# Cornell Cooperative Extension Dutchess County

## Municipal CAC/CAB and EMC 2024 Directory Information

**Instructions:** Please fill out **both** sections of the directory form completely.

The first section is the information that is shared in the public CAC & EMC directory that is updated annually. The second section is not part of the public directory and will not be shared with others. This information is extremely important so that CCE Dutchess staff can keep the CAC and EMC listserv up to date.

Please return this form along with the Annual Report form (page 2) to LaQuan, at <a href="mailto:lcr78@cornell.edu">lcr78@cornell.edu</a>, no later than Wednesday, February 14, 2024.

### Information for 2024 CAC & EMC Public Directory

### Contact information for the CAC/CAB/EMC that can be shared with the public

(This information should be for the main point of contact for the group and will be shared on the CCEDC website)

Municipality: Town of Dover

**Chair:** Evan van Hook

Email: hseev@live.com

**Telephone:** (845) 832-6111

**Council/Committee Meeting Time and Location:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month from September to June

Committee Website or Town Webpage: https://www.doverny.us/conservation-advisory-council

### Information for 2024 CAC & Listserv

### Contact information for CAC/CAB/EMC Members (include Name and Email):

(This contact information will only be shared internally with CCEDC and Dutchess County Planning staff. This document is not shared publicly. If for some reason a member is not comfortable sharing contact information this way, please still at least include their name as a member.)

Name (First & Last)	Email
Evan van Hook, Chair	hseev@live.com
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Greggory Mendenhall	greg@gbmendenhall.com
Tamar Roman	tamar913@gmail.com
Debra Kaufman	dkaufman8892@gmail.com
Katie Palmer-House	townclerk@doverny.us
Richard C. Yeno	supervisor@doverny.us

### Information for 2023 CAC & EMC Annual Report

### Municipality:

Person(s) completing this form: Evan van Hook and Katie Palmer-House

#### **Projects/Work Completed or Ongoing from 2023:**

- Awaiting DEC approval of sustainability chapter supplement to add to the Town's Comprehensive Plan Update
- Circulated and finalized draft commercial solar energy system legislation for impending adoption
- Added kid-friendly sensory garden (herbs and vegetables) to J. H. Ketcham Park Children's playground
- Collaborated w/ Dutchess Land Conservancy to prepare new interpretive signage for Dover Stone Church
- Maintained pollinator garden at J. H. Ketcham Park and added swing seating
- Obtained DEC permit and ordered new culvert for Nellie Hill Bridge replacement (TMR Watershed Mgmt. project)
- Collaborated with Dutchess Land Conservancy to map new trails to be blazed on Sevens Wells parcel
- Adopted moratorium on public utilities infrastructures and installations to develop and adopt legislation
- Collaborated with DC Transportation Council and volunteer committee to complete/adopt Dover Plains Pedestrian
  Plan for improved hamlet walkability, pedestrian and bicyclist safety and attended Complete Streets training

### Impacts/Outcomes/Successes:

Please see above

#### **Obstacles/Resources or Information Needed:**

None

### Plans for work/projects in 2024

- Submit Clean Energy Communities Benchmarking (Utilities Usage Data) High Impact Action for CEC Points
- Conduct community solar (subscription) campaign targeted to assist low-to-moderate income residents
- Submit Sustainability Chapter, Community Campaign and Benchmarking toward CSC Silver Level certification
- Identify and implement goals for Year 1 implementation of the Sustainability Chapter
- Continue to investigate/ implement ways to improve public access to the Ten Mile River at J. H. Ketcham Park
- Investigate implementing and adopting Complete Streets Policy
- Complete Municipal Clean Fleet Inventory for CEC and Climate Smart Communities Certification Points