



Delaware Nonpoint Source Program
Biennial Partnership Meeting
May 3, 2023
Agenda

- 8:30AM Arrive & Breakfast**
- 9:00AM Welcome, Introductions, & Conservation Programs Section Updates**
Ben Coverdale, DNREC, Division of Watershed Stewardship, NPS Program
Jenna Talbot, DNREC, Division of Watershed Stewardship, CPS Program
Joe Schell, DNREC, Division of Watershed Stewardship, CPS Program
- 9:30AM Green Technology BMPs, A Model for Stormwater BMPs, and DBG's Outreach & Education Initiative**
Stephen Pryce-Lea and Carol Bason, Delaware Botanic Gardens
- 9:50AM Tree for Every Delawarean Initiative (TEDI)**
Catie Soriano, DNREC, Division of Climate, Coastal, and Energy
- 10:10AM Delaware's Urban and Community Forestry Program**
Taryn Davidson, Delaware Department of Agriculture, Forestry Program
- 10:30AM Living Shorelines, Reforestation Projects, Future Initiatives & BMP Implementation Challenges Faced from an NGO Perspective**
Michelle Schmidt and Meghan Noe-Fellows, Delaware Center for the Inland Bays
- 10:50AM Break (10:50AM – 11:00AM)**
- 11:00AM Drainage Water Management – Project Implementation in Delaware's Chesapeake Bay Watershed**
Tim Rosen, ShoreRivers
- 11:20AM Expanding the Vegetative Environmental Buffer Program at Delmarva Chicken Association**
Holly Porter, Delmarva Chicken Association

- 11:40AM** **Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP) Update**
Patti Webb, DNREC Division of Watershed Stewardship, NPS Program
- 11:50AM** **Lunch & Networking**
Afternoon sessions begin at 1:00PM
- 1:00PM** **Driftwatch Specialty Crop Site Registry – Helping to Protect Specialty Crops & Pollinators from Pesticide Exposure**
Drexel Siok, Delaware Department of Agriculture Pesticide Compliance Program
- 1:20PM** **Delaware Targeting and Planning Tool (DTAP)**
Brittany Sturgis, DNREC Watershed Assessment and Management Section
- 1:40PM** **University of Delaware Grant Assistance Program (GAP)**
Chase Barnes, University of Delaware Institute for Public Administration
- 2:00PM** **Break (2:00PM – 2:10PM)**
- 2:10PM** **Reforestation Project in the Appoquinimink River Watershed**
Brigham Whitman, Delaware Wild Lands
- 2:30PM** **Delaware Living Shoreline Cost Share Program**
Kayla Clauson, DNREC Watershed Assessment and Management Section
- 2:50PM** **Cooperation in Action – Leveraging State Drainage Funds & Federal Water Quality Grants for BMP Implementation**
Tyler Brown, DNREC Division of Watershed Stewardship, Drainage Program
- 3:10PM** **Closing Remarks**
Ben Coverdale, DNREC Division of Watershed Stewardship, NPS Program
- 3:30PM** **Adjourn**

