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# AGENDA NEW YORK STATE ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY JUNE 8-9, 2006

THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 2006

## Adirondack Park Agency Headquarters Ray Brook, NY

FOR FULL AGENCY (9:00 AM - 9:15 AM) (Full Meeting Room)

- (1) <u>Call to Order</u>
- (2) <u>Pledge of Allegiance</u>
- (3) Introduction of Guests
- (4) Public Comment

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- (5) Approval of May 2006 Draft Minutes
- (6) Executive Director's Report (R. Lefebvre)
- (7) Recusals
- (8) Motion for Executive Session (if needed)

#### 9:15 AM - 12:00 PM (Full Meeting Room)

#### Planning/State Land

#### State Land Committee

- (1) Approval of Draft Committee Minutes for May 2006
- (2) Supervisor, Regional Planning Report (R. Weber)
- (3) Presentation by Department of Environmental Conservation on Snowmobile Trail Maps Developed through the Adirondack Snowmobile Planning Effort (R. Davies, K. Richards, DEC)
- (4) UMP Presentations
  - X Whiteface Mountain Ski Area Intensive Use Area UMP Amendment (R. Hammond, ORDA)

For information.

X Blue Ridge Wilderness UMP (R. Fenton, DEC)

First reading.

X Jessup River Wild Forest UMP (R. Weber)

Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.

- (5) State Land Reclassification (H. Savarie)
  - X R2006-1 (North Hudson DOT) Wild Forest to State Administrative 3.0 acres

Request to go to public hearing.

Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.

### (6) Interpretation of SLMP Issues

X Standard snowmobile trail bridge design and use of natural materials for design and construction (J. Connolly)

Staff guidance for adoption.

Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.

## (7) Old Business

- X Character of a foot trail
- X Use of tracked groomers
- X Definition of "administrative personnel"
- X No material increase
- $\boldsymbol{X}$  Roadside primitive tent site design guidelines

### (8) New Business

X Competitive events

Report from Chairman Townsend (the informational presentation will be deferred to a later meeting due to a full agenda this month).

### LUNCH (12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (Full Meeting Room)

## Regulatory Programs

### Regulatory Programs Committee

- (1) Approval of Draft Committee Minutes for May 2006
- (2) Deputy Director Regulatory Programs Report (M. Sengenberger)
- (3) New Projects

2005-339 (V. Yamrick)	SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry Essex: Newcomb Resource Management §§809 and 810(1)(e)(1)(c), (1)(e)(8) and (1)(e)(16) 60-Day Clock: 7/3/06 90-Day Clock: 8/2/06
	Major public utility use involving installation of two new 80-foot-tall towers and installation of radio equipment and solar panels on existing and previously Agency-permitted towers and on existing fire tower at Goodnow Mountain
	Staff Recommendation: Approve with conditions
	Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.

2005-172 (G. Outcalt)	Adirondack League Club Webb: Herkimer Resource Management §810(1)(e)(1)(b) and (3) and 9 NYCRR 578 60-Day Clock: 6/25/06 90-Day Clock: 7/25/06 30-lot subdivision
	Staff Recommendation: Approve with conditions
	Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.
2005-337 (J. Quinn)	Delaney Crushed Stone Products, Inc. Fulton: Northampton Rural Use and Resource Management §809 60-Day Clock: 6/11/06 90-Day Clock: 7/11/06
	Expansion of previously approved commercial sand/gravel extraction and mineral excavation
	Staff Recommendation: Approve with conditions
	Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.
2006-44 (C. Parker)	Word of Life Fellowship, Inc. Essex: Schroon Low Intensity Use §809 and 9 NYCRR 577 60-Day Clock: 7/2/06 90-Day Clock: 8/1/06
	Expansion of group camp facility
	Staff Recommendation: Approve with conditions
	Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.

# (4) General Permits

Renewal of General Permit 2003G-1, Management of Terrestrial Invasive Plant Species In or Within 100 Ft. of Wetlands by NYS DOT, NYS DEC and Adirondack Nature Conservancy

Staff Recommendation: Renew permit

Motion for full Agency, if appropriate.

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- (5) Old Business
- (6) New Business

Interpretation of Regulatory Issues:

X Building footprint condition

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (Full Meeting Room)

## Legal/Enforcement

#### Legal Affairs Committee

- (1) Approval of Draft Legal Affairs Committee Minutes for April 2006
- (2) Counsel's Report (J. Banta)
- (3) Review of Legal Guidance (J. Banta, R. Quinn, B. Rottier)
  - X Flyers
    - Boathouse
    - Guest Cottage
    - Gift Exemption
    - Hand Harvesting of Nuisance Aquatic Plants in Water Depths Less Than 2 Meters
- (4) Report on Rules and Regulations Revision (J. Banta)
- (5) Old Business
- (6) New Business

## FOR FULL AGENCY (4:00 PM) (Full Meeting Room)

- (1) <u>Tribute to Commissioner Rehm</u>
- (2) <u>Motion to Adjourn</u>

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#### Economic Affairs Committee

- (1) <u>Approval of the Joint Economic Affairs Committee and Local</u> <u>Government Services Committee Draft Minutes for March 2006</u> (previously approved by the Local Government Services Committee)
- (2) Economic Services Program Report (S. Erman)
- (3) <u>Presentation and Discussion:</u> Broadband Services in the Adirondack Park (S. Erman)

Broadband is important infrastructure in building a more vibrant and sustainable economy. Lack of broadband, excessive cost or poor reliability can place a region at a competitive disadvantage. The Economic Affairs Committee will focus on the state of broadband services in the Adirondack Park and the broader North Country region of New York. Speakers will include Howard Lowe, Executive Director of the Technical Assistance Center, Plattsburgh State University, and Tom Sauter, Deputy Executive Director of the Development Authority of the North Country.

- (4) Old Business
- (5) New Business

FOR FULL AGENCY (10:30 AM) (Full Meeting Room)

- (1) Interim Reports
- (2) Committee Reports
- (3) Old Business
- (4) New Business
- (5) Public Comment
- (6) Local Government Review Board Comment (F. Monroe)
- (7) Member Comment
- (8) Motion to Adjourn

JULY AGENCY MEETING - July 13-14, 2006, Adirondack Park Agency, Ray Brook, New York

**AUGUST AGENCY MEETING** - August 10-11, 2006, Adirondack Park Agency, Ray Brook, New York

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#### **Regulatory Programs**

### Regulatory Programs Committee

- (1) <u>Motion to Remove Project 2005-172, Adirondack League Club,</u> from Table for Discussion
- (2) Consideration of Project 2005-172, Adirondack League Club

X Motion by full Agency, if appropriate.

## FOR FULL AGENCY (Full Meeting Room)

- (1) Interim Reports
- (2) Committee Reports
  - X State Land Committee
    - Reading of memorandum from Rob Davies (J. Townsend)
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