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The Hudson River Black - River Regulating District is now a contributing member of NY-ALERT, the New York State All-Hazards Alert and Notification web-based system of emergency notification. Through NY-ALERT, the Regulating District is able to create incident specific emergency messages and provide emergency information to a defined audience concerning the state's operation of river regulating reservoirs.

When unusual or extreme reservoir operating conditions are forecast or occurring, the Regulating District will issue an emergency notification statement concerning the operation of its reservoirs, or unusual flow conditions, resulting from the storage or release of water from Great Sacandaga Lake, Indian Lake, Stillwater Reservoir, Sixth Lake, and Old Forge Reservoir.

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- Click the <Sign Up for NY-Alerts> button in the left column of links.
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- Set-up personal account (name, password, email address).
- Click the <Create Account> button to complete account set-up.
- Use the *Sign Up Wizard* to complete the *User Profile* information.
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- At the "My-Alerts – Home" webpage click the <Add Routine Notifications> button near the bottom of the page to subscribe to notifications.
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