

AGENCY NAME:

Central New York Regional Planning and
Development Board (CNY RPDB)
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TITLE OF PROJECT:

Education/Information/Outreach

TIME PERIOD OF PROJECT:

4/1/96 - Present

PROJECT LOCATION:

Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga and
Oswego Counties

PROJECT CONTACT:

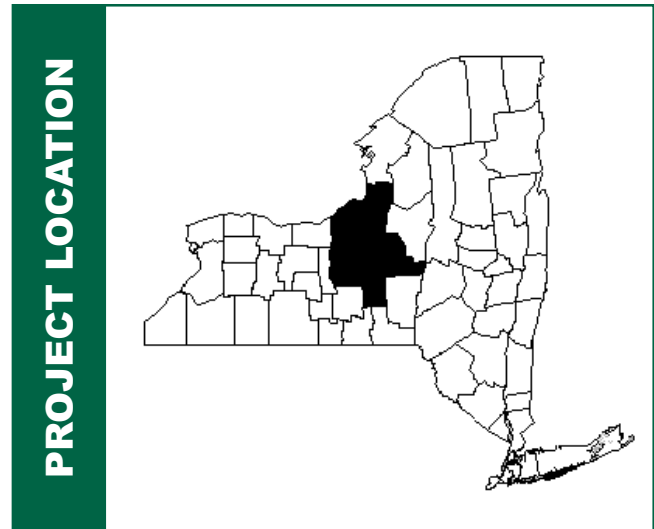
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PROJECT DESCRIPTION(S):

Project involves identification of education/information/outreach needs in the region and assistance to DEC in the development and delivery of education/information/outreach programs including:

Stormwater Permitting/Management Outreach Program: Identified local audiences needing stormwater management information through discussions with county Water Quality Coordinating Committees (WQCCs) and the DEC; and developed and delivered an outreach program to the determined audience. Will also provide information to region (in particular, municipalities) on Phase II regulations. Also planning a regional floodplain and stormwater management symposium to be held in November 2001 in conjunction with the NYS Floodplain and Stormwater Managers Association.

Local Elected Officials Water Quality Training Program: Working to develop an annual training program for local elected officials in the region on



water resources topics of interest. Involves surveying local officials about information needs, assessing availability of existing programs and developing a training program that fills gaps.

Lake Ontario Lakewide Management Plan Public Information Meetings: Co-hosted public meetings and assisted the DEC/EPA with local set up, advertising, and various details.

1996 Clean Water/Clean Air Bond Act: Researched and provided information to the region, in preparation for public vote on Bond Act; researched and provided information to region on draft criteria; and prepared comments on criteria for the state.

Workshop on Collecting Water Quality Information and Data: Worked with the NYS S&WCC to develop and hold a statewide workshop for county WQCCs on ways to gather water quality data and information.

New York Source Water Protection Coordinating Committee: Member of Committee. Committee is intended to provide support to local governments and public water suppliers related to the development and implementation of local source water protection programs for public drinking water supplies.