

EMC MEMBERSHIP

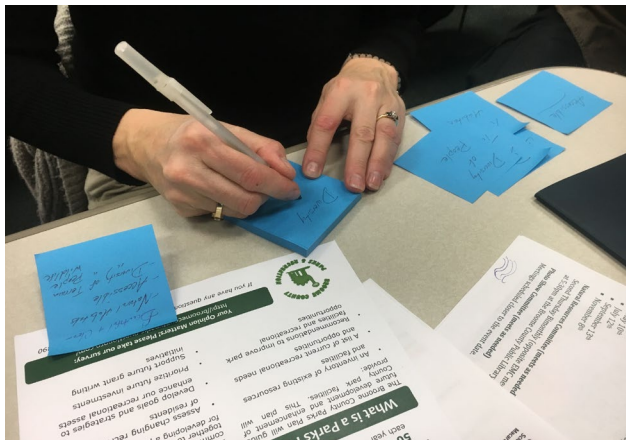
If you would like to take a more active role in the EMC, you can consider becoming a member-at-Large.

Members of the EMC are Broome County residents from all walks of life with knowledge of or general interest in local environmental and natural resources planning, issues, and policies.

Membership on the EMC includes:

- **15 Members-at-Large**
- **3 Student Representatives**
- **1 Representative from each Conservation Advisory Commission (CAC)**
- **Various representatives from County departments and partner organizations (non-voting)**

If interested in becoming an official member, start by attending regular EMC meetings. Once you have demonstrated interest, the EMC can recommend your appointment for official approval by the County Executive and Legislature.



CITIZENS SHAPING ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

BROOME COUNTY EMC

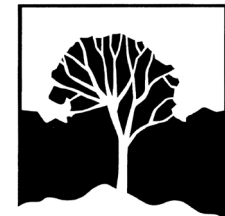
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**ENVIRONMENTAL
MANAGEMENT
COUNCIL**

WHAT IS THE EMC?

The Environmental Management Council is a citizen advisory board on environmental matters in Broome County.

Established in 1971, the EMC is tasked with advising County government on environmental policies and issues and providing a forum for public input. We do this through meetings and information sessions, prepared reports, plans and advisory resolutions, and special events.

In 2019, the EMC was designated as Broome's Climate Smart Communities Task Force. Through this role, the EMC helps guide the County's climate and sustainability efforts.

Topics include natural resource management, water resource protection, land use planning, sustainable development, clean energy and solid and hazardous waste management.



Stars Above Water by Christopher Fu
2018 JKLS Envi Photo Show, Honorable Mention

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

EMC meetings are open to the public and new participants are always welcome. Meetings are held typically on the fourth Thursday every month via Zoom. 2023 meeting dates are:

January 27 th	July 27 th
February 5 th	August 24 th
March 23 rd	September 28 th
April 27 th	October 26 th
May 25 th	No November Date
June 22 nd	December 7 th

Check us out online to keep track of meeting changes or other updates.

www.gobroomecounty.com/emc
www.facebook.com/broomeemc

You can also be added to the EMC mailing list by emailing us at:

emcbroomecounty@gmail.com



A Morning Snack by Tim Hill
2017 JKLS Envi Photo Show
Honorable Mention

SPECIAL EVENTS

The EMC also holds special events to encourage public participation and raise awareness about environmental and natural resources issues in Broome County.

RIVERBANK CLEANUP

The EMC hosts this event in the fall (end of September or early October). Groups designate a stream captain that works with local municipalities to identify locations in need of cleaning. The EMC works with your group to select a site, provides supplies, and arranges trash pickup.

Last Years Stats:

- 169 volunteers
- 12.62 miles covered
- 1.8 tons of solid waste removed

If you or your organization is interested in participating in our 2023 Riverbank Clean up email us: emcbroomecounty@gmail.com