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PUBLIC WORKSHOP for Stillwater Hudson River Waterfront Revitalization Plan

Stillwater - The Town and Village of Stillwater are pleased to announce a public workshop to discuss the NYS Department of State (NYS DOS) funded Hudson River Waterfront Revitalization Plan. The workshop will be held July 7th (Tuesday) at 7:00pm at Stillwater Town Hall (881 Hudson Avenue). The public workshop is intended to be an opportunity to hear from Stillwater residents about economic development, recreation, and open space opportunities along the Hudson River, US Route 4, and Champlain Canal corridors. For more information about the Public Workshop, or about the Stillwater Hudson River Waterfront Revitalization Plan, please contact Paul Cummings at (518) 824-1930 or at pcummings@chazencompanies.com.

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Project Background: The Town and Village of Stillwater's Hudson River waterfront and Champlain Canal corridor are among its greatest resources. Recognizing the tremendous economic growth potential and quality of life opportunities these resources have to offer, the Town and Village submitted a NYS Consolidated Funding Application (CFA) grant to develop a clear revitalization vision and strategy for the area. Awarded in 2012, the Town and Village have created an advisory committee and conducted preliminary research of the study area. The Town and Village desire to create a series of land use, programmatic, and site-specific development recommendations that are intended to promote business development, new housing opportunities, improve infrastructure, provide new waterfront public access, conserve agricultural and cultural resources, and enhance recreation amenities. Once complete, the plan will include a detailed implementation strategy that will assist with specific funding opportunities, project leadership responsibilities, and priority levels.

All residents and interested parties are encouraged to participate as the Town and Village seeks to solicit public input on the future of Stillwater.