



## Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation

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### **State Parks Niagara River Greenway Standing Committee Meeting Cancelled**

The New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Niagara River Greenway Standing Committee (State Parks Standing Committee) will not meet on Wednesday, September 23, 2020 as previously announced due to lack of business. There are no projects to vote on.

Press releases will be sent with updates regarding each meeting and more information can be found at <https://parks.ny.gov/newsroom/meeting-notices/>.

The State Parks Standing Committee receives funds from New York Power Authority (NYPA) as part of a settlement agreement related to the 50-year license received by NYPA in 2007 for the operation of the Niagara Power Project. In addition to the State Parks Standing Committee, three other standing committees were created to disperse funds those groups received in other settlement agreements with NYPA. The other committees are: Greenway Ecological Standing Committee, Host Community Greenway Fund Standing Committee and the Buffalo and Erie County Greenway Fund Standing Committee.

The Niagara River Greenway Commission is a public benefit corporation established by Chapter 460 of the Laws of 2004, and charged with the planning and development of a greenway of interconnected parks, river access points and waterfront trails along the Niagara River from Lake Erie to Lake Ontario at the site of the historic Fort Niagara.

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To learn more information about the Commission visit <https://www.niagararivergreenway.com/>

For more information about NYPA and the relicensing of the Niagara project, please log onto <http://niagara.nypa.gov>