources Economy** 

**Population & Demographics** 

**Land Use** 

Housing

**Transportation** 

**Recreation & Open Space** 

**Public Facilities & Services** 

**Government & Fiscal Capacity** 

## State \_\_ Regional **Florida** REQUIRED ELEMENTS - LEGALLY BINDING statewide plan > regional plan > local plans **Land Use** Conservation/Resources **Recreation/Open Space Historic/Scenic Preservation Safety Economic Development** Housing Services & Facilities **Capital Improvement** Mobility/Transportation Intergovernmental Coordination **Shorelines Community Design**

# Georgia

state > region> local REQUIRED CONSISTENCY - LEGALLY BINDING



## **California**

**Sustainable Communities & Climate Protection Act REGIONAL PLANNING - LEGALLY BINDING** 

