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ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION 2024 Public Meetings

Community Advisory Council

The Environmental Management Commission (EMC) Community Advisory Council (CAC) is scheduled to meet on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>May 9</u>, <u>2024</u>, at 6:00 p.m. and on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>October 3</u>, <u>2024</u>, at 5:30 p.m. at the Welcome Center, Building 1805, West Outer Road, Camp Edwards on Joint Base Cape Cod (JBCC). The CAC is an advisory board comprised of community members to assist the EMC by providing advice on issues related to the protection of the water supply and wildlife habitat on the Upper Cape Water Supply Reserve (Reserve).

Science Advisory Council

The EMC Science Advisory Council (SAC) is scheduled to meet on <u>Thursday, May 16, 2024</u>, at 6:00 p.m. at the Simulation Center, Building 1206, West Inner Road, Camp Edwards and on <u>Thursday, September 12, 2024</u>, at 5:30 p.m. at the Welcome Center, Building 1805, West Outer Road, Camp Edwards on JBCC. The SAC is an advisory board comprised of scientists and engineers recognized for their expertise in the areas of public health, water protection, wildlife habitat management or land use management. The SAC assists the EMC by providing scientific and technical advice relating to the protection of the drinking water supply and wildlife habitat on the Reserve.

Environmental Management Commission

The EMC is scheduled to meet on <u>Thursday, May 30, 2024</u>, and on <u>Thursday, October17, 2024</u>, at 9:30 a.m. at the Welcome Center, Building 1805, West Outer Road, Camp Edwards on JBCC. The EMC consists of the Commissioners of the Department of Fish and Game; the Commissioner of the Department of Conservation and Recreation; and the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection. The EMC oversees and monitors the military and other activities, in accordance with Chapter 47 of the Acts of 2002, to ensure the permanent protection of the drinking water supply and wildlife habitat of the Reserve.

Joint Base Cape Cod Access: The EMC and Advisory Council meetings are open to the public. Entry to JBCC is through the Main Gate in Bourne only. Meeting attendees will be asked to show a valid ID at the security gate and may be asked the name and location of the meeting, for example: "Environmental Management Commission meeting at Building 1805." For more information, please contact Leonard Pinaud, EMC Environmental Officer at (617) 694-2644 or leonard.pinaud@mass.gov.