

**Cayuga Lake Watershed
Contact Information to Communicate With Our Leaders, 2017**

- **Elected officials**
- **Water and waste staff at NYS DEC and US EPA**

Elected New York State officials representing the Cayuga Lake watershed

1. State and federal government

Governor Andrew Cuomo

The Honorable Andrew M. Cuomo
Governor of New York State
NYS State Capitol Building
Albany, NY 12224

Phone: (518) 474-8390

Send a message: <https://www.governor.ny.gov/content/governor-contact-form>

U.S. Senator Chuck Schumer

DC address:

HSOB - Hart Senate Office Building, Room 322
120 Constitution Avenue, NE
Washington DC 20510-3203

NY address:

780 Third Avenue Suite 2301
New York NY 10017-2054

Phone, DC office: (202) 224-6542

Email: <https://www.schumer.senate.gov/contact/email-chuck>

U.S. Senator Kirsten Gillibrand

DC address:

RSOB - Russell Senate Office Building, Room 478
2 Constitution Avenue, NE
Washington DC 20510-3205

NY address:

780 Third Avenue Suite 2601
New York NY 10017

Phone, DC office: (202) 224-4451

Email: <https://www.gillibrand.senate.gov/contact/email-me>

2. US Congressional Representatives for the Cayuga Lake watershed

Seneca & Tompkins Counties

US Representative Tom Reed

District: FH-NY23

Map of District 23:

<https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/NY/23>

DC office address:

RHOB - Rayburn House Office Building, Room 2437

50 Independence Avenue, SW

Washington DC 20515-3223

District office address:

89 West Market Street

Corning NY 14830-2526

Phone, DC: (202) 225-3161

Corning: (607) 654-7566

Cayuga County

US Representative John Katko

District: FH-NY24

Map of District 24: <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/NY/24>

DC office address:

LHOB Room 1620

Washington DC 20515

District office address:

71 Genesee Street

Auburn NY 13021

Phone, DC: (202) 225-3701

Phone, Auburn: (315) 253-4068

Email: <https://katko.house.gov/contact/email>

3. The New York State Assembly in the Cayuga Lake watershed

Tompkins & part of Cortland County

Assemblywoman Barbara J. Lifton

District: SH-NY125

Map of District 125:

http://www.latfor.state.ny.us/maps/2012a/AD_map_rep_125.pdf

District office:

106 East Court Street

Ithaca, NY 14850

Albany office:

LOB 555

Albany, NY 12248

Phone, Ithaca: (607) 277-8030

Phone, Albany: (518) 455-5444

Email: LiftonB@nyassembly.gov

Cayuga County along Cayuga Lake

Assemblyman Gary D. Finch

District: SH-NY126

Map of District 126:

http://www.latfor.state.ny.us/maps/2012a/AD_map_rep_126.pdf

Albany office:

LOB 448

Albany, NY 12248

District office:

69 South Street

Auburn NY 13021

Phone, Auburn: (315) 255-3045

Phone, Albany: (518) 455-5878

Email: <http://nyassembly.gov/mem/Gary-D-Finch/contact/>

North end of Seneca County along Cayuga Lake

Assemblyman Brian M. Kolb

District: SH-NY131

Map of District 131:

http://www.latfor.state.ny.us/maps/2012a/AD_map_rep_131.pdf

District Office:

607 West Washington St. Suite 2

Geneva, NY 14456

Albany Office:
LOB 933
Albany, NY 12248

Phone, Geneva: (315) 781-2030
Phone, Albany: (518) 455-3751
Email: <http://nyassembly.gov/mem/Brian-M-Kolb/contact>

**South end of Seneca County along Cayuga Lake
Assemblyman Philip A. Palmesano**

District SH-132
Map of District 132:
http://www.latfor.state.ny.us/maps/2012a/AD_map_rep_132.pdf

District office:
105 E. Steuben St.
Bath, NY 14810

Albany office:
LOB 320
Albany, NY 12248

District phone: (607) 776-9691
Albany phone: (518) 455-5791
Email: palmesanop@nyassembly.gov

4. The New York State Senate in the Cayuga Lake Watershed

**Eastern Tompkins County and upland watershed municipalities east
of Cayuga Lake**

Senator James L. Seward

District: SS-NY051
Map of District 51:
http://www.latfor.state.ny.us/maps/2012s/SD_map_rep_51.pdf

District office:
41 South Main Street
Oneonta NY 13820

Albany office:
172 State Street Room 430, Capitol
Albany NY 12247

District phone: (607) 432-5524

Albany phone: (518) 455-3131
Email: seward@nysenate.gov

Upland and southwestern watershed municipalities and City, Town of Ithaca

Senator Thomas F. O'Mara

District: SS-NY058
Map of District 58:

District address:
333 East Water St. Suite 301
Elmira NY 14901

Albany address:
LOB 307
Albany NY 12247

District phone: (607) 735-9671
Albany phone: (518) 455-2091
Email: omara@nysenate.gov

Cayuga County and Seneca County lakeshore municipalities

Senator Pamela Helming

District: SS-NY054
Map of District 54:
http://www.latfor.state.ny.us/maps/2012s/SD_map_rep_54.pdf

District office:
425 Exchange Street
Geneva, NY 14456

Albany office:
LOB 946
Albany NY 12247

District phone: (315) 568-9816
Albany phone: (518) 455-2366
Email: helming@nysenate.gov

5. County Legislatures

- **Detailed information provided here for the three lakeshore counties Tompkins, Cayuga, and Seneca.**
- **Links provided below for the three upland watershed counties Schuyler, Tioga and Cortland.**

Tompkins County Legislature**Michael Lane, Chair**

Governor Daniel D. Tompkins Building
121 East Court Street, Ithaca, New York 14850

Contact information for all legislators:

<http://tompkinscountyny.gov/legislature/legislators>

Phone: 607-274-5434

Email: legislature@tompkins-co.org

Cayuga County Legislature**Keith Batman, Chair**

160 Genesee Street #6B2
Auburn NY 13021

kbatman@cayugacounty.us

Phone: (315) 294-8070

Contact information for all legislators:

<http://www.cayugacounty.us/County-Government/Clerk-of-Legislature/Legislature>

Phone: (315) 253-1308

Seneca County Board of Supervisors**Robert Shipley, Chair**

Seneca County Office Building,
1 DiPronio Drive
Waterloo, NY 13165

Phone: (315) 539-1700

Contact information for all legislators:

<https://www.co.seneca.ny.us/minutes-agendas-laws-resolutions/contact-information-for-board-of-supervisors/>

Cortland County: <https://www.cortland-co.org/>

Tioga County: <https://www.tiogacountyny.com/>

Schuyler County: <https://www.schuylercounty.us/>

6. US EPA Region 2

The Cayuga Lake Watershed is in US EPA Region 2

Pete Lopez, Administrator

US EPA Region 2
Main Regional Office
290 Broadway
New York, NY 10007-1866

Contact information: <https://www.epa.gov/aboutepa/forms/contact-epa-region-2>

Region 2 Citizen Hotline/Help Desk, toll-free: (877) 251-4575

Information about EPA Region 2 key issues, news; access provided to archived webpages dated January 19, 2017:

<https://www.epa.gov/aboutepa/epa-region-2>

7. NYS Department of Environmental Conservation and the Cayuga Lake Watershed

Basil Seggos, Commissioner

NYS Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)
625 Broadway
Albany NY 12233-1011

Phone: (518) 402-8545

Email: <http://www.dec.ny.gov/about/407.html>

Hotlines, permits, licenses, etc: <http://www.dec.ny.gov/about/259.html>

Directory: <http://www.dec.ny.gov/about/556.html>

NYS DEC is divided into regions. The dividing line for regions 7 and 8 runs down the middle of Cayuga Lake.

Region 7 includes the east shore of Cayuga Lake in Cayuga County; Tompkins County, Cortland County, and Tioga County:
<http://www.dec.ny.gov/about/615.html> - Syracuse and Cortland DEC offices info provided at this link.

Region 8 includes Seneca County and Schuyler County on the lake's west side: <http://www.dec.ny.gov/about/617.html> - Avon DEC office info provided at this link.

If you contact one of the Albany-based DEC divisions below, they will route you to the correct local contact and assistance.

NYS DEC Waste Management:

David Vitale, Director

Division of Materials Management, DEC
625 Broadway
Albany NY 12233-7250

Phone: (518) 402-8652

Email: dmmweb@dec.ny.gov

Home page: <http://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/292.html>

NYS DEC Division of Water:

Mark Klotz, Director

Division of Water, DEC
625 Broadway
Albany NY 12233-3500

Phone: (518) 402-8233

Email: DOWinformation@dec.ny.gov

Division of Water information and links:

<http://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/290.html>

Finger Lakes Water Hub:

In 2016, the Finger Lakes Water Hub was established to focus water protection attention, research, monitoring and funding in the Finger Lakes Region. The staff of four is housed at the Syracuse DEC offices. Here is a 2017 presentation:

http://www.cayugalake.org/files/all/fl_hub_clwn_5-6-17_presentation.pdf

NYS DEC Mining and Reclamation:

Catherine Dickert, Director

Division of Mineral Resources, DEC
625 Broadway, 3rd Floor
Albany NY 12233-6500

Phone: (518) 402-8076

Email: dmn.info@dec.ny.gov

Division of Mining information and links, dealing with NYS' non-renewable energy and mineral resources:

<http://www.dec.ny.gov/about/636.html>