### **AGENDA**



# Open Session: Chesapeake Bay Program Partnership's Urban Tree Planting and Tree Canopy Expert Panel Stakeholder Forum

Wednesday, June 3, 2015 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

**Location** Joe Macknis Memorial Conference Room (Fish Shack)

410 Severn Avenue, Suite 117

Annapolis, MD 21403

### \*\*\* UPDATED Webinar & Audio Info (now via WebEx): https://goo.gl/vsEUgB \*\*\*

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### **Meeting objectives:**

- Provide context on this BMP review for urban tree planting and urban tree cover to stakeholders and expert panel members.
- Provide input to the panel in the form of presentations or discussion that will help inform their evaluation of water quality benefits – specifically nitrogen, phosphorus and sediment reductions – associated with urban tree cover and urban tree planting in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed. The input requested may address, but is not limited to: data, policy and regulations, experiences with implementation, or tracking and reporting credits.

1:00PM	Welcome and Introduction	Jeremy Hanson, Virginia
		Tech
	Call-to-order	
	Overview of BMP Review and Expert Panel Process	
1:20PM	Panel Introductions	Expert panel members
	Panelists will introduce themselves and briefly	· ·

describe their research and professional background.

### 1:40PM Stakeholder Presentations and Discussion

Interested stakeholders are welcome to present relevant data or experiences to the panelists. Presentations will be limited to 10 minutes followed by 5 minutes of Q&A and discussion. Due to limited space on the agenda, presentations will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. If interested in presenting, RSVP using the link below and identify yourself as a presenter no later than May 19. Presentations must be provided to Jeremy Hanson (jchanson@vt.edu) by May 27. Please note all presentations will be posted to the online calendar entry

http://www.chesapeakebay.net/calendar/event/22656

Pre-registered presenters

#### 2:40PM Break

## 2:50PM Stakeholder Presentations and Discussion

Please note that depending on the final number of presentations the meeting may be adjourned early, at the discretion of the Panel Chair (Neely Law) and Panel Coordinator (Jeremy Hanson).

Pre-registered presenters

4:00PM Adjourn

### PLEASE REMEMBER TO RSVP

As of May 19<sup>th</sup>, we are at or near capacity for space at the venue, so please contact Jeremy directly to see if space is available. Presentations can now be made remotely. Any presentations should be provided to Jeremy by close of business on May 27<sup>th</sup>. RSVP here: http://goo.gl/forms/oVLLrAkr|Y

Anyone is welcome to join the webinar the day of the meeting, but it is helpful to RSVP for planning and follow-up purposes.

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### **Entering the conference room**

The conference room (Suite 117) is located in the green building at the City Marina (410 Severn Avenue). The doors automatically lock and cannot be propped open or unlocked. If nobody is there to let you in you can ask for assistance at the front desk in Suite 112, which is not locked.

Other questions? Contact Jeremy Hanson: 410-267-5753, jchanson@vt.edu