

Catskill Advisory Group, Meeting #18

October 27, 2021

Attendees, DEC staff: Katie Petronis, Mikaela Hameline, Peter Frank, Sara Hart, Bill Rudge, Jeff Rider, Josh Clague, Laura DiBetta

Attendees, CAG members: Adam Bosch, Adrienne Larys, Cathy Pedler, David Kukle, Christina Ricciardelli, Lisa M. Lyons, Markly Wilson, Melissa Abramson, Michelle Yost, Ramsay Adams, Warren Hart, Matthew Shook, Patrick Barnes

Guest participants: Cheryl Amrani and Mamie A. Parker (Mamie Parker and Associates), John Kelly (Acadia NP)

Welcome and introductions:

- Round robin introductions/ reviewed agenda.

Introduction to gap analysis

- Brief review of gap analysis folder on SharePoint, and gaps identified so far.

Work with Mamie and Cheri:

- Team building activity about emotional intelligence.
- Discussion between writing teams and other CAG members about revised Interim Report DEIJ language.
- Reviewed different aspects of the terms 'DEIJ.'
- CAG reached consensus on DEIJ language, except for DEIJ definitions and certain terms – to be finalized at next meeting.

Presentation by John Kelly of Acadia NP

- Presentation and Q&A about how Acadia NP is addressing increasing visitation, including fee structure, reservation and shuttle system, and outreach materials.

Next steps/homework for CAG:

- Send in bulleted items for gap analysis.
- Review and edit entire draft Interim Report.
- Send in comments regarding DEIJ definitions.