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Dancing to Save the World's Water Global Water Dances June 14, 2025 Summer on the Hudson (River) NY 2025

On June 14th 2025, artists, environmentalists, and community members in more than 100 locations around the globe will come together to celebrate, reflect, and inspire solutions for protecting a beloved resource: Water. Since 2009, Global Water Dances New York has gathered choreographers and Environmental Advocates of NY, Riverkeeper, Sane Energy Project, H2ONY, Oceans, and with gratitude Ramapo Lenape Munsee leaders to focus on local NYC area water needs.

Any resident or visitor to NYC are invited to drop by and join in this enriching experience that aims to raise awareness of Water's importance in our world and how humans can help keep it clean and safe for all. We will have guidance for action from Environmental Advocates NY.

"Caring for the world's endangered water resources has become increasingly important in dealing with the threats of climate change. The dances, which will be recorded and live-streamed, are public and free of cost, outdoors, and near a body of water." said Vannia Ibarguen, Artistic Director of Global Water Dances. Martha Eddy of GWD-NY shares: "This is our 8th international event and 14 NYC events including Earth Celebrations on the Lower East Side and NYC Dance Parade. We are excited to have 3 NYC locations on June 14th among the 100 locations on 5 continents. We are responding to this call for action through the art of dance, joining dancers in communities around the world to perform the same choreography to the same music on one shared day while also highlighting our local water issues."

This year GWD-NY Summer on the Hudson partners with Musical Seeds. Below are just some of the other esteemed Choreographers and Dance Artists who will be involved:

**Art of Motion Dance Theatre (weather permitting)
with Lynn Lesniak Needle**

Wendy Joseph

Students from 92NY's Harkness Dance Center School of Dance

Rajyashree Ramesh

Karen Eubanks with Melanin in Motion

Jody Sperling/Time Lapse Dances



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Each choreographer brings a unique perspective to the theme of water appreciation and conservation while creating a cohesive performance that engages both participants and audiences in meaningful dialogue about local water issues affecting the New York region.

To learn more about this performance you can visit:

<https://www.nycgovparks.org/events/2025/06/14/global-water-dances>

<https://riversideparknyc.org/event/global-water-dances-2/>

Copy of this Press release here: <https://drmarthaeddy.com/somatics-and-dance/>

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*Global Water Dances is a program of the non-profit Laban/Bartenieff Institute of Movement Studies in New York, USA.