



**Department of
Environmental
Conservation**

Climate Justice Working Group Meeting

June 21, 2023

Meeting Procedures

- Meeting rooms will be muted to reduce noise
- Working Group members should raise their hand to indicate they would like to speak
- Please state your name before speaking for transcript purposes
- Remote participants should be on video with name visible per Open Meetings Law

Agenda



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1. Roll Call
2. Vote on minutes from 3/27/23, 4/6/23
3. Annual review of criteria
4. Draft Bylaws
5. Future Meetings
6. Next Steps





Roll Call



Approval of Minutes



Annual Review

Annual Review of DAC Criteria

NYS and technical team will:

- Monitoring developments in other regions
- Review indicators & methodology
- Assess availability of new data
- Track DAC criteria with an eye to assessing outcomes and implementation
- Make recommendations to the working group

*“The group will meet no less than annually to review the criteria and methods used to identify disadvantaged communities and may modify such methods to incorporate new data and scientific findings. The climate justice working group shall review identities of disadvantaged communities and modify such identities as needed.”
(ECL § 75-0111(3))*





Draft Bylaws



Future Meetings

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How Often Would You Like To Meet?

Quarterly **90-minutes**

- Easier to stay engaged

Triannual **90-minutes**

- Easier to schedule

Biannually **2-hours**

- Fewer meetings, more emails

Annually - **Full day**

- Not ideal



Next Steps



Questions?