

#### AGENDA

# NEW YORK STATE ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY FEBRUARY 14, 2013

# Adirondack Park Agency Headquarters Ray Brook, New York

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2013

#### FULL AGENCY

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

- (1) Call to Order
- (2) Pledge of Allegiance
- (3) Introductions
- (4) Public Comment

The Agency encourages public comment that will assist us in improving our practices, procedures and our responsibility to the public. However, to promote fundamental fairness, and in consideration of the substantial time available for written comment, the practice of the Agency is to exclude public comment on matters pending decision until the conclusion of Agency business. This includes: (1) any permit which is before the Agency for action at this meeting; (2) any enforcement case which is before the Agency; (3) any matter for which an adjudicatory public hearing has been convened. Conduct of the meeting is always at the discretion of the Chairwoman or Committee Chairperson.

- (5) Approval of January 10, 2013 Draft Agency Minutes
- (6) Executive Director's Report (T. Martino)
  - 2012 Annual Report
- (7) Recusals
- (8) Motion for Executive Session
- (9) Motion to Adjourn into Committees

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

## 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

## Regulatory Programs Committee

- (1) Approval of Draft Committee Minutes for January 2013
- (2) Deputy Director, Regulatory Programs Report (R. Weber)
- (3) Projects

2012-167\* Stuart and Tracy Darrah/Town of St. Armand

(T. Saehrig) Essex: St. Armand

Moderate Intensity Use 30-Day Clock: 2/24/13 60-Day Clock: 3/26/13

Creation of a waste disposal area

Staff Recommendation: Approve with conditions

\* It is Agency practice to have the Board decide any project which involves a staff member as the applicant and/or landowner.

# 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

## Regulatory Programs Committee (Continued)

- (4) General Permit
  - 2012G-1 Silvicultural Treatments for Sustainable Forestry in the Adirondack Park Second Reading.
- (5) Old Business
- (6) New Business

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

## FULL AGENCY

## 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

## Community Spotlight

## Village of Saranac Lake, Essex/Franklin Counties

Presentation and discussion by Village of Saranac Lake Mayor Clyde Rabideau

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS

## 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

## Economic Affairs Committee

- (1) Special Assistant for Economic Affairs Report (D. Kelleher)
- (2) Wood Pellet Boiler Heating Systems

Dan Bower, Assistant Superintendent of Business, and Lee Daunais, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, of the Saranac Lake Central School District will discuss the replacement of fuel oil heating by the installation of a high-efficiency wood pellet boiler at Petrova Elementary School.

Dave Dungate, President of ACT Bioenergy (Schenectady, NY), will highlight the workings of his company's wood pellet boiler as well as the emerging market for his product.

- (3) Old Business
- (4) New Business

### 3:00 PM - 3:15 PM - BREAK

### 3:15 PM - 4:00 PM

### State Land Committee

- (1) Approval of Draft Committee Minutes for January 2013
- (2) Deputy Director, Planning Report (J. Connolly)

#### (3) Alpine Zone Vegetation in the Adirondack Park

Presentation by Tim Howard of the New York Natural Heritage Program, a cooperative program between DEC and SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, on classification, protection, and future for alpine zone vegetation within the Park.

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

### FULL AGENCY

## 4:00 PM

- (1) Call to Order
- (2) Committee Reports

Regulatory Programs
- 2012-167, Stuart and Tracy Darrah/Town of St. Armand
Economic Affairs
State Land

## (3) Interim Reports

Administration
Enforcement
Legal Affairs
Local Government Services
Park Ecology
Park Policy and Planning
Public Awareness and Communications

- (4) Old Business/New Business
- (5) Public Comment
- (6) Local Government Review Board Comment (F. Monroe, LGRB)
- (7) Member Comment

MARCH AGENCY MEETING - March 14-15, 2013, Adirondack Park Agency, Ray Brook, New York

APRIL AGENCY MEETING - April 11-12, 2013, Adirondack Park Agency, Ray Brook, New York

## ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY AGENCY MEMBER COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

#### \* Leilani Crafts Ulrich, Chairwoman

#### Regulatory Programs

Frank Mezzano, Chair Richard Booth Arthur Lussi F. William Valentino Dierdre Scozzafava, DOS

### Enforcement

Cecil Wray, Chair Richard Booth Arthur Lussi Frank Mezzano William Thomas

#### State Land

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## Public Awareness and Communications

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#### Legal Affairs

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#### Park Policy and Planning

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#### Administration

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The Agency Chairwoman may serve as a voting member of any of the above committees.