

# MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES/HEARINGS

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## Notice of Abandoned Property Received by the State Comptroller

Pursuant to provisions of the Abandoned Property Law and related laws, the Office of the State Comptroller receives unclaimed monies and other property deemed abandoned. A list of the names and last known addresses of the entitled owners of this abandoned property is maintained by the office in accordance with Section 1401 of the Abandoned Property Law. Interested parties may inquire if they appear on the Abandoned Property Listing by contacting the Office of Unclaimed Funds, Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., at:

1-800-221-9311 (In New York State)  
(518) 270-2200 (Outside New York State)

or visit our web site at:  
[www.osc.state.ny.us](http://www.osc.state.ny.us)

Claims for abandoned property must be filed with the New York State Comptroller's Office of Unclaimed Funds as provided in Section 1406 of the Abandoned Property Law. For further information contact: Office of the State Comptroller, Office of Unclaimed Funds, 110 State St., Albany, NY 12236

## PUBLIC NOTICE Deferred Compensation Board

Pursuant to the provisions of 9 NYCRR, Section 9003.2, authorized by Section 5 of the State Finance Law, the New York State Deferred Compensation Board, beginning Monday, February 12, 2007 is soliciting proposals from Financial Organizations to provide active short term fixed income investment management, active intermediate term fixed income investment management and active core fixed income investment management in a separate account structure. Each separate account will be a portion of the New York State Deferred Compensation Plan's Stable Income Fund. The Stable Income Fund is offered as an investment option under the Deferred Compensation Plan for Employees of the State of New York and Other Participating Public Jurisdictions, a plan meeting the requirements of Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code and Section 5 of the State Finance Law, including all rules and regulations issued pursuant thereto. A copy of the request for proposals may be obtained from Linda F. Schlissel, Senior Consultant, Evaluation Associates, 200 Connecticut Avenue, Suite 700, Norwalk, CT 06854-1958, (203) 855-2260. All proposals must be received no later than the close of business on Friday, March 9, 2007.

## PUBLIC NOTICE Education Department

In accordance with the policy of the New York State Education Department to provide public notice of Regents Accreditation of Teacher Education (RATE) actions, the Department hereby gives notice that the Board of Regents has taken the following accreditation actions from February, 2006 through January, 2007. Accredite the teacher education programs offered by Keuka College, effective June 20, 2006, for a period beginning immediately and ending on June 19, 2009.

- Accredite the teacher education programs offered by St. Francis College, effective June 20, 2006, for a period beginning immediately and ending on June 19, 2009, with the condition that a focused site visit be conducted before March 14, 2008, with the condition that St. Francis College submit a compliance work plan, within 60 days from the action of the Regents, that addresses current progress, plans for continued improvement, and means of evaluating progress in (1) the formal collaboration structure between the education faculty and faculty in the Humanities, Social Sciences, and Science and Allied Health departments; (2) use and effectiveness of the recently completed Student Teaching Handbook in the areas of student placement and evaluation of field experience and student teaching; and (3) the incorporation of geography and literacy content into course curricula.
- Accredite the teacher education programs offered by the Elmira College, with the exception of the Visual Arts and the Speech and Language Disabilities programs, effective June 20, 2006, for a period beginning immediately and ending on June 19, 2009, provided that Elmira College submits an acceptable compliance work plan within 60 days from the action of the Regents. The compliance work plan must specify the steps, the targeted date, and the desired outcomes of each step to address (1) assessment of candidate achievement and teaching effectiveness of graduates; (2) means to use assessment data for program improvement; (3) formal collaboration with PK-12 schools and liberal arts and sciences faculty; (4) means to gather evidence of collaboration effectiveness (i.e., program revision); and (5) course syllabi reflecting rubrics and objectives.
- At its September 2006 meeting, the Board of Regents considered accreditation action of teacher education programs offered by Touro College, but deferred action pending further documentation of the College's satisfaction of RATE standards.

- Accredite the teacher education program offered by D'Youville College, effective September 12, 2006, with conditions for a period beginning immediately and ending on September 11, 2009, under the condition that D'Youville College adheres to its corrective action plan and addresses each area for improvement and concern of the site visit team, the PSPB, and the Department, with a focused site visit in fall 2007 and a full reaccreditation site visit in fall 2008.
- Accredite the Visual Art program and the Speech and Language Disabilities programs offered by Elmira College, effective December 5, 2006, for a period beginning immediately and ending on December 4, 2009, with the following conditions: (a) For each semester beginning with spring 2007, a majority of the credit-bearing pedagogical core courses in the Visual Arts program must be taught by full-time faculty; (b) The College must hire a doctorally prepared full-time faculty staff person in Speech and Language Disabilities or a related field within the three-year period; and (c) The Annual Report will provide information on the methods and outcomes of assessing graduate effectiveness and candidate achievements in the Visual Arts program and the Speech and Language Disabilities programs.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Education Department

The New York State Education Department is required by State regulation to provide timely public notice of Regents Accreditation of Teacher Education (RATE) site visits for the purpose of reviewing and approving teacher education programs for those institutions designating the Regents as their accreditor for teacher education purposes. RATE focused site visits will be conducted at Hobart and William Smith Colleges and Cazenovia College during early spring 2007.

Any person wishing to make comments on the review of the programs including their qualifications for accreditation may do so in writing. Comments will be accepted until March 31, 2007. Any comments should be addressed to Barbara D. Meinert, Coordinator of the Office of College and University Evaluation, by fax at (518) 486-2779, via email at [bmeinert@mail.nysed.gov](mailto:bmeinert@mail.nysed.gov), or by mail to the following address: Education Department, 89 Washington Ave., 5N Mezzanine, Albany, NY 12234.

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Any person wishing to make comments on the review of the programs including their qualifications for accreditation may do so in writing. Comments will be accepted until September 1, 2007. Any comments should be addressed to Barbara D. Meinert, Coordinator of the Office of College and University Evaluation, by fax at (518) 486-2779, via email at [bmeinert@mail.nysed.gov](mailto:bmeinert@mail.nysed.gov), or by mail to the following address: Education Department, 89 Washington Ave., 5N Mezzanine, Albany, NY 12234.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Department of Environmental Conservation

Pursuant to subdivision 5 of Section 23-1101 of the Environmental Conservation Law, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation hereby gives public notice of the following:

The Department has determined that public bids for the leasing of parcels of State land totaling 25.56 acres of Interstate 86 in the Town of Corning, Steuben County for oil and natural gas production is unreasonable and impracticable.

The Department intends to lease such lands to Fortuna Energy, Inc. for such purpose.

*For further information contact:* Charles Gilchrist, Department of Environmental Conservation, Division of Mineral Resources, 625 Broadway, 3rd Fl., Albany, NY 12233-6500, (518) 402-8056

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Power Authority of the State of New York Notice of Public Forum on Proposed Increase in Hydroelectric Preference Power Rates

Pursuant to the Authority's Policy and Procedures concerning Public Forums on Rate Proposals, the Authority will conduct a Public Forum to obtain the views of interests persons on a proposed increase in its hydroelectric preference power rates. Details of the Forum are as follows:

Date: Thursday, March 22, 2007

Place: Power Authority's Albany Office  
30 South Pearl Street, Albany, New York  
Board Room – 10th Floor

Time: 11:00 a.m.

Interested parties may receive documentation concerning the proposed rate increase and the relevant resolution of the Authority's Board of Trustees from the Corporate Secretary of the Authority at the address and phone number below. Authority at the address and phone number below. Individuals and organizations wishing to make statements at the Public Forum are encouraged to notify the Corporate Secretary of their intent to do so at least five days before the Forum and should provide the Authority at the Forum with 15 copies of any written statements concerning the proposal. All written statements will be made part of the record of the Forum whether or not presented orally in their entirety.

*For further information about the rate increase proposal or the forum, contact:* Anne B. Cahill, Corporate Secretary, New York Power Authority, 123 Main St., 15M, White Plains, NY 10601, (914) 390-8036, fax (914) 681-6949, e-mail: [anne.cahill@nypa.gov](mailto:anne.cahill@nypa.gov)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Department of State F-2006-1115 (DA)

Date of Issuance - February 14, 2007

The New York State Department of State (DOS) is required by Federal regulations to provide timely public notice for the activities described below, which are subject to the consistency provisions of the Federal Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended.

The applicant has certified that the proposed activity complies with and will be conducted in a manner consistent with the approved New York State Coastal Management Program. The applicant's consistency

certification and accompanying public information and data are available for inspection at the New York State Department of State offices located at 41 State Street in Albany, New York.

In F-2006-0115 (DA), the U.S. Coast Guard, 300 Metro Center Boulevard, Warwick, RI, 02886, is proposing to replace 240 linear feet of timber sheet pile bulkhead with steel sheet pile bulkhead and repair 10 linear feet of the existing steel sheet pile bulkhead. The proposal also includes removal of a jib crane, and replacement of four light poles. All work is located at the U.S. Coast Guard Station Eatons Neck in Northport, Suffolk County.

Any interested parties and/or agencies desiring to express their views concerning the above proposed activities may do so by filing their comments, in writing, no later than 4:30 p.m., 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, or, March 1, 2007.

Comments should be addressed to the Division of Coastal Resources and Waterfront Revitalization, New York State Department of State, 41 State Street, Albany, New York 12231. Telephone (518) 474-6000; Fax (518) 473-2464.

This notice is promulgated in accordance with Title 15, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 930.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Department of State  
F-2007-0038 (DA)

Date of Issuance - February 14, 2007

The New York State Department of State (DOS) is required by Federal regulations to provide timely public notice for the activities described below, which are subject to the consistency provisions of the Federal Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended.

The applicant has certified that the proposed activity complies with and will be conducted in a manner consistent with the approved New York State Coastal Management Program. The applicant's consistency certification and accompanying public information and data are available for inspection at the New York State Department of State offices located at 41 State Street in Albany, New York.

In F-2007-0038 (DA), the U.S. Coast Guard, 300 Metro Center Boulevard, Warwick, RI, 02886, is proposing to install stone rip-rap along the north bank of Esopus Creek to stabilize the existing concrete and timber bulkhead construction along the waterfront at ANT Saugerties. ANT Saugerties is located on the north bank of Esopus Creek, approximately 2000 feet from its confluence with the Hudson River, in Saugerties, NY.

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**SALE OF  
FOREST PRODUCTS  
NOTICE OF SALE**

Alleghany Reforestation Area No. 21  
Contract No. X006479

Pursuant to Section 9-0505 of the Environmental Conservation Law, the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation hereby gives Public Notice for the following:

Sealed bids for Sale of Forest Products - 796.1 MBF more or less of softwood sawtimber, 0.9 MBF more or less of hardwood sawtimber, 468 cords more or less of softwood cordwood, 6 cords more or less of hardwood cordwood located on Alleghany Reforestation Area No. 21, Stands 18, 21 & 59, will be accepted at the Department of Environmental Conservation, Contract Unit, 625 Broadway, 10th Floor, Albany, New York 12233-5027 until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 1, 2007.

*For further information (including billing) contact:* Greg Muller, Forester 1, Department of Environmental Conservation, Division of Lands and Forests, Region 9, 5425 County Rte. 48, Belmont, NY 14813-9758, (585) 268-5392

**SALE OF  
FOREST PRODUCTS  
NOTICE OF SALE**

Madison Reforestation Area No. 8  
Contract No. X005009

Pursuant to section 9-0505 of the Environmental Conservation Law, the Department of Environmental Conservation hereby gives public notice of the following:

Sealed bids for Sale of Forest Products - 9.7 MBF more or less of white ash, 9.4 MBF more or less of black cherry, 6.6 MBF more or less of hard maple, 1.2 MBF more or less of red maple and 56 cords more or less of hardwood firewood located on Madison Reforestation Area No. 8, Stand A-1, will be accepted at the Department of Environmental Conservation, Contract Unit, 625 Broadway, 10th Floor, Albany, New York 12233-5027 until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 1, 2007.

*For further information (including billing) contact:* Robert Slavicek, Supervising Forester, Department of Environmental Conservation, Lands and Forests, Region 7, 2715 State Hwy. 80, Sherburne, NY 13460-4507, (607) 674-4036

