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LOWER RARITAN-MIDDLESEX COUNTY
WATER RESOURCES ASSOCIATION
MEETING NOTICE

In accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq.; the NJ Water Quality Management Planning Rules, N.J.A.C. 7:15-1.1 et seq.; and the Emergency Remote Meetings Protocol for Local Public Bodies (N.J.A.C 5:39-1.1 through 1.7), this notice announces the meeting dates of the regularly scheduled 2021/2022 meetings of the Lower-Raritan Middlesex County Water Resources Association (LR-MC WRA) as the Watershed Management Group for the Lower Raritan Watershed (WMA 9). **These meetings will be held on the dates listed below and will be scheduled as virtual meetings commencing at 1:30 PM.**

June 14, 2021	July 12, 2021	August 9, 2021	September 13, 2021
November 8, 2021	January 10, 2022	March 14, 2022	May 9, 2022

Check the Water Resources Association webpage on the Middlesex County website for meeting agendas and for any updated information. **Members of the public may participate remotely by calling the following telephone number and entering the meeting ID and passcode, or via a direct link posted to the County website that participants can access to join the meeting directly:**

<u>Telephone Number:</u>	<u>Meeting ID:</u>	<u>Passcode:</u>
+1 929 436 2866	856 1814 0474	3407711070

For additional information see the Water Resources Association webpage at:

<http://www.middlesexcountynj.gov/Government/Departments/Transportation/Pages/Planning/Environmental%20Sustainability/Office-of-Planning---Division%20of%20Environmental%20Sustainability%20--%20Water-Resources-Association.aspx>

Other Telephone number options:

+1 301 715 8592 US	+1 346 248 7799 US	833 548 0282 US Toll-free
+1 312 626 6799 US	+1 669 900 6833 US	877 853 5247 US Toll-free
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Zoom meeting link:

<https://middlesexcountynj-gov.zoom.us/j/85618140474?pwd=TEVPQUtOM3UrWDICSG1vZ25lSIFXZz09>



The Lower Raritan-Middlesex County Water Resources Association (LR-MC WRA) may consider and take action on agenda items and all items that may come before the LR-MC WRA. Formal action may be taken by the LR-MC WRA on all matters that may come before it at the meeting. The LR-MC WRA may amend this schedule from time to time and may call special meetings. Notice of meetings shall be provided in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

The LR-MC WRA meetings include an opportunity for public comment and any member of the public wishing to participate in the meeting can do so during the public portion of the meeting. Members of the public will have the ability to speak during the public portion of the meeting as follows:

- Members of the public must press the raise hand icon to virtually raise their hand or if dialed in by telephone, must press *9 to virtually raise their hand to speak. When your hand is raised, you will be placed in the queue, or virtual line, to speak during the public portion.
- The moderator will ask participants with raised hands to unmute themselves. When this happens, the phone operator will instruct the participant to either click the unmute icon or to press *6 to unmute themselves, if joined by telephone.
- You will know when you have been unmuted, and it is time to speak when you hear the operator say, "You are unmuted."
- When a participant either yields their time or are told their allocated 5 minutes are up, they will be placed on mute by the moderator.

Alternatively, members of the public who are unable to attend or who do not have the means to participate in the teleconference, may still participate in the public meetings by submitting public comments in advance of the public meeting, by email or in a written letter form to the Middlesex County Office of Planning at planning@co.middlesex.nj.us. All emails and written letters must be submitted and received by the Middlesex County Office of Planning **no later than 9:00 AM of the corresponding Regular Public Meeting date** and **must** include the public member's **full name, address** and **matter** to which comments are being referred for the record.

All comments received will be read into the record during the Regular Meeting's Public Comment Portion and addressed by the Association if appropriate. Comments by members of the public, whether provided by audio during the meeting or submitted in writing in advance of the meeting, or a combination of both, shall not exceed the five (5) minute time limitation during the public comment period of the meeting.

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INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY.**

