Town of Clinton Conservation Advisory Council Meeting Location: Top floor of Masonic Hall at the Town Complex, 1215 Centre Road, Rhinebeck, NY Agenda – April 10, 2024 – 5:30pm

SPECIAL DISCUSSION

Sean Carroll, Senior GIS / Environmental Educator at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Dutchess County, will be discussing wetlands. At the February 14, 2024 meeting, we had discussed with Paul Thomas, Planning Board, and Charles Canham, Zoning Board, the implications of the DEC making all current DEC non-regulatory, meaning they can be used for informational purposes only while the wetland maps are being updated.

Review and Approve Minutes – March 13, 2024 Minutes

CAC A8090.4	Amount	Spent	Remaining
2024 Budget	\$2,000	\$0	\$2,000

Goal for 2024

o Find a new Chairperson by 11/30/24.

Vacancy – Al Bacon has resigned.

Six Senses Spas – Margaret and Jean attended these meetings.

Planning Board Workshop – Monday, March 25, 2024 Recordings

- o <u>3 25 2024 Planning Board Workshop with CECNY Sixth Sense Part 1, Town of Clinton,</u> New York
- o <u>3 25 2024 Planning Board Workshop with CECNY Sixth Sense Part 2, Town of Clinton, New York</u>

Zoning Board Meeting – Thursday, March 28, 2024 Recordings

- o 2024-03-28 ZBA Meeting Part 1, Town of Clinton, New York
- o 2024-03-28 ZBA Meeting Part 2, Town of Clinton, New York

Planning Board – Margaret

o Should the CAC be given PB applications that have Steep Slopes? Barbara asked Eliot Werner if the regulation needs updating. He stated it is a very good law as it stands.

Education Outreach – Lynne

- o Preserving NRI maps on "Foam Boards"
- o NRI Event plan
- o CAC information cards Deborah
- o DEC April Tip shared via MailChimp

Climate Smart Community Task Force – Joe

Welcome to the Town of Clinton Folders - Mady

CAC/CSC Website

Clinton Nature Trail

Wappinger Creek Watershed Intermunicipal Council (WIC) No meeting dates set.

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Upcoming Events:

Saturday, April 20, 2024 – Annual Earth Day Event, 10am-1:30pm, at the Vassar Barns, 50 Vassar Farm Lane in Poughkeepsie

Saturday, May 18, 2024 – Clinton Community Library Book and Plant Sale, 9am-3pm Saturday, August 31, 2024 – Clinton Community Day

Next CAC Meeting: May 8, 2024 @ 5:30pm

2024 Meetings: June 12; July 10; August 14; September 11; October 9; November 13; December 11.