



# Nitrogen Coordination Work Group

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Attendees:**

Jim Ammerman, LISS/NEIWPC  
Mary Arnold, NYSDEC/NEIWPC  
Cassie Bauer, NYSDEC  
Tim Clear, VTDEC  
Emma Coffey, CTDEEP  
Melissa Duvall, EPA  
Richard Friesner, NEIWPC (facilitator)  
Arthur Johnson, MassDEP  
Kathleen Knight, CTDEEP  
Ester Nelson, EPA  
Leah O'Neill, EPA  
Vicky O'Neill, NYSDEC/NEIWPC  
Samarra Scantlebury, NYSDEC  
Kelly Streich CTDEEP  
Mark Tedesco, EPA  
Susan Van Patten, NYSDEC  
Tracy Wood, NHDES

**Nitrogen Coordination Work Group (NCWG)  
January 5, 2023, 1pm-2:30pm, Meeting Notes**

1pm	<p><b>Welcome/Introductions/Logistics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proposed agenda changes</li> </ul>	Richard Friesner
1:05pm	<p><b>Work Group Discussion Overview:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modeling Discussion: several modeling projects are ongoing, appropriate for a larger discussion:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Melissa, Richard, Sue, and Kate to meet independently and report back to the work group on making models more publicly available</li> </ul> </li> <li>Reviewed list of supplemental projects that pertain to this work group. Additional discussions about the Northfield, MA gauging station (USGS), land acquisition in NY support, and bioextraction.</li> </ul>	All as appropriate
2:10pm	<p><b>Executive Steering Committee Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussed upcoming meeting and it's agenda including monitoring in the watershed and the governance document.</li> </ul>	All as appropriate
2:25pm	<p><b>Meeting Schedule:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scheduled meetings are as follows:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>March 23, 2023, 1-2:30pm</li> <li>June 15, 2023, 1-2:30pm</li> <li>September 28, 2023, 1-2:30pm</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Richard Friesner

The Nitrogen Coordination Work Group is an opportunity for staff from the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection and New York State Department of Environmental Conservation with support from LISS partners to coordinate ongoing nitrogen reduction efforts in the Long Island Sound Study area.