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# Conservation on EMC agenda

Bob Ingram, district conservationist, will discuss the Cayuga County Soil Conservation District's stream bank stabilization program at a meeting Thursday of the county Environmental Management Council (EMC).

The EMC will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Caucus Room 2, sixth floor, County Office Building.

Other items on the agenda include a slide presentation on polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) and an update on the county's wetlands restoration funding application.

Sampling done by Cornell University shows a relatively high PCB levels in lake trout taken in Cayuga from Cayuga Lake.

Federal standards allow five parts per million of the chemical. One nine-year-old female lake trout was found to have 30 parts per million.

The question is, how is the chemical getting into Cayuga Lake.

The slide presentation deals with PCB levels in Cayuga and Canandaigua lakes, as well as Lake Ontario and the Hudson River.

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