

## Hudson River Drinking Water Intermunicipal Council

Thursday, February 16, 2023

5:30 pm - 6:30 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:
  - a. [1/19/23](#)
4. Communications
  - a. 1/25/23 Daily Freeman: [Ulster supervisor eyes tax contributions from Hudson River power line](#)
  - b. Chris Dempf: “2 million tons of coal ash leaching into the hudson river along the Normanskill- Hudson River estuary”
5. County representative update
  - a. Dutchess
  - b. Ulster
    - i. New rep: [Ulster County Deputy Executive Amanda LaValle](#)
6. Public Comment

### Actions on Old Business

1. Hudson 7 Priorities
  - a. Hudson 7 coordinator position
    - i. MOA complete
    - ii. Next steps
  - b. Letters of Interest/Legal process
    - i. McCabe & Mack LLP
    - ii. Mackey Butts & Whalen, LLP
  - c. NYS Drinking Water Source Protection Program
    - i. Updates from February 3rd meeting
2. Hudson River Drinking Water Source Issues
  - a. Proposed transmission lines
    - i. Hudson 7 CHPE subcommittee
      1. Update and next steps
  - b. Esopus Creek
    - i. Hudson 7 Letter for proposed modified IRP
    - ii. Turbidity reports from municipalities for DEC and Catalum DEIS

### Actions on New Business

1. Lower Hudson CAG / PCB 5YR
  - a. Coalition letter sign-on request from Riverkeeper/Scenic Hudson
2. Hudson 7 members

- a. For the City of Poughkeepsie, Marc Nelson will officially replace former Mayor Rob Rolison. Randy Alstadt will serve as alternate.

## **Adjourn**

### **Old Business - no action this month**

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