



Soil and Water Conservation Committee

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New York State Soil and Water Conservation Committee Meeting April 16, 2024

Public Location:

Utica State Office Building, 207 Genesee St., Utica, NY
a. Please bring a PHOTO ID to present to the Security Desk

Virtual Option:

A virtual option is not available for this meeting.

SWCC Meeting Agenda:

- 10:30 AM Call to order / Introductions**
- 10:35 Review and approve minutes
- 10:40 Correspondence, Budget update – Bethany Bzduch
- 10:50 Annual Organizational Meeting
- Nomination and Election of Chair and Vice Chair (motion needed)
 - Appointment of Voting Member Representatives (motion needed)
 - District Operations Sub-Committee
 - Municipal Assistance Sub-Committee
 - Technical Advisory Sub-Committee
 - State Programs Advisory Committee
- 11:10 AgNPS Program – Jason Kokkinos, Tyler Knapp
- Program Status Report
 - Amendments
- 11:20 Climate Resilient Farming Program – Jennifer Clifford, Tyler Knapp
- Program Status Report
 - Amendments
- 11:30 2024 – 2028 NYS SWCC Strategic Plan Discussion/Approval (motion needed)–
Bethany Bzduch
- 11:45 Working Lunch

- 12:15 PM Ecosystem-Based Management Program – Lauren Prezorski
- 12:45 Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program Agreement and 2023 CREP Report – Scott Fickbohm
- 1:15 Voting / Advisory / Staff / Conservation District Reports / Public Comments – All
- 1:45 Meeting Schedule – Date, location(s) TBD
- 1:50 PM Adjourn meeting**