

Project: New York Capital Region Sustainability Maps

Canvas: Albany

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Votes: 10

Recommendations: No

Goal:

Dates: Starts June 18th, 2012 Ends September 18th, 2012

Legend

Title	Description
	Existing Projects
	Proposed Projects
	Best Practices
	Strategies
	Instructions
	Other

The Crowd

Participant	Ideas
Mary Millus	10
Angela Vincent	5
Clare Gaffey	3
Daley	3
Doug Melnick	1
Elizabeth Staubach	1
Greenberg	1
Jackson Davis	1
Kevin Jones	1
Rusch	1
Anne Benware	0
barrett	0
Brandon	0
Clark	0
copenhaver	0
Darin Dinsmore	0

DiBetta	0
Eric Tuvel	0
ERIK DEYOE	0
Feffer	0
Ferraro	0
Heidi Hill Drum	0
Jean Loewenstein	0
John Smolinsky	0
Kay Simonsry	0
Martin Daley	0
Mary Ellen Mallia	0
Murnane	0
nicole frazer	0
Noah Bernstein	0
noonan	0
Rightmyer	0
Rosenthal	0
Rugg	0
Sandra Steubing	0
Sara Barz	0
Sarah Crowell	0
Thomas Cole	0
Tom Crowell	0
Wortman	0

Brite Ideas

<u>Idea</u>	<u>Votes</u>
Re-establish bike and pedestrian accommodations on the replacement Livingston Avenue Bridge to connect the Corning Preserve to Rennselaer	3
Central Warehouse is an ideal location for an Aquarium!	3
Albany Bike Master Plan	3
Facade and streetscape improvements along Quail St. between Central and Western Avenue	2
Corning Preserve Bike Trail along Hudson River	2
City of Albany TOD Zoning	2
Washington - Western BRT	2

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Repave 85 1

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Madison Ave Road Diet Feasability Study 1

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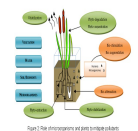
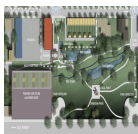
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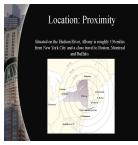
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NY5 BRT - Albany - Colonie - Schenectady

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Harriman Campus

- Harriman Campus located adjacent to the University at Albany State Office Building, 150 College of Environmental Science and Forestry and the growing 1000,000 sq ft complex.
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Comment Threads

- Albany Bike Master Plan

Install bike lanes in between sidewalks and parked cars to avoid having people ride so intertwined with vehicles.

Comment By: Clare Gaffey - August 1st, 2012 at 11:54am MDT

- New York State Museum

New York State Museum
 Empire State Plaza
 Madison Avenue
 Albany, NY 12210
 (518) 474-5877

Comment By: Jackson Davis - August 2nd, 2012 at 2:51pm MDT

- Clearcutting Pine Bush for Nanotech campus

This is the opposite of a sustainable idea.

Comment By: Clare Gaffey - August 11th, 2012 at 9:45pm MDT

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Floating gardens for phytoremediation.

Comment By: Mary Millus - July 24th, 2012 at 12:57pm MDT

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Plants can extract contaminants with their roots (Phyto-extraction), immobilize the contaminant in their roots (Phyto-stabilisation), trap (Phyto-sequestration) and/or degrade it by their metabolism (Phyto-degradation).

Comment By: Mary Millus - July 24th, 2012 at 12:49pm MDT

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Illegible

Comment By: Jackson Davis - July 29th, 2012 at 5:01pm MDT

Ideas Sorted By Legend

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