Snapshot Day 10/2/07 Data (Salt Front RM 78.2) **RIVER MILE 102**

Saugerties Light House, Town of Saugerties, Ulster Co. **Betsy Blair, NYSDEC HREP**

Mary Henry, Woodstock Day School grades 5-10th – 37 students

Location: Saugerties Light house @ northern bank of peninsula **Area:** fishing, swimming beach, has a building with restrooms

Surrounding Land Use: Forested 60%, Beach 10%, Commercial (bed & breakfast)

10%, Marsh & Tidal wetlands 20%

Sampling Site: beach, altered banks years ago, covered with vegetation, collected

wood/debris in area, shoreline riprap at lighthouse.

Plants in area: South side 20% cover, north side 95% covered with plants

Water depth: unknown

River Bottom: sandy, weedy and rocky bottom

ITEM	Time	Reading 1	Reading 2	Comments		
Physical Physical						
Air Temperature	10:15 AM	65°F	12:30 PM	72°F		
Wind Speed	4-2 on beaufort					
Cloud Cover	Mostly cloudy in AM	Partly cloudy in PM				
Weather today	No rain - mild					
Weather recently	Hot and sunny					
Water	10:05 AM	20.1°C				
Temperature						
Water Calm	10:47 AM	20.9°C				
	11:20 AM	20.3°C				
	12:27 PM	21°C				
Turbidity secchi		1.23 meters				
Chlorophyll	11:30 AM	0.3				
Chemical						
DO	10:47 AM	6 mg/L	21°C	65%		
(ampules)						
pH – pH pen		8.1 8.1 8.3		8.2 avg.		
Phosphate						

Nitrate			0	0
Alkalinity	11:30 AM	190 mg/L		
Salinity	1 ppt			Drop count test
				kit
Fish Catch -	Number	Species	CPUE	Seine
50'seineX	Caught			
4 pulls				
	39	Banded		
		Killifish		
	4	Pumpkinseed		
	1	Hog Choker		
	1	Blue Crab		
	25	Mummichogs		
	1	Zebra Mussel		
TOTAL CATCH	70			
Tides				
	12:15 PM	20 cm	falling	
	12:30 PM	17 cm	falling	
Currents	12:15 PM			EBB
Traffic				
Other Items				