Catskill Advisory Group, Meeting #2 Summary

December 3, 2020

Attendees, DEC staff: Peter Frank, Mikaela Hameline, Sara Hart, Bill Rudge, Jeff Rider, Katie Petronis, Kelly Turturro, Laura DiBetta, Rob Davies.

Attendees, CAG members: Gilles Malkine, Adam Bosch, Joshua Howard, Lisa Lyons, Adrienne Larys, Michelle Yost, Jeff Senterman, Markly Wilson, Cathy Pedler, Melissa Abramson, Matthew Shook, Warren Hart, Pat Barnes, David Brooks, Adrienne Larys, Ramsay Adams.

Welcome and introductions

- Reviewed ground rules again

Public outreach/input: Survey development

- Goal to reach general public and stakeholders.
- Social media posts with link to survey.

Development of Subcommittees

- Based on charge and goals of the CAG
- Think about themes for subcommittees, where the members can bring in experts in that area.

Discussion of challenges (cont. from last meeting)

- Communication
- Enforcement:
  - Focus on highest use areas
  - Consider outreach to other States, Parks, etc. to learn from similar experience and strategies
- Discussion of ongoing volume of visitation

S.O.A.R. exercise review

Vision Statement Exercise

- Think about 4-5 questions for the public survey, and how to get the word out.