

Hudson River Drinking Water Intermunicipal Council

Thursday, May 18, 2023

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Chairman: Mayor Gary Bassett (VoR)

Vice Chairman: Supervisor Jay Baisley. (ToP)

Secretary: Shannon Harris (ToE)

Regular Business

1. Call To Order
2. Roll Call & Quorum Determination
3. Minutes: 4/20/23
4. Communications
 - a. The final Capital Projects budget bill (A3004D/S4004D) that passed includes \$500 million for the Clean Water Infrastructure Act. This brings NY's total investment in clean water to \$5 billion since 2017.
5. Public Comment
 - a. Lee Gough: In general, has the Hudson 7 ever utilized or called for any existing or future studies of radionuclides in the Hudson drinking water source towns? Regarding Blackstone subsidiary TDI/CHPE LLC's transmission cable: How will the Hudson 7 be responding to TDI's request to amend Condition 162 of the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need? Why did the Hudson 7 never insist on third party testing for the jet plowing/toxins in the Hudson?

Actions on Old Business

1. Hudson 7 Priorities
 - a. Hudson 7 coordinator position
 - i. Funding
 1. Bylaws/Treasurer
 2. Federal ID # and bank account
 3. Consultant hire
 - ii. Legal
 1. Invoice/insurance
 - iii. Next steps
 - b. NYS Drinking Water Source Protection Program
 - i. Grant Jiang update
 - ii. Next steps for community approvals of plan
2. Hudson River Drinking Water Source Issues
 - a. Proposed transmission lines
 - i. Updates
 1. Steve Gladding from DOH is Hudson 7's contact on CHPE
 2. [Water testing and sediment study released by TDI](#)
 - ii. EM&CP timeline, August, 2023
 1. Hudson 7 water operator plan during construction
 2. Municipal meetings with TDI
 - iii. Town of Esopus
 1. Young/Sommer LLC letter to the Town of Esopus

2. Communication requests
 - b. Esopus Creek
 - i. “Turbidities at the Hudson 7 Water Treatment Plants” submitted to Ken Kosinski
 - c. Indian Point
 - i. Memorializing Resolution “Hudson 7 Opposition to Discharge Radioactive Wastewater into the Hudson River”
 - d. CAG / PCB 5YR
 - i. [A remote public informational session on the five-year-review hosted by the EPA will occur on May 24](#) from 6-8pm.

Actions on New Business

Adjourn

Old Business - no action this month

1. Municipal code review (ES)
2. Dutchess County Fire Training Center remediation
3. Water and Wastewater Infrastructure
4. Vessels anchoring near intakes
5. Cybersecurity (PM)
6. Rotating Integrated Basin Studies (RIBS)
7. Salt Front (PM)
8. Central Hudson MGP cleanup
9. CSX Bridge