



Natural Resources Highlights

Topography

East Greenbush has a maximum elevation of 672 feet in the northeast corner of the Town and decreases to an elevation at sea level along the Hudson River. Topography has historically been a defining feature of the development of the Town and changes drastically from the rolling hills in the east to the low-lying marshy areas in the western part of the Town.

Surface Water

Surface waters include all streams, lakes, rivers, and tributaries that make up a particular watershed. All land within East Greenbush ultimately drains to the Hudson River Estuary.

Ground Water

The Town shares a major aquifer with the Town of Schodack known as the Schodack Terrace and runs primarily along the Moordener Kill near the Town's eastern border and along both sides of Route 9 & 20, south of Route 4. Another major high yield aquifer is located between Route 9J and the Hudson River and runs from the City of Rensselaer south to the Town of Schodack. All properties located outside of the Town's General Water District rely on private wells that draw water from these aquifers.

For more information about natural resources in the Town see the Natural Resources Inventory [here](#).



PROJECT UPDATE

In Memoriam

We would like to extend our deepest sympathies to the family of Bill Perkins who served as Chair of the Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee. Bill was always available to offer ideas and insight about ways to build upon the strengths of East Greenbush. Bill was dedicated to his community and his contributions to the Committee and to the Town will be greatly missed.

Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee Meeting #6

The next Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee (CPSC) will take place on January 27, 6:00PM-8:00PM at the East Greenbush Town Hall. The Committee will focus on future land uses in the Town that will inform a Future Land Use Map. This map will serve as a guide for updating the Town's Zoning Code following the adoption of the Comprehensive Plan. The Future Land Use Map will be developed using input gathered from members of the public, CPSC, stakeholders and Town staff. The community will have an opportunity to provide input on the proposed future land uses and all of the proposed recommendations of the plan at the next public meeting this spring.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee Meetings

January 27, 2020, 6:00-8:00 PM, East Greenbush Town Hall
February 24, 2020, 6:00-8:00 PM, East Greenbush Town Hall

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