



**SHERMAN CRAIG**  
Chairman

**TERRY MARTINO**  
Executive Director

**MEMORANDUM**

TO: Terry Martino

FROM: Kathy Regan

DATE: May 31, 2018

RE: Final Draft Amendment to the 1996 Cranberry Lake Boat Launch Unit Management Plan (UMP)

Staff have completed review of the final draft amendment to the 1996 UMP for the Cranberry Lake Boat Launch and believe it to be in compliance with the Adirondack Park State Land Master Plan. The amendment primarily addresses the lack of facilities for people with disabilities, including parking, a pathway to the water and an accessible hand launch for small water craft. In addition to these improvements, a small floating dock for canoes and kayaks will be added and certain existing structures will be modified or relocated to accommodate for new design.

The Department and Agency held a concurrent public comment period for this amendment from April 12 thru to April 27, 2018. During that period, three comments were received. One commenter expressed full support for the plan, another mentioned desire for an additional boat launch at Wanakena, and a third commenter urged the Department to establish a different configuration for the proposed improvements. Department staff have responded that the proposed configuration is necessary in certain respects and represents the best alternative.

No comments addressed compliance of the UMP amendment with the APSLMP.