



Forestry Workgroup Meeting

Feb 7, 2024

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Chesapeake Bay Program

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9:00 **Welcome and Introductions-** *Kesha Braunskill, FWG Co-Chair, USFS*

9:10 **Watershed Resource Registry-** *Kathryn Barnhart, EPA*

Kathryn will present on the EPA Region 3's [Watershed Resources Registry \(WRR\)](#). The WRR is a unique tool that has the potential to consolidate some of the CBP GIS products for direct application to restoration work. Kathryn will provide an overview of WRR and discuss the potential for FWG members to get involved with improving WRR to better address workgroup interests and priorities.

9:30 **GIT Funded Project on Regional Tree Supply –** *Andrew Koeser, University of Florida*

Dr. Koeser will present an overview of the GIT-funded project on Addressing Regional Tree Supply Challenges and Opportunities, which is just getting started. There will be an opportunity to provide recommended contacts for focus groups on this topic via a follow up spreadsheet link.

9:50 **Tree Canopy Work Plan -** *Julie Mawhorter, USFS*

Julie will re-cap the Bay Program's Adaptive Management process (SRS-Strategy Review System) for the Tree Canopy outcome and solicit input on the recommendations from the *Chesapeake Bay Watershed Tree Canopy Funding and Policy Roundtable* - *which priorities should be elevated to CBP leadership in June?; which items would be good projects for our next two year workplan?* We will review and gather input on a first draft of the new 2-year work plan, building on the Roundtable recommendations.

10:45 **Round robin**

11:00 **Adjourn**