

**Public Hearing
&
Regular Meeting
of the
Putnam Town Board**

February 8, 2024, 7PM ~ Putnam Town Hall ~ Zoom

7:00 Public hearing called to order

A hearing on a proposed change to the Site Plan Review Application & Subdivision Application. The change would be the inclusion of an additional line on the application stating “By signing this application you provide approval for the Planning Board Members to come look at your property with prior notice”

Supervisor Wilson solicited comments from the audience. Resident Reggie MacQuesten addressed the Board first. Mr. MacQuesten voiced a concern that people trying to build in Putnam already must be in compliance with the Lake George Park Commission, the Adirondack Park Agency, and Washington County Code Enforcement. He expressed “it seems like they are leaning more toward enforcement than planning”. Mr. MacQuesten advised that he and his wife are not in favor of the proposed change to the Site Plan Review/Subdivision applications.

Supervisor Wilson again solicited comments from the audience. Resident Karl Ohly via ZOOM addressed the Board next. Mr. Ohly stated that he has a history with the Planning Board. He stated that the history goes back to November of 2022 when he purchased shipping containers that were placed on his property for his farming operation. He stated he was contacted by the Planning Board, that said that he had violated the Site Plan Review Law “even though farms are exempt”. Considering the cantankerous history with the Planning Board, Mr. Ohly stated he feels he would not get a “fair shake” if the Planning Board members were allowed to enter his property. Mr. Ohly stated that he feels the Planning Board has their own interests in mind and those of Councilman Shiel. He continued that he has witnessed “one sidedness, and unfairness with the Planning Board”. He cited others who have shipping containers but have not been addressed by the Planning Board. Mr. Ohly said he has a problem with trust, and there is “such potential here for retribution”, “for personal gain”. Mr. Ohly is not in favor of the proposed change to the Site Plan Review /Subdivision applications.

Supervisor Wilson asked thrice if anyone else wished to be heard. There were no further comments.

7:11 Public Hearing closed.

7:12 The Regular Meeting of the Putnam Town Board called to order.

Councilwoman Kayla Bennett led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call

Members present: Supervisor Darrell Wilson
Councilwoman Carole Schneider
Councilwoman Kayla Bennett
Councilman Larry Shiell
Councilman Charles Bain

Others present: Mary Jane Dedrick (Deputy Clerk, P.O. Box 14), Gary Treadway (Highway Superintendent, Treadway Lane), May Drinkwine-Shiell (Resident, 439 County Route 3), Kay Greenough (Resident, 427 County Route 3), Dave Hayes (PVFD, 560 Gull Bay Road), Robert Winn (Town Attorney, 13 North Street, Granville, NY 12832), Cee McKenzie (BAR Chair, Budget Officer, 526 Gull Bay Road), Sally Thurston (15 Commons Way, Hague), Joe Thouin (LCPC), Ken Paulver (LGPC), Jim Niles (Lake Luzerne), Mark Karlson (Planning Board member, Black Point Road), Carol Jockel (Resident, 705 Gull Bay Road), David Hayes (Fire Department, 560 Gull Bay Road), Dave Wick (Lake George Park Commission), Paul Ferguson (Town of Dresden Supervisor), Jashua Patchett (Hugue), Jeanette MacQuesten (Resident, Glenburnie Road), Reggie MacQuesten (Resident, Glenburnie Road)

Present via ZOOM: Nancy Wolf-Fisher (Resident, 5183 Sagamore Road), Karl Ohly (Resident, 428 County Route 3), Glen Brownstein, Jeffery Lape, Nancy Hawley, Tom Connell, Craig, Ginder Henry Kuenzel, Cynthia Moulton, John Kelly, Mike Kelly, CTKO, Kevin

Resolution #31

Accept the minutes of the March 14, 2024, Regular meeting

On motion of Councilwoman Carole Schneider, seconded by Councilwoman Kayla Bennett; all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Resolution #32

Accept the Financial reports for the month of March 2024

On motion of Councilman Larry Shiell, seconded by Councilwoman Carole Schneider; all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Resolution #33

Accept the Town Clerk's report for the month of March 2024

On motion of Councilwoman Kayla Bennett, seconded by Councilman Charlie Bain all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Resolution #34

Accept the Town Justice Report for the month of March 2024

On motion of Councilwoman Carole Schneider, seconded by Councilwoman Kayla Bennett; all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Resolution #35

Pay bills as audited

On motion of Councilman Larry Shiell, seconded by Councilwoman Kayla Bennett; all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Resolved, the bills on the following are paid as audited.

General Fund	# 58-83	\$39,469.47
Highway Fund	# 29-39	\$8,037.32
Black Point Sewer District	#3	\$21,123.14

Guests

Supervisor Wilson invited Dave Wick Executive Director of the Lake George Park Commission and Chris Navitsky the Lake George Water Keeper to give the Board more information regarding the use of ProcellaCOR in Lake George. Mr. Navitsky and Sally Thurston presented information in opposition to the use of ProcellaCOR. Dave Wick also spoke, then Lake Luzerne Supervisor Jim Niles in favor of the use of ProcellaCor. (See attached articles of information submitted to the clerk) More information can be found at the web addresses below.

<https://lakegeorgeassociation.org/waterkeeper> and <https://lgpc.ny.gov/invasive-species-management-0>

Correspondence

Nancy Wolf-Fisher – Opposing the use of ProcellaCOR EC
 Mark Wright- Town of Ticonderoga’s Board Objection to the use of ProcellaCOR
 Chris Mallon-Cemetery regulations suggestion
 LGA- Floating Classroom Municipality Day

Courtesy of the Floor

Paul Ferguson, Dresden Supervisor addressed the Board first. Supervisor Ferguson relayed that the Town Board of Dresden remains in opposition to the use of ProcellaCor.

Mary Jane Dedrick reported that the boat launch will be open beginning May 4, 2024, on Saturday’s and Sundays from 11am-7pm until Memorial Day. Memorial Day through Labor Day the launch is open 6 days a week, closed on Tuesdays, 11am – 9pm the other six days. Labor Day through October 31, 2024, the launch will be open Saturday and Sunday 11am-7pm.

Highway Report

Highway Superintendent (HS) Gary Treadway brought the topic of Juneteenth and giving the crew the day off now that it is a federal holiday, but not in their contract. The next contract will include the holiday.

Resolution #36

Accept Juneteenth as a Federal Holiday and day off for contracted workers in the Town of Putnam going forward.

On motion of Councilman Charlie Bain, seconded by Councilwoman Kayla Bennett.

Roll Call

Carole Schneider	Yes
Kayla Bennett	Yes
Larry Shiell	Yes
Charles Bain Sr.	Yes
Darrell Wilson	Yes

Resolution unanimously adopted.

HS Treadway sought guidance from the Board regarding renting Cummings Park Pavilion with the embankment issues. The Town Clerk has begun to get calls for rentals in the 2024 season.

A discussion took place about the embankment issue and any potential risk to patrons and renters of the pavilion. It was decided that the pavilion will not be part of the rental agreement. Renters will have the use of the grounds and bathrooms. A fence will be erected on the embankment edge and appropriate signage will be put up to as a barrier and a notification of risk to park users. Rentals fees will be reduced by 50%.

Resolution #37

Rent Cummings Park grounds and bathrooms with no guarantee of the pavilion, at a 50% rental fee reduction. Erect a fence on the embankment on the lake side of the pavilion

On motion of Councilman Charlie Bain, seconded by Supervisor Wilson. Councilman Larry Shiell abstained from the vote. Councilwoman Carole Schnieder voted no. Councilman Charlie Bain, Councilwoman Kayla Bennett and Supervisor Wilson voted yes.

Resolution passed by majority vote.

Councilman Shiell advised that the floor drain in the highway garage needs repair. HS Treadway advised that the cement has deteriorated over time creating a gap between the steel grate and drain. HS Treadway will look into the costs of repair.

Planning Board Report

The Planning Board Chair Bill Brown reported at the prior evenings meeting of the Planning Board consisting of Ken and Nancy House were approved for their building permit. Christina Pichler who is trying to merge two lots is waiting for additional documents. John and Anita Messiner are waiting for additional documentation and will return next month. Anthony Page is building a home on Liddle-Harris was approved. Casey Devlin was notifying the Planning Board of his intentions to improve an existing deck on his home.

PBC Bill Brown also advised the Board of the Adirondack training forum being offered for Planning entities in the state at the Hotel Saranac April 24th, and 25th. The room rate is \$107, and the conference is \$134.38 plus mileage. PBC Brown would like to attend it.

Resolution #38

Approve the Planning Board Chair to attend training at Hotel Saranac

On motion of Councilman Larry Shiell, seconded by Councilwoman Kayla Bennett.

Roll Call

Councilwoman Carole Schneider	Yes
Councilwoman Kayla Bennett	Yes
Councilman Larry Shiell	Yes
Councilman Charlie Bain Sr.	Yes
Supervisor Darrell Wilson	Yes

Resolution unanimously adopted.

Fire Department report

Fire Department Member David Hayes advised that the quarterly report has been submitted to the Town Clerk (See attached), also that the fire department will have an open house on Sunday April 13th from 11am-3pm as part of a statewide event to encourage the public to volunteer. The 2024 Chicken Barbeque is set for Saturday July 27th, 2024.

Old Business

Policies- Drug Free Workplace, Progressive Discipline, Violence in the Workplace.

Resolution #39

A blanket motion to adopt policies for A Drug Free Workplace, Progressive Discipline and Violence in the Workplace.

On motion of Councilwoman Kayla Bennett, seconded by Councilwoman Carole Schneider; all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Site Plan Review proposed application change- This will be revisited at May’s meeting.

Cemetery Regulations- The Board reviewed the proposed regulations for the foundation of monuments and stones. Chris Mallon’s correspondence suggestion will be added to the regulations. The Town Attorney Mr. Winn will make the suggested changes. The Regulations will be revisited at May’s meeting.

ProcellaCor EC- a discussion about the information presented earlier in the meeting took place. No action was taken.

Councilman Charlie Bain asked HS Treadway about the progress on the sign for the entrance of Cummings Park. HS Treadway will revisit the information for the sign agreed upon last season, He will also contact the Washington County sign shop to see if a sign can be made there.

Councilman Shiell asked what was being done about the situation spoken about at last month’s Executive Session. Attorney Winn advised he has reached out to the couple who were the subject of discussion in the Executive Session. Attorney Winn does not believe the Town would have a successful enforcement violation against them. The couple indicated that they had hired an engineer and plan to go to the Planning Board. They have plans to correct the property line issues with their neighbor.

New Business

None

Resolution # (40)

Adjourn the Regular Meeting of the Putnam Town Board

On motion of Councilwoman Carole Schneider, seconded by Councilwoman Kayla Bennett; all in favor. Resolution unanimously adopted.

Next meeting is scheduled for May 9th, 2024, at 7PM at the Putnam Town Hall and ZOOM.

Respectfully submitted,
Darlene Kerr
Putnam Town Clerk

Darrell Wilson _____ Supervisor

Carole Schneider _____ Councilwoman

Kayla Bennett _____ Councilwoman

Larry Shiell _____ Councilman

Charles Bain Sr. _____ Councilman



Lake George Park Commission

Ken Parker
Chairman

Dave Wick
Executive Director

LETTER OF NOTIFICATION

Date: January 30, 2024
Subject: Proposed Invasive Plant Management Program Blairs Bay & Sheep Meadow Bay in Lake George

The Lake George Park Commission is the NYS agency responsible for protecting Lake George and management of invasive species. The Commission is applying to the NYSDEC and the APA to use an aquatic herbicide to control the invasive plant Eurasian Watermilfoil (EWM) in two small areas of the lake: Blairs Bay (4 acres) and Sheep Meadow Bay (3.6 acres), exactly as was proposed in 2022 but never conducted. See maps below:



Blairs Bay

Sheep Meadow Bay

The herbicide, ProcellaCOR EC, will eliminate Eurasian watermilfoil for multiple seasons in the treatment areas, but will not impact most native plants. ProcellaCOR EC will be applied at less than 10 parts per billion (a rate roughly equivalent to a single drop in a typical swimming pool), a rate which is vastly lower than most other aquatic herbicides. NYSDEC and APA permit applications have been submitted for approval for the treatment.

It is anticipated that the treatment will take place on one day between **May 17 and June 30, 2024** pending permit approvals and the appropriate stage of target plant growth. Notification of the actual date of the treatment will be submitted to the Towns of Putnam and Dresden, the APA and the NYSDEC at least 7 days prior to application and will be posted along the shoreline on the day of the application. While there are no public health impacts or drinking water restrictions from this aquatic treatment, the roads along the affected lakeshores are required to be posted at the time of the treatment. A restriction on lake uses in the treatment zones during the application will be in effect, approximately 3 hours per site. Following application, livestock watering and irrigation will be restricted until the concentration of the herbicide measures < 1 ppb.

There are no restrictions on swimming, fishing or drinking/domestic water use following this treatment.

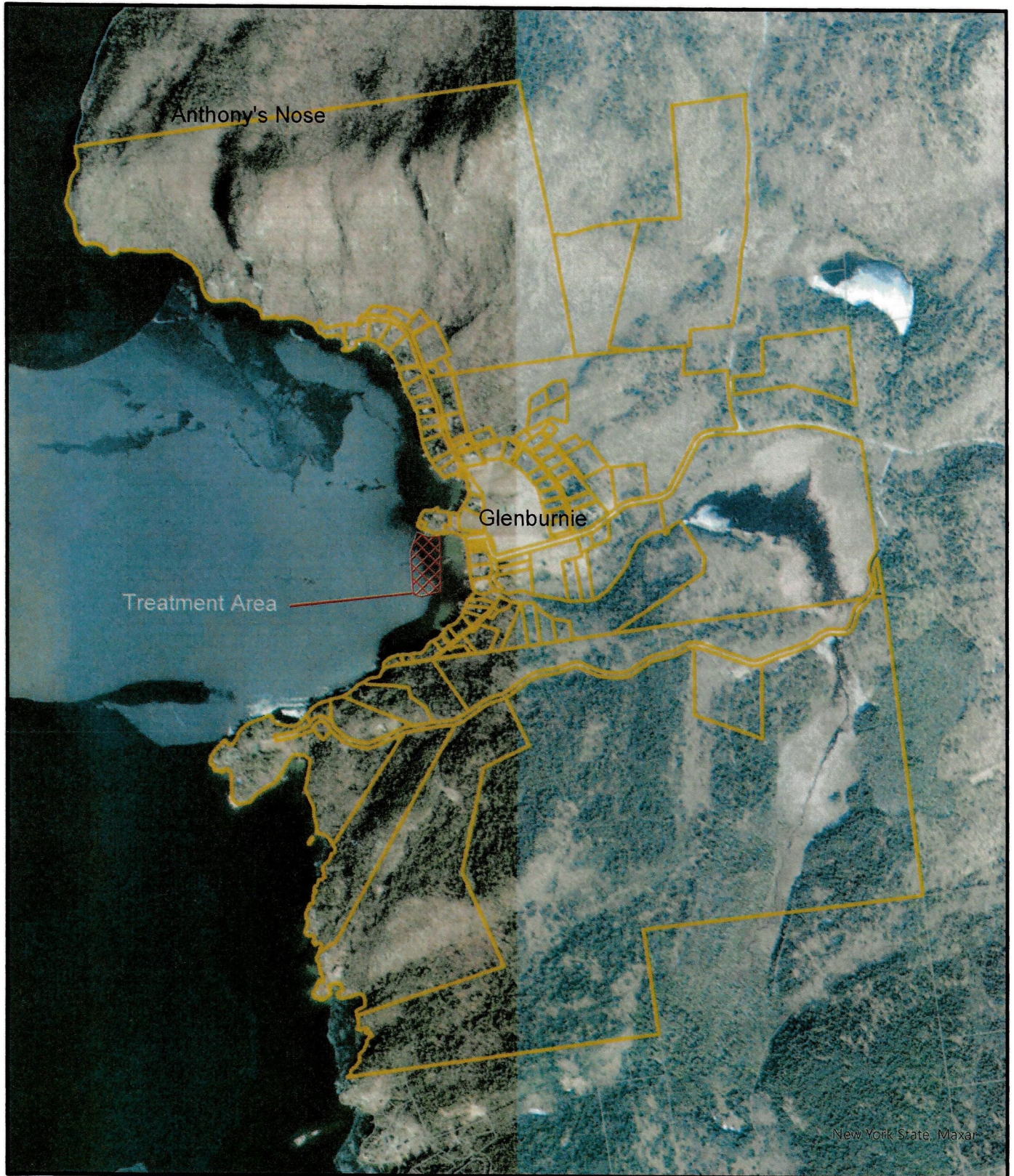
Following application, water samples will be collected at 12 and 24 hours, and 3 and 7 days to determine any remaining concentration of herbicide in the water. Given the exceedingly low dosage and fast breakdown rate, the herbicide is typically undetectable in the water after 1-3 days, but the livestock water use restriction is anticipated to take 7 days to complete sampling and receive approval from NYSDEC to remove restrictions.

The ProcellaCOR EC product label is available for review on the LGPC's website lgpc.ny.gov/procellacor-ec-sln-primary-label. You have twenty-one (21) days to respond to this notice. If you would like to object to the proposed application(s), you must file a written document stating your objection to the proposed application. Your objection must demonstrate that your use of the water body will be significantly adversely affected. If you do not respond to this notice, your lack of response will be considered to be consent to the proposed application. If you have any questions on the permitting process, please contact the DEC representative listed below.

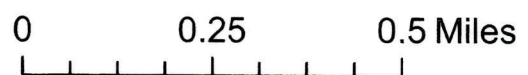
**Brian Primeau, Bureau of Pesticides Management
NYSDEC, Region 5
232 Golf Course Road, Warrensburg, NY 12885-0220**

If you wish further information about the proposed management program or ProcellaCOR, please visit the Commission's website at lgpc.ny.gov/procellacor-pilot-treatment or contact the Lake George Park Commission at 518-668-9347 Monday through Friday from 8am to 4pm.

Lake George Park Commission



Blair's Bay ProcellaCor Treatment Mail List



ID	Address	Town	Location	Date Sent	Mail Addr
532400-23.20-5-1	6368 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Flory, Catherine M; 38 Martin Ave Barrington RI 02806
532400-23.20-5-2	6362 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Rose, Andrew C; 41 Stonewall Ln Delmar NY 12054
532400-23.20-5-3	6358 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Sunkenberg, John A; Po Box 164 Huletts Landing NY 12841
532400-23.20-5-4	6350 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Morin, Daniel; 1034 Mandalay Ave Clearwater FL 33767
532400-23.20-5-8	6348 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Suprunowicz, Mark A; 17 Saratoga Cir Saratoga Springs NY 12866
532400-23.20-5-9	6338 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Heifer, Kenneth F; 127 Circular Ct Saratoga Springs NY 12866
532400-23.20-5-20	6408 CHIPMUNK ALLEY WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Yule, Gregory Paul; 308 Jatski Dr Ballston Spa NY 12020
532400-23.20-5-21	6404 CHIPMUNK ALLEY WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Benjamin, Leslie A; 81 Beckwith Rd Whitehall NY 12887
532400-23.20-5-22	6345 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Kana, Karen Y; 42 Darby Ln Bedford NH 03101
532400-23.20-5-23	SUNSET BAY/LK GEO	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Sabo, Fenton; 2329 Route 9N Lake George NY 12845
532400-23.20-5-25	6353 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Wisneski, Judith A; 348 W Union St West Chester PA 19382
532400-23.20-5-26	6359 SUNSET BAY RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Breitenstein, Judith D; 6167 Western Turnpike Delanson NY 12053
532400-23.20-6-17	INDIAN BAY/LK GEO	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Indian Bay Preservation Assoc; 38 Lakewood Dr Denville NJ 07834
532400-23.20-6-21	INDIAN BAY/LK GEO	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Cook, Robert K; 54 Westwood Dr Queensbury NY 12804
532400-23.20-6-21.1	INDIAN BAY/LK GEO	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Malcolm, David S; 819 Downing St Niskayna NY 12309
532400-23.20-6-22	6827 MOUNTAINVIEW WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Glock, Fred J; 20 Sanders Pl Butler NJ 07405
532400-23.20-6-23	6829 MOUNTAINVIEW WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Mooney, Susan S; 3 Kenneth Ln Orleans MA 02653
532400-23.20-6-24	6831 MOUNTAINVIEW WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Collins, Jason E; 109 Berwick Ct Dothan AL 36305
532400-23.20-6-25	5115 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Olson, Peter J; 8 Wintergreen Cir Southwick MA 01077
532400-23.20-6-26	5121 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Kohlhoff, Ethel A; 45 Radburn Dr Hauppauge NY 11788
532400-24.-1-1	5403 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Floyd, David G; 5403 Bluff Head Rd Huletts Landing NY 12841
532400-24.-1-1.1	BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Agnes View Llc; 3723 W Michael Dr Po Box 857 Teton Village WY 83025
532400-24.-1-2	5407 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Bollman, William V; 6510 Rockland Ct Clifton VA 20124
532400-24.-1-6.2	5365 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Lutz, Eugene; 247 Thunder Lake Rd Wilton CT 06897
532400-24.-1-6.3	5316 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Williams, Gary A; 29 Valina Dr Burnt Hills NY 12027
532400-24.-1-11	5287 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Borin, Eric J; 89 Melrose Rd Mountain Lakes NJ 07046
532400-24.-1-12	5276 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Arcady Realty Corp., Attn: Louis Grogan 2020 Cannes Drive Plano TX 75025 ;
532400-24.13-1-1	7148 MEADOW POINT WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Perdue Mitchell 515 71st Street Holmes Beach FL 34217 ;
532400-24.13-1-2	7262 KNIGHTEN WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Laura Bibler 7B Archelus Hill Road West Newbury MA 01985 ;
532400-24.13-1-2.1	7260 KNIGHTEN WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Stuart Bowling Living Trust 9 Blueberry Lane Topsfield MA 01983 ;
532400-24.13-1-3	7258 KNIGHTEN WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Frederick Sistarenik PO Box 17 Huletts Landing NY 12841 ;
532400-24.13-1-4	5201 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Stling Ferguson Knight PO Box 4 Huletts Landing NY 12841 ;
532400-24.13-1-5	5199 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Michael Maginnis 3651 Buena Vista Street San Diego CA 92109 ;
532400-24.13-1-6	7131 MEADOW POINT WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	1.30.23	Marian Knight 205 Carman Hill Road, Apt 2 New Milford CT 06776 ;
532400-24.13-1-9	BAY WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Knight Estate, Molly; 88 Waldron Ave Nyack NY 10960
532400-24.13-1-9.1	BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Babiak, Steven; 938 Locust Grove Rd Greenfield Center NY 12833
532400-24.13-1-9.2	7008 BAY WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Grennan, Lauren; 88 Waldron Ave Nyack NC 10960
532400-24.13-1-18	7012 BAY WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Wood, Edward James; 36 Fairview Ave Watertown MA 02472
532400-24.13-1-23	5153 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Collins, William R; 90 Dug Rd Accord NY 12404
532400-24.13-1-23.2	BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Villamil, Richard; 18 North St Essex Junction VT 05452
532400-24.13-1-24.1	7107 MEADOW POINT WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Hoffman Family Trust; 100 Glen St Ste 3A Glens Falls NY 12801
532400-24.13-1-24.2	7111 MEADOW POINT WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Burr, Peter J; 5007 Long Knife Run Louisville KY 40207
532400-24.13-1-25	7113 MEADOW POINT WAY	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Dillingham, Ruth A; 301 Oak Neck Rd Hyannis MA 02601
532400-24.-1-9	5303 BLUFF HEAD RD	Dresden	Sheep Meadow	2.9.24	Lawler, Paul J; 5303 Bluff Head Rd Po Box 58 Huletts Landing NY 12841
534600-8.-2-2.2	260 WARRICK RD	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Eagle's Mare LP 22 Ludlow Trail Plymouth MA 02360
534600-8.-2-2.5	WARRICK RD	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Lake George Land Conservancy Lake George Land Conservancy 4905 Lakeshore Dr Bolton Landing NY 12814;
534600-7.12-1-12.1	LAKE GEORGE WAY SOUTH	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Michael Cseh 116 Church Street Ramsey NJ 07446 ;
534600-7.12-1-13	2002 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Judith Vierung 2002 Lake George Way South Putnam Station NY 12861 ;
534600-7.12-1-14	495 COUNTY ROUTE 1	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Livornese Gen. Partnership 39 Loft Drive Martinsville NJ 08836 ;
534600-7.12-1-16.1	COUNTY ROUTE 1	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Thomas Badenoch 1434 Chase Oaks Drive Keller TX 76248 ;
534600-7.12-1-16.2	COUNTY ROUTE 1	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Laurie Gene Mygatt 1532 Mosswood Way Putnam Station NY 12861 ;
534600-7.12-1-16.3	COUNTY ROUTE 1	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Kenneth Koornneef 82 Branch Londonderry Tpke E Bow NH 03304 ;
534600-7.12-1-16.4	COUNTY ROUTE 1	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Lawrence Family Trust 108 Long Pasture Way Tiverton RI 02878 ;
534600-7.12-1-17	2522 NORTHERN LIGHTS W	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Susan Davis Eley 172 W 79th Street #8 New York NY 10024 ;
534600-7.12-1-18	NORTHERN LIGHTS WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	2.9.24	Glenburnie Estates Llc; 448 Gull Bay Rd Putnam Station NY 12861
534600-7.12-1-19	NORTHERN LIGHTS WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Glenburnie Club c/o Andrew Dicob c/o Andrew Dicob 20 Skyline Dr Morristown NJ 07960;
534600-7.12-1-20	3011 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Richard Austin 3011 Lake George Way Putnam Station NY 12861 ;
534600-7.12-1-21.1	LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Glenburnie Estates LLC Glenburnie Estates LLC 448 Gull Bay Rd Putnam Station NY 12861;
534600-7.12-1-23	LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Reginald Vincent Reginald Vincent 619 N Arlington Heights Rd Arlington Heights IL 60004;
534600-7.12-1-24	LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Christine Goodness 8 Arrowhead Road Saratoga Springs NY 12866 ;
534600-7.12-1-25	LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Kent Stevenson 17 O'Brien Drive So Burlington VT 05403 ;
534600-7.12-1-26	3029 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	James Duffy 3029 Lake George Way Putnam Station NY 12861 ;
534600-7.12-1-27	3028 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	2.9.24	Glenburnie Club Inc c/o Andrew Dicob; 20 Skyline Dr Morristown NJ 07960
534600-7.12-1-36	COUNTY ROUTE 1	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Town of Putnam 14 Putnam Center Road, PO Box 95 Putnam Station NY 12861 ;
534600-7.12-2-10	2062 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Henry O. Cluttsam III Estate 484 Arbor View Lane Venice FL 34292 ;
534600-7.12-2-11	2060 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	David Robillard David Robillard 1331 Log Inn Rd Annapolis MD 21409 ;
534600-7.12-2-13	2048 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Kristin McCarthy Kristin McCarthy 24 Brookville Hollow Rd Stockton NJ 08559;
534600-7.12-2-14	2044 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Patricia Malette 41 Wendover Road Forest Hills NY 11375 ;
534600-7.12-2-16	2040 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Philip Mandolare 34 Crown Point N Pittsford VT 05763 ;
534600-7.12-2-17	2032 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Manchester II LLC Manchester II LLC 5970 Bella Rosa Ln Vero Beach FL 32966;
534600-7.12-2-18	2028 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Pontier's Lake Retreat LLC 254 Mt. Prospect Ave Clifton NJ 07012 ;
534600-7.12-2-19	2026 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	George Crawford 2591 N. Bitzer Avenue Hernando FL 34442 ;
534600-7.12-2-20	2022 LAKE GEORGE WAY S	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Joseph Gallagher 148 Cannonball Path Ticonderoga NY 12883 ;
534600-7.12-2-7	LAKE GEORGE WAY SOUTH	Putnam	Blair's Bay	2.9.24	Maletta, Patricia; 41 Wendover Rd Forest Hills NY 11375
534600-7.8-1-13	3031 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Scott Engler, Trustee Scott Engler, Trustee 610 Noe St San Francisco CA 94114;
534600-7.8-1-14	3037 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	HC & FRH LLC 102 Woodland Way Chambersburg PA 17202 ;
534600-7.8-1-15	3041 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	MCE Cottage LLC 100 Royal Coachman Blvd, Dillon CO 80435 ;
534600-7.8-1-16	3057 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	John Sawulski John Sawulski 422 Wexford Cir Venice FL 34293;
534600-7.8-1-17	3061 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Douglas Chase 744 Brightside Crescent Drive Venice FL 34293 ;
534600-7.8-1-18	3065 LAKE GEORGE WAY	Putnam	Blair's Bay	2.9.24	Grueter, Joseph; 33 Cedar Dr Allendale NJ 07401
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534600-8.-2-1.1	302 WARRICK RD	Putnam	Blair's Bay	1.30.23	Christine Shawn Association Inc. 302 Warrick Road Putnam Station NY 12861 ;



ProcellaCOR & Lake George

A Scientific Assessment of Risks

LGA/Waterkeeper Presentation to Town of Putnam
April 11, 2024



Agenda

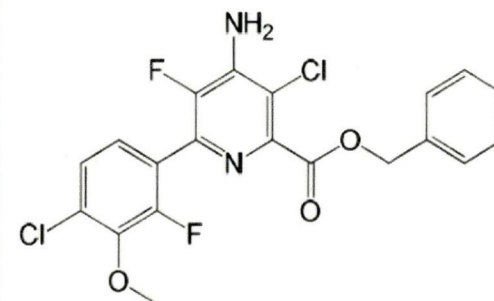
- LGA Introduction
- ProcellaCOR Registration & Risks
- Blairs Bay Circulation & Results
- Ecological Questions



Very Limited Peer Reviewed Research

- Based on industry submitted studies
- EPA does not perform independent testing
- NYSDEC did not perform any testing
- 364 studies submitted to EPA – 345 (95%) are unpublished industry studies
- First studies submitted to EPA in 2015

Florpyrauxifen-benzyl



Florpyrauxifen-benzyl (XDE-848 Benzyl Ester, Rinskor™)
PC Code 030093
CAS No. 1390661-72-9

ProcellaCOR EC 1103.240

A selective systemic herbicide for management of freshwater aquatic vegetation in slow-moving/quiescent waters with little or no continuous outflow: ponds, lakes, reservoirs, freshwater marshes, wetlands, bayous, drainage ditches, and non-irrigation canals, including shoreline and riparian areas in or adjacent to these sites. Also for management of invasive freshwater aquatic vegetation in slow-moving/quiescent areas of rivers (coves, oxbows or similar sites).

FLORPYRAUXIFEN-BENZYL GROUP 4 HERBICIDE

ACCEPTED FOR REGISTRATION
ONLY IN CONJUNCTION WITH
NEW YORK STATE SPECIFIC
SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING
SLN NY- 190001

February 22, 2019

New York State Department of
Environmental Conservation
Division of Materials Management
Pesticide Product Registration Section

Keep Out of Reach of Children CAUTION

Refer to the inside of label booklet for additional precautionary information including directions for use.

Agricultural Chemical: Do not ship or store with food, feeds, drugs or clothing.

Active Ingredient:

Florpyrauxifen-benzyl: 2-pyridinecarboxylic acid, 4-amino-3-chloro-6-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-3-methoxyphenyl)-5-fluoro-, phenyl methyl ester..... 2.7%

Other Ingredients:..... 97.3%

TOTAL:..... 100.0%

Contains 0.0052 lb florpyrauxifen-benzyl per Prescription Dose Unit (PDU) or 0.21 lb florpyrauxifen-benzyl/gallon. 1 PDU is equal to 3.2 fl. oz. of product.

Notice: Read the entire label before using. Use only according to label directions. Before buying or using this product, read *Warranty Disclaimer* and *Misuse* statements inside label booklet. If terms are not acceptable, return at once unopened.

Produced for:
SePRO Corporation
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Camlet, IN 46032, U.S.A.
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EPA Reg. No. 67890-80
EPA Est. No. 067890-NC-002



Net Contents 40 PDU

Aquatic Herbicide

(Non-refillable)

Classified for
"RESTRICTED USE"
in New York State
under 6NYCRR Part 326

Risks of ProcellaCOR Stated on Label

- Environmental Hazards – Can result in loss of oxygen from decomposition of plants, which can cause fish suffocation.
- Resistance Management – May develop biotypes that are resistant to treatment and if used persistently at a site, resistant biotypes may dominate.
- Use Restrictions – Do not use treated water for irrigation; Do not allow contact with carrots, vegetables crops, flowers, ornamental shrubs, or trees or other desirable broad leaf plants; Do not compost any plant material from treated area.

Risks of ProcellaCOR According to EPA

“Based on available toxicity data and mode of action, risks to vascular aquatic plants, and to a lesser extent non-vascular aquatic plants, from the proposed uses of florpyrauxifen-benzyl (and its degradation products) are expected. Where these effects occur, they would be expected to also have indirect effects on organisms that occupy higher trophic levels, especially aquatic invertebrates, fish and herbivorous, insectivorous and piscivorous birds and mammals.” (U.S. EPA Environmental Fate and Risk Assessment, pg 115)



Bass in Blairs Bay
Sept 2023

Reduced Efficacy of ProcellaCOR Likely

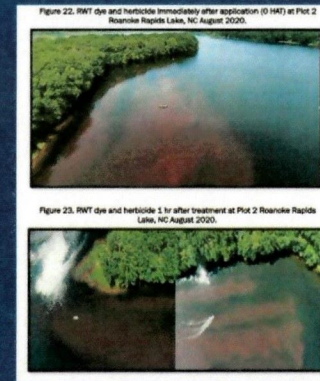
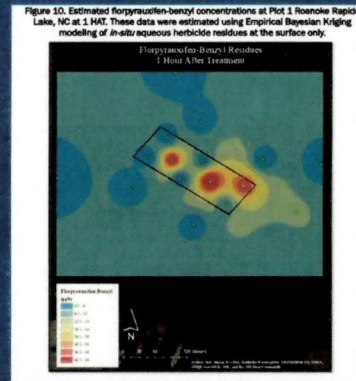
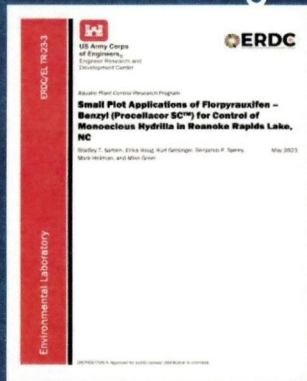
- Use is not compliant with label
- Proposed bays are not “quiescent waters with little or no continuous outflow”
- Water exchange will adversely impact pesticide concentration-exposure time
- “Predicting the fate of organic chemicals in the environment is difficult due to the inability of laboratory studies to replicate field conditions” (Van Frost 2023)





Reduced Efficacy of ProcellaCOR Proven

“To develop and establish new and/or enhance current florpyrauxifen-benzyl use patterns, the collection of concentration and exposure time (CET), herbicide efficacy, species selectivity, and water quality data from the field is crucial (Sartain 2023). Pesticide concentrations and exposures were not sufficient due to rapid water exchange.



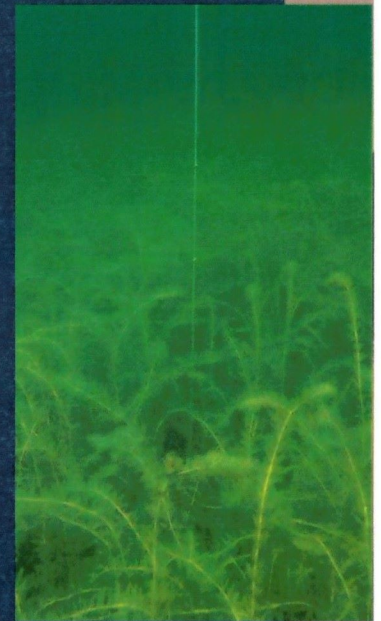
Persistence of ProcellaCOR Increases Potential Harm

- Rapid water exchange will move pesticide into deeper waters increasing half-life from 2-4 days (photolysis) to 111 days (hydrolysis)
- Degradates exhibit same auxin hormone/herbicidal properties and remain in lake for 20-30 days (Van Frost 2023)
- Remains in sediments for prolonged periods increasing impacts



ProcellaCOR Could Grow More Milfoil

- Hormesis – Increased plant growth due to dilution of pesticide
- “Further research is required to specifically evaluate the lower florpyrauxifen-benzyl threshold concentrations and exposures that deter possible hormesis in common field application scenarios; notably in high water-exchange situations.”
(Howell 2022)



Native Plants Harmed; Milfoil Becomes Resistant

- Synthetic auxin is not selective (Nault et al 2018)
- Native plants/communities are susceptible to impacts from pesticide: Pondweeds (Potamogeton), stargrasses, native milfoils, etc.
- Potential of resistant milfoil strains (ProcellaCOR label)



Native plant communities in Blairs Bay, Sept 2023



Native Plants at Risk in Blairs Bay

ProcellaCOR Attacks Nitella

- 50% Drop is not “Negligible”
- Nitella is an important native plant to Lake George ecosystem
- Results from Minerva Lake 2020 treatment, SOLitude

Table 2: 4 Year Change in common species abundance from 2019-2022.

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	2019	2020	2021	2022	CHANGE
Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	66%	0%	0%	2%	Decrease
Common waterweed	<i>Elodea spp.</i>	60%	63%	74%	71%	Increase
Flat-stem pondweed	<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	50%	54%	59%	65%	Increase
Southern naiad	<i>Najas guadalupensis</i>	41%	60%	10%	68%	Increase
Macro-algae	<i>Chara/Nitella spp.</i>	38%	48%	23%	24%	Negligible
Thin-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	44%	21%	33%	16%	Decrease
Watershield	<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	37%	26%	20%	21%	Decrease
Bassweed/Large-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i>	30%	37%	52%	43%	Increase
Ribbon-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton epiphydrus</i>	18%	34%	28%	7%	Decrease
Northern naiad (2019) Slender naiad (2020, 2021)	<i>Najas gracillima</i>	17%	9%	2%	0%	Decrease
Slender naiad (2019) Nodding naiad (2020, 2021)	<i>Najas flexilis</i>	16%	35%	82%	43%	Increase

Chart from APA Presentation, March 13, 2024

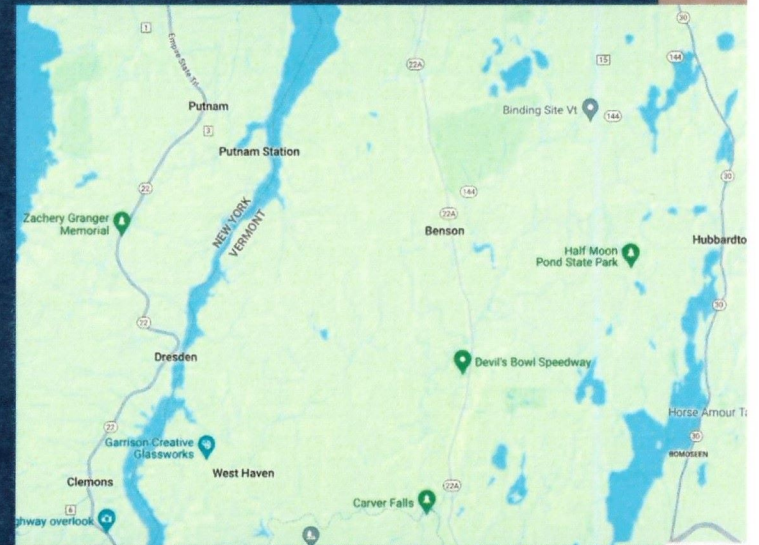
Potential for Chronic, Sublethal Effects

- Concerns of impacts to benthic macroinvertebrates
- EPA findings are “slightly toxic,” which indicate potential chronic impacts
- Studies on freshwater mussels state “potential and sublethal effects remain uncharacterized and warrant additional studies”



VTDEC Just Denied ProcellaCOR Permit

- VTDEC recently denied a permit for ProcellaCOR in Lake Bomoseen.
- Unacceptable risk to non-target environment
- No long-range management plan or schedule for pesticide minimization
- Tangible benefits to the public do not outweigh potential negative impacts



QUESTIONS?



From Ticonderoga Supervisor
Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Mark Wright
<supervisor@townofticonderoga.org>
Date: April 5, 2024 at 12:49:32 PM EDT
To: "lakegeorgenorth@verizon.net"
<lakegeorgenorth@verizon.net>
Subject: Use of ProcellaCOR

The Town of Ticonderoga remains

committed to the protection of Lake George. The Ticonderoga Town Board remains unchanged in its opposition to the use of ProcettaCOR in Lake George until such time as the necessary and convincing scientific evidence can be gathered regarding the potential adverse impacts to Lake George water quality, human health, and aquatic plant and animal life.

Mark A. Wright

Supervisor

TOWN of DRESDEN, N.Y.

Washington County



from Lake George to Lake Champlain

The Town of Dresden remains committed to the protection of Lake George. The Dresden Town Board remains unchanged to its opposition to the use of Procellacor in Lake George. The Town Boards decision will remain until such time as the necessary convincing scientific evidence can be gathered regarding the potential adverse effects to Lake George water quality, human health, aquatic plants, and animal life.

04/08/24

Thank you,

Town of Dresden Supervisor

Paul Ferguson

Paul Ferguson
Allen W...
Marilyn Golden

Christine Diekel

Mary Ann

March 16, 2024
5183 Sagamore Road
Putnam Station, NY 12861

Putnam Town Board,

I object to the Lake George Park Commission using the synthetic hormone herbicide ProcellaCor in Lake George.

As several people have stated - even though milfoil is a problem, it is not an emergency and the use of something with unknown long term effects should not be used.

Although the federal EPA and state DEC have registered the product for use - **the long terms health and environmental impacts have not been fully evaluated.**

Question - what was the first time ProcellaCor was used in a fresh water/drinking water deep wide open lake such as Lake George? Unless that answer is 30+ years, we don't have enough data to make an informed decision as to possible long term effects.

As far as I know, the effectiveness has been tested in shallow, contained areas. Lake George does not fit that criteria. Question - how can LGPC know the herbicide will not drift into other areas of the lake?

Until we know fully the long term health and environmental impacts, ProcellaCor should NOT be used in Lake George.

Sincerely,

Nancy Wolf-Fisher

Putnam Volunteer Fire Company (PVFC)
1st Quarter 2024 Report to the Putnam Town Board
April 11, 2024
Presented by D. Hayes, PVFC Secretary

2024 PUTNAM FIRE COMPANY OPEN HOUSE: THIS SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Staffing and Training

There are currently 11 members in the Putnam Volunteer Fire Co.. Eight members are Interior Firefighters, two are Exterior Firefighters, and one has completed the fire police course. Two members are certified EMT's and all members have current CPR certifications. Company members are expected to regularly refresh and update their skills through weekly drills and formal coursework led by NYS certified instructors. One of our exterior firefighters will be taking the Interior Fire Operations course this Spring. Our Chief, Doug Thatcher, is a NYS Fire Instructor who is certified in several subspecialties.

Emergency Responses

During the 1st quarter the PVFC received seventeen 911 calls, which can be broken down as follows:

EMS --- 8
Motor Vehicle Accidents in Putnam --- 2
Fires in Putnam --- 1
Fires in Ticonderoga --- 1
Fires in Crown Point --- 1
Power Lines Down --- 1
Standby in the Putnam fire station --- 1
Standby at the Ticonderoga fire station --- 2

To provide historical context a table is included as an Appendix to this report showing the number and wide variety of calls for emergency help the fire company has received since 2017. It is our mission to be an emergency service that is trained and equipped to respond to all hazards.

Budget Forecast, Expenditures, and Overall Financial Condition of the Company

We have enclosed as another Appendix the current version of our 2024 budget (revenues, forecasted expenditures, and actual year-to-date expenditures). The balance in our operating budget account as of the end of March was \$133,932.34. Monies set aside in previous years to put in our truck replacement fund are now directed to making annual loan payments of \$34,666.11 on our new fire engine. We are currently carrying two truck loans with total annual

payments of \$65,096.59, or 39% of our total budget. Final truck loan payments occur in 2028 and 2039.

Condition of the Fire Trucks

The PVFC has five fire trucks: two engine/pumpers and one water tanker for fighting fires and responding to motor vehicle accidents and hazardous incidents, one SUV (a Chevrolet Tahoe) for EMS calls, and one truck to take members and their gear to rescue scenes, including water and ice rescues. The latter truck was purchased from another fire company using funds donated by Putnam Town residents. During 2023, also using fundraising funds, we purchased a 20-foot boat to use in water rescues and were given, at no cost, a hovercraft from the North Queensbury Fire District to use with ice rescues.

All our trucks undergo regular servicing and NYS inspections. Our newest pumper arrived this past summer and replaced a truck that was 32 years old. It is short and has 4-wheel drive making it particularly suitable for reaching houses on narrow and unpaved roads, such as are found in the Gull Bay and Glenburnie areas. It carries 1250 gallons of water, compared with 500 gallons on the truck it replaced. Our next newest pumper is 11 years old, and our tanker is 22 years old. Our fire trucks collectively carry 5,000 gallons of water, which is needed because the Town does not have fire hydrants.

Condition of other Equipment

Our other emergency response equipment is in good shape. There is a need for annual inspections and replacement of hoses and air-packs, inspections of ladders and fire extinguishers, and calibration checks of air monitors. We are up-to-date on all of these and the future costs of doing these are built into each year's budget forecast.

Condition of the Fire Station Building and Grounds

The fire station has many maintenance needs but none of them are emergencies. All the basic systems, heating, septic, electrical, and water, are functioning properly. The maintenance concerns pertain to poor insulation, poor condition of the interior paint, and the poor condition of the interior walls. We also need additional space for our turnout gear and washer and dryer, which for health reasons should be in their own room but are currently located in the main truck bay. During 2024 we have set aside \$15,000 in our budget for building maintenance. In 2023 we hired a contractor to paint the walls in the main truck bay and installed a 26 KW standby generator for the firehouse. One of our goals is to make the firehouse a suitable place of refuge in case of a town disaster.

Communications to the Community

Each summer we send an annual newsletter to all Putnam property owners describing our activities during the preceding 12 months.

External Grant Applications

We received a \$24,000 FEMA-AFG grant in 2023 to purchase an extractor (washer) and dryer for our turnout gear. These have now been purchased and delivered to us and are

currently being installed. Also, in late 2023, we received notification that our application to DEC for a grant in the amount of \$5,000 for assorted equipment and hoses was approved. In early 2024 an application for a \$35,000 grant from the Firehouse Subs Foundation was submitted but, we recently learned, unfortunately was not funded. In February we submitted a new FEMA-AFG grant in the amount of \$61,500 for replacement fire hoses and nozzles. Finally, we recently received a \$1,000 grant from Sylvamo Corporation for 4 battery-powered portable high-intensity lights to be used when responding to night-time emergencies.

Fundraising Efforts

Our annual Chicken BBQ typically yields a small net income of around \$1,000. Our annual newsletter to the Putnam community is generally a more successful fundraising effort and usually yields \$10,000 - \$12,000 in donations to the fire company.

PVFC Incident Statistics

Prepared by D. Hayes -- Last Updated on 04/07/2024

Type of Incident	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 Thru March	% of Responses Since 2017
EMS	31	22	30	35	29	47	31	8	44.5
False & Cancelled Alarms	8	10	8	5	5	7	10		10.1
Motor Vehicle Accidents	5	5	4	2	5	12	8	2	8.2
Water Rescues	1		2	2	1	4	5		2.9
Ice Rescues	2			1		2	0		1.0
Other Rescues (hiking, snowmobiling, etc.)				1		0	0		0.2
Standbys at Ti Fire Station	4	9	8	5	10	2	2	2	8.0
Standbys at Putnam Fire Station					1	1	1	1	0.8
Standbys at Dresden Fire Station				1		0	0		0.2
Standbys at Whitehall Fire Station				1		0	0		0.2
Fires in Putnam		6	5	4	5	5	3	1	5.5
Fires in Ticonderoga	1	6	3	2	6	10	4	1	6.3
Fires in Dresden	1	1	1			3	1		1.3
Fires in Crown Point								1	0.2
Smoke	1	2		2	1	0	4		1.9
CO Alarms	1		1			1	0		0.6
Service calls (water in cellar, tree on road)	2		3			0	1		1.1
Hazardous Situations (Elec., Chem.)	1	2		1		0	0		0.8
Power Lines Down	1	1	2	5	10	7	2	1	5.5
Lightning strikes		1				0	0		0.2
Other		1				1	1		0.6
	CHECK THE % SUMMATION								
TOTAL # OF RESPONSES	59	66	67	67	73	102	73	17	524

