


Project: New York Capital Region Sustainability Maps
Canvas: Catskill
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Goal:
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Legend

Title	Description
	existing projects
	proposed projects
	best practices
	ideas
	other
	

The Crowd

Participant	Ideas
Elizabeth Staubach	25
Angela Vincent	4
Eric Besenfelder	3
Darin Dinsmore	1
Alyssa Sandoval	0
Corey Vorraro	0
Doug Melnick	0
Enos Han	0
Eric Tuvel	0
Fountain	0
Heidi Hill Drum	0
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Jackson Davis	0
Jean Loewenstein	0
Leah Bamberger	0
Lexi Bascom	0

Lundgren	0
Mary Millus	0
Mary Ellen Mallia	0
Noah Bernstein	0
Sarah Crowell	0
Steve Wilson	0

Brite Ideas

Idea	Votes
Glasco Smith Kline Studying CHP installation at medical manufacturing plant	1
Need to improve infrastructure	
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Influx of farmer's markets- "Shop Local, Think Global"	
Carpooling when possible	
Deer hunting	
Wood boiler heat in home	
Solar panels on local farms- RoeJan library, Claverack library, Columbia County soil and water pavers- parking lot (porous pavement- rainwater systems)	
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Waterfront

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Cox - Water Treatment

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Comment Threads

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Comment By: Darin Dinsmore - July 23rd, 2012 at 2:26pm MDT

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Athens

<http://www.coxsackie-athens.org/domain/26>

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