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**Community Café Invites Port Jervis Residents to Shape Flood Resilience Plans**

**Middletown, NY** – Port Jervis residents are invited to join their neighbors for a Community Café on Sunday, October 5th, from 1:00 to 3:00 P.M. at St. Peter’s Lutheran Church, 31 W Main St, Port Jervis, NY. This free community event offers a welcoming space for residents to discuss the impacts of flooding on homes, businesses, and community spaces while planning for a stronger, more resilient future.

An engaging activity will be available for children, and a light lunch will be provided.

Registration is encouraged but not required. Residents are encouraged to respond by Wednesday, October 1, by calling (845) 344-1234 ext. 274.

The Port Jervis Resilient Communities initiative is supported by the Open Space Institute and Cornell Cooperative Extension Orange County.

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A poster for a community cafe

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