



CLEAN ENERGY COMMUNITIES WEBINAR SERIES
MUNICIPALITIES ON THE MOVE: ENERGY EFFICIENCY

10:30 – 12 noon

Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2017

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AGENDA

- Welcome Pat Courtney Strong, Courtney Strong Inc.

- 10:35 – 10:45 a.m.
Clean Energy Communities Overview Robyn Reynolds, Capital Region
Clean Energy Communities Coordinator,
Capital District Regional Planning
Commission

- 10:45– 11:00 a.m.
Collaboration as Key to Project Success Barbara Freeman, Environmental Council
Chair, Village of Boonville

- 11:00 - 11:15 a.m.
County-Wide High Impact Actions Amanda Lavalley, Director, Ulster County
Department of the Environment

- 11:15 – 11:30 a.m.
Building an Energy Projects Team Meg LeFevre, Deputy Supervisor, Town of
Plattsburgh

- 11:30 – 11:45 a.m.
Municipal Lighting Fund Ryan Gregoire, Assistant to the County
Manager, Office of the County Manager,
Schenectady

- 11:45 am – noon Question & Answer Period



Presenters

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Amanda Lavalle heads the Ulster County Department of the Environment. The department is charged with coordinating a wide range of environmental and

sustainability initiatives across county government spanning open space planning, natural resource management, storm water, energy conservation, and renewable energy deployment. Ulster County was the first designated NYSERDA Clean Energy Community in New York State and is a bronze certified NYS DEC Climate Smart Community.



Barbara Freeman taught children in the public schools for more than 30 years. She has been active in environmental action, and founded the Boonville

Environmental Conservation Council in 1971. In 1974 she was appointed to the Oneida County Environmental Management Council. In 1988 she was appointed by the Oneida County Legislature to serve as a Board member of the Oneida Herkimer Solid Waste Management Authority, serving as Vice-Chair in 1991, Chair from 1992 – 1995, and continues to be on the Board.



Ryan Gregoire currently serves as the assistant to the county manager in Schenectady County, NY, a career in which he began as an

intern during graduate school. In this capacity, Ryan is responsible for assisting in the overall administration, development, and implementation of programs, delivering the highest level of customer satisfaction to Schenectady County residents. Ryan also serves as the County's Climate Smart Communities coordinator.



Meg LeFevre is a progressive community leader and strong advocate for efficient municipal operations and sustainable

energy programs. She serves as councilor/deputy supervisor in the Town of Plattsburgh, is communications manager/recruiter at Coryer Staffing, and is a freelance business journalist specializing in manufacturing, healthcare, banking, and small business throughout the greater North Country region.

