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County Task Force on Water Resources Management Sponsors Public Presentation

"A Groundbreaking Analysis of Water Use in Rockland County"

Saturday, June 27, 2015 at 9 a.m.
Rockland Community College Technology Center/The Ellipse
145 College Rd., Suffern, NY 10901

New City, NY (June 23, 2015) – The Rockland County Task Force on Water Resources Management and Legislator Harriet Cornell, Chairwoman of the Task Force invite the public to attend the presentation by Amy Vickers, president of Amy Vickers & Associates, Inc. Ms. Vickers, a consultant to the Task Force, is a nationally recognized water conservation and efficiency expert, engineer and author of the award-winning Handbook of water use and Conservation: Homes, Landscapes, Businesses, Industries, Farms (WaterPlow Press). Ms. Vickers wrote the national water efficiency standards for plumbing fixtures adopted under the U.S. Energy Policy Act of 1992 and authored or co-authored several state and municipal laws, including: urban irrigation rules to reduce outdoor water waste.

Ms. Vickers will present her analysis of water production, leakage and customer usage based on data received from United Water and from public documents. This is the first time such an analysis has been done, and it will serve as the basis of a second study, which will provide specifics on how to capture "lost" water and conservation strategies.

For questions about the event, please contact Patricie Drake, Water Task Force Coordinator at: <u>DrakeP@co.rockland.ny.us</u>

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