



2019 Genesee River Basin Summit



May 7, 2019

A Report to the Community

Rochester Institute of Technology, Louise Slaughter Hall

Time	Topic	Presentations	Presenters
8:00 to 8:30	Registration	Continental Breakfast	VISIT EXHIBITS
8:30 to 8:45 (15 min.)	Gather, Welcome, Overview	1. Overview and Welcome	1. Mike Haugh - Genesee RiverWatch
8:45 to 10:15 (90 min.)	Reporting And Planning	1. ROC the Riverway 2. Sediment & Nutrient Reduction Plan 3. Rochester AOC 4. Genesee River Basin Report Card	1. Erik Frisch – City of Rochester 2. George Thomas – Genesee RiverWatch 3. Charlie Knauf – Rochester Embayment Remedial Action Committee 4. George Thomas – Genesee RiverWatch
10:15 to 10:45	BREAK	Coffee Refresh	VISIT EXHIBITS
10:45 to 12:00 (75 min.)	Access and Recreation	1. Upper River Access 2. River Access & Letchworth Gateway Villages 3. Lower River Access 4. Basin Map Project 5. Future/Planned Projects	1. Allen Kerkeslager – Genesee River Wilds and Saint Joseph's University 2. Nicole Manapol – Village of Mt. Morris 3. Charlie Valeska – Genesee RiverWatch 4. Ben Gajewski – Genesee Valley Conservancy 5. Mike Haugh – Genesee RiverWatch
12:00 to 1:00	LUNCH	Lunch on your Own	VISIT EXHIBITS
1:00 to 2:30 (90 min.)	Restoration	1. Restoration Initiatives 2. Streambank Restoration Projects 3. Agricultural Environmental Management 4. Livingston County Projects 5. Restoration Plan & Environmental Assessment 6. Ag BMPs	1. Larry Charette – Trout Unlimited, Western New York 2. Pete Lent – Genesee RiverWatch 3. Jeremy Paris – Monroe County S&WCD 4. Bob Stryker – Livingston County S&WCD 5. Amy Roe – US Fish & Wildlife Services 6. Stephanie Castle – Genesee River Watershed Coalition of S&WCDs
2:30 to 3:00	BREAK	Cookies & Beverage Provided	VISIT EXHIBITS
3:00 to 4:15 (75 min.)	Outreach and Education	1. General Public Survey About River 2. Climate Change Threats to the Basin 3. Great Lakes Action Agenda 4. Non-Operating Landowner Outreach 5. Aquatic Education & Outreach	1. Paul Sawyko – Water Education Collaborative 2. Frederick Stoss, SUNY Buffalo 3. Shannon Dougherty – NYS Department of Environmental Conservation 4. Joan Petzen – Cornell Cooperative Extension 5. Chris Widmaier – RIT/Genesee RiverWatch's Aquatic Educators Network
4:15 to 4:30 (15 min.)	Wrap-up	Review - What happened today and what is next	Genesee RiverWatch

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Working to champion solutions that improve the water quality of the Genesee and initiatives that connect people to the River.



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