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Agenda
Chesapeake Bay Program
Forestry Workgroup (FWG) Meeting

Conference Call
August 5th, 2015, 9:00 AM – 10:40 AM

Conference Line: 888-844-9904, **Code:** 680-2405#
Adobe Connect: <https://epa.connectsolutions.com/fwg/>

9:00 Welcome and introductions

Rebecca Hanmer, Chair

9:10 Discussion on GIT funding and proposals

Sally Claggett & Julie Mawhorter

Last year EPA provided funding to support projects that the partnership's Goal Implementation Teams identified as valuable to their work. This year EPA is providing funding again for projects that support program goals, outcomes, management strategies and workplans. This is a great opportunity for the FWG, under the Water Quality Goal Implementation Team, to submit project proposals.

Sally and Julie will review the FY15 GIT funding timeline and process. They will also work on developing drafts before the meeting to be shared with the FWG during the conference call.

Attachments:

- GIT Funding Timeline and Process FY15
- FY15 Project Proposal Form

9:40 Round robin updates

All

10:00 Update and decision on Urban Forest land uses

Neely Law & Jeremy Hanson

The Urban Tree Planting/Expanded Tree Canopy Expert Panel has begun making urban forest land use recommendations to be included in Phase 6 of the Chesapeake Bay Watershed Model. There are several recommendations that require the FWG's attention. Neely Law, Chair of the Urban Tree Planting/Expanded Tree Canopy Expert Panel, and Jeremy Hanson, Expert Panel BMP Assessment Project Coordinator, will join us to provide an update and discuss.

10:20 Workplan updates and future meetings

Sally Claggett

Sally will share the latest and final workplan template as well as other workplan updates and future meeting details.

Attachments:

- Workplan Template (7-16-15)

10:40 Adjourn