

Westchester GIS User Group Meeting

May 17th, 2018 • Natural Science Building • Purchase College

Preliminary Agenda

GIS for Resiliency and Sustainability

As of May 14, 2018

(subject to change)

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Time	Activity
7:30-8:30	Registration, and Exhibitor set-up Coffee Sponsored by Woodard & Curran
Auditorium – Natural Science Building	
8:30-9:45	Welcome Dr. Ryan Taylor, Purchase College Presenter: Angie Kim, <i>Sustainability Coordinator</i> , Purchase College <i>Sustainability at Purchase</i> Presenter: Mark Lowery, <i>Climate Policy Analyst</i> , New York State Department of Environmental Conservation <i>Data Needs for Implementation of the Community Risk and Resiliency Act</i> Presenter: Emily Goldman, <i>Associate Director Civic Innovation Fellowship Program</i> , BetaNYC <i>Open Data in Action: Examples from New York City</i> Presenter: Amanda Stevens, <i>Project Manager</i> , NYSERDA <i>Climate Change Adaptation Research at NYSERDA</i>
9:45-10:00	Vendor Spotlights
10:00-10:30	Break /Coffee Sponsored by The LiRo Group & Cyclomedia
Auditorium – Natural Science Building	
10:30-11:45	Introduction Thomas J. Schwarz, <i>President</i> , Purchase College George Latimer, <i>Westchester County Executive</i> , Westchester County <i>The Sustainable Future of Westchester County</i> Presenter: Bill Parco, <i>GIS Lead</i> , SUEZ North America <i>Using GIS to Mitigate the Impact of Climate Change</i> Presenter: Laura Rossi, <i>Executive Director</i> , Westchester Community Foundation <i>Introducing the Westchester Index: Using GIS to Build a More Resilient Community</i> Presenter: Nina Orville, <i>Principal of</i> Abundant Efficiency <i>Westchester Clean Heat and Cooling Campaigns</i>
11:45-12:00	Vendor Spotlights
12:00-12:45	Lunch Sponsored by ESRI
12:30-12:45	Bonus Presentation LTC Jay Ware , <i>Geospatial Science Program</i> , U.S. Military Academy, West Point
12:45-1:30	GeoJeopardy (<i>Auditorium – Natural Science Building</i>)
1:30-1:45	Vendor Spotlights
1:45-3:15	Geospatial Topics: Sustainability Efforts Across Westchester County Presenter: Ron Kamen, <i>Clean Transportation Program Director</i> , Sustainable Westchester <i>Using GIS to Address 42% of New York's Greenhouse Gas Emissions</i> Lightning Talks (Local Government) Rich Slingerland, <i>Village Administrator</i> , Village of Tarrytown Kevin Kain, <i>Director of Planning and Sustainability</i> , City of New Rochelle Carolynn Sears, <i>Chair of the Conservation Board</i> , Town of Pound Ridge Helen Meurer, <i>Programmer & Environmental Advocate</i> , Village of Pleasantville Dan Farkas, <i>Conservation Board</i> , Town of Bedford Q&A Local Government Panel - Sharing Best Practices Moderator: Anjali Sauthoff, <i>PhD, Independent Environmental Health Science Consultant</i> , Westchester County GIS
3:15-3:30	Break /Coffee Sponsored by CAI Technologies
3:15-4:00	Training - Building Resilience with GIS (<i>Library Computer Lab</i>)
Meeting Adjourns	
Immediately following No-Host Reception at Cobble Stone Restaurant , <i>Anderson Hill Rd. Purchase NY</i>	

