



# Hudson River Valley Greenway

**KEVIN BURKE**

Chair  
Greenway Conservancy

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**SCOTT KELLER**

Executive Director

## Joint Boards Meeting Agenda

**June 14, 2023,**

**10:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.**

**Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Council  
Greenway Conservancy for the Hudson River Valley, Inc.**

**Greenway Heritage Conservancy HRV, Inc.**

**Maurice D. Hinchey Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area**

**Henry A. Wallace Center at the FDR Library and Museum**

**4079 Albany Post Road, Hyde Park, NY 12538**

- I. Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance**  
*Kevin Burke, Chair, Greenway Conservancy for the Hudson River Valley, Inc.*  
*Meg Downey, Chair, Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Council*
- II. Call Meeting to Order — Kevin Burke & Meg Downey**
- III. Welcome New Board Member— Kevin Burke & Meg Downey**  
*Senator Michelle Hinchey, Appointed to the Conservancy*  
*Assemblyman Christopher Eachus, Assembly Speaker Appointment to the Council*
- IV. Presentation: Introduction of the Greenway Trails Map – Scott Keller, Cody Arana, Dan Jeanson**
- V. Agenda Review and Board Member Comments on Agenda – Kevin Burke**
- VI. Approval of minutes of March 8, 2023, Joint Meeting of the Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Council, Greenway Conservancy for the Hudson River Valley, Inc. and Greenway Heritage Conservancy HRV, Inc. – Kevin Burke**
- VII. Greenway Conservancy for the Hudson River Valley, Inc. – Kevin Burke**
  - a. Call Conservancy meeting to order – *Kevin Burke*
  - b. Approval of Research and Monitoring Grant for HRNERR – *Scott Keller*
  - c. Designation of Peekskill Bay Greenway Trails, City of Peekskill, Westchester County – *Scott Keller*
  - d. Conservancy Trail Grants. Total amount: \$294,500– *Scott Keller*
    - *Columbia Land Conservancy, Columbia County, Planning to Improve the Trails at Greenport Conservation Area, \$20,000*
    - *Kingston Land Trust, Ulster County, KLT 2023 Rondout Uplands Trails and Parking, \$130,000*
    - *Town of East Fishkill, Dutchess County, Junction Loop Trail for Hopewell Junction Hamlet, \$100,000*
    - *Town of Sand Lake, Rensselaer County, Sand Lake Trail Plan 2023, \$15,000*
    - *Town of Yorktown, Westchester County, New Signage in Kiosks on Bridge Over Taconic Parkway, \$6,500*

- *Westmoreland Sanctuary*, Westchester County, Raptor/Ridge Trail, \$23,000
- e. AHET Trail Maintenance Conservancy Grants. Total amount awarded: \$12,500 – *Scott Keller*
  - *Columbia Friends of the Electric Trail*, Columbia County, AHET Trail Maintenance, \$12,500
- f. Adopt Budget – *Scott Keller*
- g. Adopt PARIS Budget and Financial Plan – *Scott Keller*

**VIII. Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Council – Meg Downey**

- a. Call Council meeting to order – *Meg Downey*
- b. Community Council Compact Grants. Total amount: \$7,500 – *Scott Keller*
  - *Town of Amenia*, Dutchess County, Land Use Law Update, \$7,500
- c. Community Council Grants. Total amount \$20,000 – *Scott Keller*
  - *Town of North Greenbush*, Rensselaer County, Community Profile and Housing Assessment of Comp Plan Update, \$10,000
  - *Town of Westerlo*, Albany County, Codification of Local Laws (Zoning Code Update), \$10,000

**IX. Maurice D. Hinchey Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area – Kevin Burke**

- a. Call Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area meeting to order – *Kevin Burke & Meg Downey*
- b. Heritage Area Development Grant Awards. Total amount: \$13,500 – *Scott Keller*
  - *Arm of the Sea Productions, Inc.*, Ulster County, Water! Paper! Power! A Saugerties Living History Project, \$6,000
  - *Parks and Trails New York*, Albany County, New York/Cycle the Hudson Valley, \$7,500
- c. Update on Reauthorization bill S-1942 – *Scott Keller*

**X. Executive Director’s Report**

**XI. New Business**

**XII. Upcoming Board Meeting Dates**

- Wednesday, October 11, 2023 at Boscobel House and Gardens
- Wednesday, December 6, 2023

**XIII. Adjourn**

**XIV. New Board Photo for Website**