

Hudson River Drinking Water Intermunicipal Council

Wednesday, June 12, 2024

5:00 pm - 6:00pm

Chairman: Mayor Gary Bassett (VoR)

Vice Chairman: Devin Rigolino (DC)

Secretary: Lynn Ruggiero (ToHP)

Treasurer: Supervisor Elizabeth Spinzia (ToR)

Regular Business

1. Call To Order
2. Roll Call & Quorum Determination
3. Approval of minutes:
 - a. 5/8/24
4. Treasurer's report
5. [Hudson 7 Source Water Protection Coordinator/Consultant Report](#)
6. Communications
 - a. [Environmental News Bulletin](#) (5/8/24): Dutchess County - The Dutchess County Water & Wastewater Authority, as lead agency, has determined that the proposed West Dorsey Water Main Extension Project will not have a significant adverse environmental impact. (important to HP ED, not the H7 according to Dan)
 - b. [Consumer Confidence Report rule revisions go into effect in 2027](#)
 - c. Office of Senator Gillibrand's office: Jacinta Chen, HV Regional Director
 - i. Government Resources for Post-Disaster Assistance Workshop on Tuesday, May 28th (Sent around)
 - ii. SBA Opens Disaster Loan Outreach Center for Severe Storms and Flash Flooding from July 9-10, 2023
 - iii. Biden-Harris Administration's new Climate Capital Guidebook which highlights current federal funding opportunities—including grants, loans, loan guarantees, and cooperative agreements—for small- and medium-sized companies, both startups and established, focusing on clean energy technologies and other climate solutions.
 - iv. SBA-FEMA Small Business Disaster Preparedness Webinar & Join the SBA Veterans Small Business Advisory Committee's Virtual Public Meeting
 - v. Please reach out to Jacinta to get on her mailing list:
Jacinta_Chen@gillibrand.senate.gov
 - d. PWTF added a new [Hudson 7 page](#) to its website
7. Public Comment (*Please keep public comments to 3-minutes per speaker*)

Actions on Old Business

1. Hudson 7 organizational structure
 - a. Update on 6/11/24 meeting
 - b. Watershed Roundtable follow up: Materials + Organizational Assessment
2. Hudson River PCB Third FYR

- a. Update on 6/11/24 briefing
3. CHPE EM&CP Segment 19A/B
 - a. CHPE public comment period update

Reports of Committees

1. NYS Drinking Water Source Protection Program
 - a. Next meeting on May 13 at 2pm
 - b. Next steps on DWSP2
 - c. [HREP Action Agenda 2026-2030 follow-up](#)
 - d. Hudson 7 monitoring (Shannon Roback)
 - i. Teng Zeng at Syracuse University is interested in doing some monitoring for us over the summer
2. Lower Esopus Creek
 - a. Update on ARWG
3. Hudson River Anchorages
 - a. Legislation update
4. Water Treatment Plant (WTP)
 - a. [Water Operator Appreciation Week overview](#)
 - b. Next committee meeting in June.
 - c. Hyde Park in September
 - d. [WaterNow Alliance and River Network: Share Your Thoughts on Trust Between Water Systems & Communities](#)

New Business

1. Hudson 7 draft social media policy (revised June, 2024)
2. Membership: Ulster County
3. LOI request: City of Kingston Application to NYS EFC for a Water Infrastructure Improvement Grant for Wastewater Pump Stations Rehabilitation
4. Addressing old business items (see list below)

Adjourn

Old Business - no action this month

CSX Bridge
Dutchess County Fire Training Center remediation
Water and Wastewater Infrastructure
Vessels anchoring near intakes
Rotating Integrated Basin Studies (RIBS)
Salt Front Study
Central Hudson Manufactured Gas Plant (“MGP”)
Cybersecurity
Lead Copper Rule Improvements