

ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS and REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES
ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS AGENDA
APRIL 26, 2022

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Supervisors McDevitt, Dickinson, Geraci, Braymer, Runyon, Seeber and Magowan- *Chair of the Board shall serve as an Ex-Officio member when needed in accordance with the Section C(4) of the Rules of the Board*

- I. Committee meeting called to order by Chair
- II. Approval of minutes of prior Committee Meeting
- III. Action Agenda/New Business Items:
 1. Request:
Rationale:
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- IV. Discussion Items: Dr. Nina Schoch, Executive Director at the Adirondack Center for Loon Conservation will be doing a presentation “*Conservation Through the Lives of Adirondack Loons*”
- V. Referrals/Pending Items:
- VI. Privilege of the floor and public comment (please allow for 15 second delay on live stream meetings)
- VII. Motion to adjourn

Attachments: Presentation overview

DR. NINA SCHOCH, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

A wildlife veterinarian and biologist, Dr. Nina Schoch has been studying loons in the Adirondacks since 1998. Dr. Schoch practiced small animal medicine from 1991-2002 and is a licensed wildlife rehabilitator. She is a member of numerous conservation and wildlife health related organizations, and has written many scientific and lay articles about the results of the Adirondack loon research. She received the 2018 Adirondack Research Consortium's Elizabeth W. Thorndike Adirondack Achievement Award, the NYS Outdoor Writers Association M. Paul Keesler NY Outdoor Citizen Award in 2011, and was inducted into the NYS Outdoorsmen Hall of Fame in 2014.

Here is an overview of the presentation:

“Conservation Through the Lives of Adirondack Loons” This presentation will provide a brief overview of loon natural history and behavior, threats affecting loon populations, and the loon conservation efforts of the Adirondack Center for Loon Conservation.

Here is info on the Adirondack Center for Loon Conservation:

The Adirondack Center for Loon Conservation is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting and inspiring passion for the conservation of Common Loons.

With the loon as our centerpiece, the work of the Adirondack Center for Loon Conservation encompasses scientific research; educational outreach; and conservation and management to help protect and support healthy populations of Common Loons in New York State and throughout North America.