



# TOWN AND VILLAGE OF CLAYTON

## Village and Town of Clayton Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

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#### **Town and Village of Clayton Invites Community to First Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) Open House**

**Clayton, N.Y.** – The Town and Village of Clayton invites residents, business owners, and community stakeholders to attend a Public Open House to learn about the Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) Update. The Open House will provide an opportunity to share ideas, ask questions, and offer input on the future of Clayton’s waterfront.

The open house-style workshop will be held on Wednesday, March 4, 2026, from 4:00 – 7:00 PM at the Clayton Municipal Building, 425 Mary St., Clayton, NY 13624. This drop-in, interactive workshop welcomes community members to stop by anytime during the scheduled hours. There will be no formal presentation, but project team members will be available to answer questions, provide guidance, and hear your feedback.

Attendees will have the opportunity to explore displays with project information, maps, and hands-on activities. All ages are welcome, and a children’s activity table will be provided. Come by, learn about the project, and share your ideas at your own pace!

An (LWRP) is a long-term plan that outlines a vision for the waterfront. Developed through community engagement, the LWRP identifies future projects and programs and serves as a regulatory tool that tailors State coastal policies and local regulations to reflect community priorities. This LWRP is an update to the Town and Village of Clayton’s approved 2013 LWRP. Key objectives of the updated LWRP include expanding public access and connections to the waterfront, enhancing resiliency, and balancing recreational and commercial uses.

Public engagement is a key component of the project and fundamental to the implementation and success of the plan. Future public meetings and engagement opportunities will be announced on the project website, where community members can also sign up for updates and submit comments or ideas. Visit [www.claytonlwrp.com](http://www.claytonlwrp.com) for more information.

The LWRP is being prepared with funding provided by the New York State Department of State under Title 11 of the Environmental Protection Fund.

“The LWRP presents a valuable opportunity to create thoughtful policies for our waterfronts. Very often, the best ideas come from residents who have firsthand experience, and I encourage members of the public to share their ideas at our upcoming workshop.” – Mayor Nancy Hyde

“The waterfront is the heart of Clayton’s identity and community life. The LWRP will help shape its future to ensure it remains vibrant and is accessible and resilient for generations to come.” Tim Doney, Town Supervisor

The LWRP is being developed by the Town and Village of Clayton and guided by a Waterfront Advisory Committee. The process is being facilitated by a consultant team led by MJ Engineering, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Land Surveying, P.C. and supported by E.M. Pemrick & Company, and Andropogon Associates.