



**Central Maryland WIP Regional Workshop  
Agenda  
November 18, 2013  
Overhills Mansion, 916 South Rolling Road, Catonsville, MD 21228**

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| <b>9:15 am</b>          | <b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>10:00 am</b>         | <b>Welcome</b><br>Hughes Center for Agro-Ecology, Inc. Staff                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>10:00 – 10:25 am</b> | <b>Introductory Remarks</b><br>Jim George, PhD, Program Manager, Water Quality Protection & Restoration, MDE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>10:25 – 11:00 am</b> | <b>Urban Nutrient Management Program</b><br>Jo Mercer, Ed.D., Program Manager, Nutrient Management Program, MDA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>11:00 – 11:45 am</b> | <b>SMART Tool Hands On Presentation</b><br>Krisztian Varsa, Northern Maryland Watershed Restoration Specialist, Maryland Sea Grant Extension Program                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>11:45 am – 12:10</b> | <b>BMP Efficiency and Costs</b><br>Jim George                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>12:10 – 12:50 pm</b> | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>12:50 – 1:50 pm</b>  | <b>Engaging Your Community in Projects</b><br><br><b>The Antietam Conservation Project</b><br>Alex Reed, Watershed Specialist, Washington County Division of Environmental Management<br><br><b>Community Greening (including Green Infrastructure capital projects and Watershed 263 issues)</b><br>Valerie Rupp, Community Greening Manager, and Christina Bradley, Green Infrastructure Project Manager, Parks and People Foundation |
| <b>1:50 – 2:10 pm</b>   | <b>Question and Answer</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |

**2:10 – 3:00**

**Communication Tools**

Deb Kleiner, Communications Manager, Choose Clean Water Coalition

Steve Raabe, Founder and President, Opinion Works

**3:00 – 3:15 pm**

**Question & Answer**

**3:15 – 3:30 pm**

**Wrap Up of Meeting**

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