





	<p>Capital-Mohawk Partnership for Regional Invasive Species Management (PRISM) Covering the counties of Albany, Columbia, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Schenectady and portions of Fulton, Greene, Herkimer, Saratoga, Warren, and Washington, the Mission of the Capital Mohawk PRISM is to: <i>“detect, prevent, and control invasive species through direct action and education to protect biodiversity, the natural environment, economy and quality of life.”</i></p>
	<p>Cornell University – The NYS Water Resources Institute (WRI) Through the Federal Water Resources Research Act of 1984, WRI was established under state law in 1987 to address water resource quality and management through research, outreach and education, grant and funding opportunities, and building relationships with state agencies, professional organizations and citizen stakeholder groups.</p>
	<p>The Environmental Clearinghouse of New York (ECOS) ECOS was founded in the early 1970s to embody the wide-ranging concerns that drove modern environmentalism, based on the values espoused by those such as Rachel Carlson. Since their inception, ECOS has provided programs such as a monthly newsletter, an Earth Week nature walk, and environmental workshops on various topics of environmental interest.</p>
	<p>Hudson River Environmental Conditions Observing System (HRECOS) HRECOS is a network of high-frequency environmental monitoring sensors located in the Hudson and Mohawk Rivers, operated and managed by a consortium of governmental, academic, and private institutions. HRECOS sensors continuously record various water quality and weather parameters, with most stations operating year-round.</p>
	<p>In Sky Aerial, LLC Based in the Capital Region of New York and serving the northeast and beyond, In Sky Aerial has experienced FAA Part 107 pilots and offers drone services for projects such as mapping and 3D modeling, photography and video, FLIR Thermal Infrared Inspections, and training and consulting on operating and maintaining drone aircraft.</p>
	<p>Mohawk Towpath Byway The Mohawk Towpath Byway, an official New York State Byway created through State legislation in July 2003, is a series of local, county and state highways that follow the historic route of the Erie Canal between Schenectady and Waterford/Cohoes in upstate New York. As one travels the Byway you unlock the story of the Mohawk River, the Erie Canal, the waterway west and the part these communities played in the westward expansion of the country and the Industrial Revolution.</p>
	<p>Mohawk River Watershed Coalition The Mohawk River Watershed Coalition (MRWC), established in 2011, is comprised of representatives of the 14 Soil and Water Conservation Districts of the Mohawk River Watershed. The mission of the MRWC is to implement conservation initiatives that protect, promote and enhance the natural resources of the Mohawk River.</p>

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	<p>NYSDEC Mohawk River Basin Program Established in 2009, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation’s Mohawk River Basin Program (MRBP) promotes the integrated and coordinated management of the environmental resources of the Mohawk River and its watershed through an understanding of the entire ecosystem, working with partners and stakeholders toward the common goal of a swimmable, fishable Mohawk River.</p>
	<p>Riverkeeper A member of the Mohawk River Basin Program's steering committee, Riverkeeper is a non-profit organization formed in 1966 and devoted to protecting the Hudson River and its tributaries. Riverkeeper's work in the Mohawk River watershed began in 2014, when Capt. John Lipscomb extended his Hudson River patrols into the Mohawk and continues with water quality monitoring in partnership with SUNY Cobleskill and SUNY Polytechnic. riverkeeper.org</p>
	<p>Schenectady County Environmental Advisory Council (SCEAC) Founded in 1971, SCEAC is made up of volunteers who share a strong commitment to preserving and enhancing the County’s rich environmental resources. The Council consists of 12 at-large members, plus members representing local municipal environmental conservation commissions. Active committees include: Land Use/Open Space; Recycling; Transportation; Water Resources; Air, Energy and Climate Change; and Invasive Species.</p>
	<p>Schoharie River Center – Environmental Study Teams Established in 1999, the Schoharie River Center (SRC) is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to educational and cultural programming about the Schoharie Creek and surrounding communities. As part of their programming, SRC operates and sponsors Environmental Study Team (EST) programs designed to engage middle and high school age youth to study, monitor and improve the water quality of local streams, rivers and lakes. While learning about their environment, EST members go hiking, swimming, biking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, canoeing, kayaking and sailing, and in the spring can learn how to make maple syrup in the Center’s maple syrup sugar shack.</p>
	<p>United States Geological Survey (USGS) As the Nation's largest water, earth, and biological science and civilian mapping agency, USGS collects, monitors, analyzes, and provides science about natural resource conditions, issues, and problems. USGS’ diverse expertise enables them to carry out large-scale, multidisciplinary investigations and provide impartial scientific information to resource managers, planners, and others. In partnership with the Mohawk River Basin Program, USGS has taken the lead on projects such as Ice Jam Monitoring, Sediment Monitoring, Fish Assemblages of the Mohawk, and assisted with outreach and education efforts.</p>
	<p>Professor Frank Wicks – Mohawk Valley Native Rock Pedestal Professor Frank Wicks of Union College is highlighting photos of the Mohawk Valley Native Rock Pedestal to be used for the statue of William Seward and Harriett Tubman, which will be placed at the Schenectady County Public Library. The rock is Mohawk Valley Ordovician Dolostone.</p>