



The Dutchess  
Watershed Coalition

# DUTCHESS WATERSHED AWARENESS MONTH 2012 WHERE DOES THE WATER GO?

## *The Clean Water Act: Where We've Come & Where We Need to Go*

**Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 7:00PM**

**\*\*\*CHANGE OF VENUE\*\*\***

**Beacon Sloop Club, Riverfront Park, Beacon, NY**

Join us as we celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Clean Water Act and discuss improvements in water quality over the past 40 years and where we need to move in the future to protect our valuable water resources.

Tracy Brown of Riverkeeper will discuss the results of Riverkeeper's recent report, *How is the Water?*, on sewage contamination of the Hudson River Estuary. Emily Vail and Andrew Meyer of the NYSDEC Hudson River Estuary Program will discuss water quality in a watershed context and practices that help protect and restore our water resources.

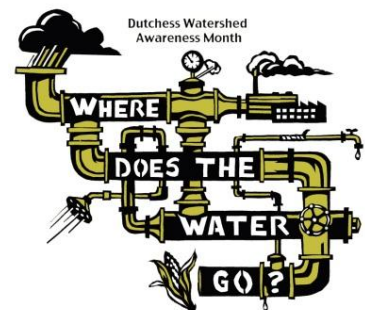


*Light refreshments will be provided and the winners of the Dutchess Watershed Awareness Month rain barrels, hand-painted by local artists, will be decided at the end of the event.*

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