

Urban Stormwater Workgroup Meeting

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Call-in Number: 866-299-3188; code: 267-5715

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10:00 Welcome and Review of February Meeting Minutes. Norm Goulet, NVRC Attach A

10:05 Announcements

- Floating Treatment Wetlands Update, T. Schueler
- Impervious Cover Disconnection, J. Hanson
- Urban Tree Canopy, J. Hanson

10:15 CMAC Update Norm Goulet, NVRC

Norm will give a brief update on where the USWG deciding members stand on the CMAC proposal which was discussed at several of the last few workgroup meetings. He will also explain the next steps for feeding the proposal through the CBP channels.

10:30 Proposed Nutrient Removal Credits for Self-Converted Dry Detention Ponds.

Michael Pieper & Colin Hill, KCI Technologies, Inc. Attach B-C.

Results of Baltimore County's self-converted dry detention pond study will be discussed with a comparison of the pollution removal efficiencies of the self-converted ponds to the control ponds and the removal credits currently provided in the NPDES/TMDL framework.

11:00 Urban Agriculture in the Chesapeake Bay. Brian Hazelwood & Liz Deardorff, American Rivers. Attach D.

Liz and Brian will provide an overview of American Rivers' new report "Urban Farms: A Green Infrastructure Tool for the Chesapeake Bay". As part of the discussion, they will identify research gaps and examine how urban communities can increase urban agriculture activity while managing stormwater through best practices and supporting policies, and provide opportunity to meet Chesapeake Bay objectives.

11:30 MS4 Needs Survey Results. Cecilia Lane, Chesapeake Stormwater Network, Attach E. Cecilia will debut select results from the Chesapeake Stormwater Network's 2016 MS4 Needs Survey.

11:45 May USWG Agenda Item Planning. N. Goulet

12:00 Adjourn.

List of Attachments:

- Attachment A: February 2016 USWG Meeting Minutes
- Attachment B: Pollutant Removal Efficiency of Self-Converted Dry Detention Ponds Final Report
- Attachment C: Proposed Nutrient Removal Credits for Self-Converted Dry Detention Ponds
- Attachment D: Urban Farms: A Green Infrastructure Tool for the Chesapeake Bay Final Report
- Attachment E: MS4 Needs Survey Preliminary Results