

## Kingston Hudson Rondout Waterfront Flooding Task Force

Common Council Room, Kingston, NY

December 6, 2012 3pm-6pm

### Agenda

Meeting Objectives: *Participants will*

- *Understand the purpose of the Flooding Task Force*
- *Learn about and share stories of current and future flooding hazards in Kingston*
- *Identify key waterfront assets*
- *Provide guidance for the Task Force on key aspects of waterfront resilience*

#### **3:00 Welcome and Project Overview**

- Welcome – Shayne Gallo (Kingston), Fran Dunwell (NYS DEC Hudson River Estuary Program), Steve Rosenberg (Scenic Hudson)
- Introduction to the project and how it fits with other initiatives in Kingston

#### **3:30 Hudson Valley Climate Hazards & Current & Future Sea Level / Hazard Areas**

- Presentation on coastal climate hazards – Sacha Spector (Scenic Hudson)
- Discussion of flooding in Kingston

#### **4:00 Local Context: Local Assets & Vulnerability**

- Presentation of waterfront assets from Waterfront Forum – Sacha Spector
- Discussion and prioritization of assets at risk or vulnerable to flooding

#### **4:45 Refreshments and Networking Break**

#### **5:00 Desired Vision of Community Resilience**

- Presentation of climate resilience – Kristin Marcell (Hudson River Estuary Program/Cornell)
- Discussion of what a resilient Kingston waterfront would look like in the future

#### **5:50 Wrap Up & Next Steps**

- Review next steps for the Task Force

#### **6:00 Adjourn**

#### **Convened by City of Kingston's**

- Conservation Advisory Council
- Economic Development Office

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#### **In partnership with**

- Scenic Hudson
- NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
- NYS Department of State
- Consensus Building Institute
- Lincoln Institute of Land Use Policy