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DEC Announces Public Meetings on New Approach to Inland Trout Stream Management

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) is developing a new plan for inland trout stream management based on updated scientific information and the desires expressed by trout anglers during 16 [public meetings held across the state in 2017](#).

Prior to completing the draft plan, DEC fisheries managers would like to meet with trout stream anglers to explain the proposed approach, answer questions, and solicit feedback. Ten public meetings around the state are scheduled between Oct. 1 and Nov. 12 to facilitate these discussions. The [schedule of dates and locations is below and can be found online](#) on DEC's website.

The meetings will feature a presentation introducing the primary tenets of the plan including stocking, wild trout management, fishing regulations, and access. The presentation will be followed by a discussion period during which attendees can ask questions and provide informed comment.

DEC plans on releasing a draft trout stream management plan for public comment later this year.

Meeting schedule

Note: Doors will open at 6:30 p.m., and meetings will run from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Date	Location
Oct. 1, 2019	NYS Fraternal Order-Police Hall 911 Police Plaza Hicksville, NY 11801
Oct. 3, 2019	Chenango Valley High School 221 Chenango Bridge Road Binghamton, NY 13901
Oct. 8, 2019	South Colonie High School Auditorium 1 Raider Blvd. Albany, NY 12205
Oct. 9, 2019	Gillette Road Middle School 6150 South Bay Road Cicero, NY 13039
Oct. 15, 2019	Glenfield BOCES Conference rooms A & B (located behind the Technical Center) 5836 State Rt. 12 Glenfield, NY 13343

Oct. 16, 2019	Avoca Central School Auditorium 17 Oliver Street Avoca, NY 14809
Oct. 17, 2019	Concord Town Hall 86 Franklin Street Springville, NY 14141
Oct. 24, 2019	Hermon-DeKalb Central School Auditorium 709 East DeKalb Road De Kalb Junction, NY 13630
Nov. 4, 2019	Orange County Community College Great Room in Kaplan Hall One Washington Center Newburgh, NY 12550
Nov. 12, 2019	Plattsburgh Town Hall 151 Banker Road Plattsburgh, NY 12901

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