Local Leadership Workgroup

(Lightening updates to keep you up to speed!)

Goal Implementation Team (GIT) Funding Projects

- Implementation Support for Local Watershed Education and Capacity Building
 - Support for rolling out the educational modules
 - Reached an estimated 1500 local government elected officials and staff in 2021
 - Wrapping up at the end of 2021
- Planning for Clean Water: Local Government Workshops
 - Phase I Stakeholder Assessment is complete
 - Phase II Workshops:
 - Six webinars in Jan June 2022 with the MidAtlantic Planning Collaboration
 - Three half-day workshops at American Planning Association (APA) State Chapter Conferences in 2022
 - Session at National APA conference in 2023
- A Local Government Guide to the Chesapeake Bay: Phase II
 - Proposal in to Chesapeake Bay Program
 - Will hear back in the next month about whether or not this project will be funded

Misc. Updates

- Local Leadership Workgroup (LLWG) Vice Chair/Chair
- LLWG member and interested party survey → coming in December 2021!
- LLWG meeting dates, themes and format for 2022
 - Tuesday February 22nd morning, virtual, theme TBD
 - Tuesday May 3rd all day, in-person, A Local Government Guide to the Chesapeake Bay
 - Tuesday August 30th morning, virtual, theme TBD
 - Tuesday November 15th morning, virtual, two-year review

Shout-outs!

- Rivanna River Basin Commission: Michelle Edwards, Justin Williams
- MML/MACo How Your Watershed Works: Justin Fiore, Dominic Butchko, Kathy Stecker
- Webinar on American Rescue Plan: Opportunities to Fund Water Infrastructure Priorities: Chris McDonald, Mitchell Smiley, Justin Fiore, Dominic Butchko, Leslie Gervasio, Ashley White, John Maleri
- Planning for Clean Water: Local Government Workshops Steering Committee: Matthew Pennington, Michelle Edwards, Pam Shellenberger, Heidi Bonnaffon, Jennifer Starr

Thank you!