

CALL FOR PAPERS

New York State Wetlands Forum, Inc.

2007 Annual Conference and Meeting

"Twenty-First Century Wetland and Water Resource Issues"

Crowne Plaza Resort and Golf Club, Lake Placid, NY www.lakeplacidcp.com | (518) 523-2556

APRIL 25 & 26, 2007

This thirteenth annual meeting of the New York State Wetlands Forum is expected to once again examine a variety of wetland-related issues and developments, and how these issues have impacts both state-wide and regionally. We anticipate having breakout sessions on regional issues within our state. Abstracts are sought on numerous topics [additional topics may be added], including:

- Assessment of the 1987 Wetland Manual
- Watershed Considerations
- Invasive Species
- Wetlands: The Role of Conservation Organizations
- Wetland Mitigation and Monitoring
- Stream Restoration
- Developers Perspective of Wetland Regulations
- Supreme Court and other Case Law Developments
- Adirondack Wetland Issues
- Use of GIS Information
- Legislative and Regulatory Updates
- Waterfront Planning
- Grassroots Conservation Efforts
- Endangered and Threatened Species
- New Nationwide Permit Changes
- Fish and Wildlife Passage

THIS IS YOUR MEETING. Make it interesting by participating through a presentation of the work or projects in which you have been involved. If you have an idea for a field trip, or would like to host one, please e-mail or mail it to Anne Secord (address below.)

PRESENTATION/POSTER SESSION: Please submit an abstract and audiovisual needs for either a presentation or poster. Abstracts submitted for consideration must include the title, author(s), address(es) and concise description of the topic in 250 words or less in the following format:

TITLE. Author¹ and Author². Address¹, phone number, fax number, email address. Address². Abstract. *Audiovisual needs*.

Submit an abstract via our web site at www.wetlandsforum.org OR e-mail or mail the abstract in digital form to:

Anne Secord, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 3817 Luker Road, Cortland, New York 13045 anne_secord@fws.gov; Ph: 607-753-9334 Fax: 607-753-9699

DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 15, 2007

COOPERATING PARTIES: The Forum is seeking cooperating parties to assist with dissemination of the Call for Papers and updates as they become available. There is no direct financial obligation to be a cooperating party. Please contact Anne Second for additional information.

EXHIBITOR/SPONSOR: Exhibitors and sponsors have the opportunity to advertise their goods and services to the conference participants via floor and table space for displays and also through advertisements in the conference brochure. Space is limited so please inquire and reserve now by returning the registration form or by contacting: **Kevin Bernstein, Bond, Schoeneck, and King, PLLC, 1 Lincoln Center, Syracuse NY 13202, Kbernstein@bsk.com,** (315) 218-8329

For Topic and Meeting Updates visit http://www.wetlandsforum.org



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Who are we?

The New York State Wetlands Forum (NYSWF) is a non-advocacy organization comprised of individuals and groups with diverse backgrounds, interests and viewpoints regarding wetlands and their science, use, and management. Incorporated in 1994, the NYSWF is a 501(c)(3) not-forprofit organization whose purpose is to:

- improve communication among people interested in wetlands,
- call attention to and objectively discuss local, statewide, regional, national and global wetland issues, as they relate to New York State,
- improve its member's knowledge and understanding of wetlands,
- make available information about wetlands to its members and the general public.

Membership Benefits:

Membership in the NYSWF will entitle you to:

- bi-annual newsletter.
- announcement of meetings and workshops pertaining to wetlands in NYS.
- invitations to join other people interested in discussing wetland issues at meetings and field excursions throughout New York State.
- serve on NYSWF committees working to advance wetland knowledge in NYS.
- reduced registration fees at meetings.

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