Newtown Creek Community Advisory Group Meeting Summary

February 20, 2018 | Brooklyn, NY

Meeting Overview

At its February 20, 2018 meeting, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Community Advisory Group (CAG) and the public heard updates on recent activities related to the Newtown Creek (Brooklyn/Queens, NY) Superfund Site (Site). Presentations included information on:

- Efforts to identify a neutral facilitator to run future CAG meetings.
- Sediment contamination data from Phase I of the Remedial Investigation.

The meeting provided opportunities for public questions and input on topics being discussed by the CAG. Presentation slides from the meeting can be found at https://newtowncreekcag.files.wordpress.com/2018/02/newtown-2_20_18_mtg_-presentation_draft_rev-6.pdf. A list of meeting participants is attached to the end of these notes.

For more information about the Site, please visit: https://newtowncreekcag.wordpress.com/ and https://cumulis.epa.gov/supercpad/cursites/csitinfo.cfm?id=0206282.

Meeting Participants

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