



**Habitat Goal Implementation Team Fall 2019 Meeting**  
**November 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**Columbia Crossing Center**  
**41 Walnut Street, Columbia, PA 17512**  
**Conference Line: +1 929-205-6099   Conference Code: 206 058 719**  
**Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/206058719>**

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**Wednesday, November 6th**

**10:00 am      Welcome, Introductions, Expectations**  
*Bill Jenkins (EPA) and Christine Conn (MD DNR)*

**10:20 am      “Showcase” of Updated Work Planned for 2020-21**  
*Workgroup Chairs will each have 15 minutes to highlight how their groups have adapted their work to changing needs, followed by 5 minutes to field questions from HGIT members before seeking their approval on submitting these to the Management Board.*

1. **Stream Health** – Matt Meyers, Fairfax County
2. **Fish Habitat** – Gina Hunt, MD DNR
3. **Fish Passage**– Mary Andrews, NOAA Restoration Center
4. **Brook Trout**– Steve Faulkner, USGS Leetown Science Center
5. **Wetlands**– Pam Mason, Virginia Institute of Marine Science

**12:00 pm      Lunch**

**1:00 pm      STAC Workshop: Microplastics in the Chesapeake Bay and its Watershed: State of the Knowledge, Data Gaps and Relationship to Management Goals – Results and Actions Going Forward**  
*Matt Robinson, District of Columbia Department of Energy & Environment (DOEE)*

**1:45 pm      GIT Chairs Meeting Outcome and Updates**  
*Kristin Saunders, EPA Chesapeake Bay Program Office*

**2:00 pm      CBP Data Dashboard Demonstration**  
*Emily Trentacoste, EPA Chesapeake Bay Program Office*

- 2:45 pm**      **Break**
- 3:00 pm**      **Chesapeake Bay Watershed Land Use: The Next Generation**  
*Peter Claggett, CBP Land Use Workgroup Coordinator*
- 3:45 pm**      **Documenting and Protecting Wild Trout Populations in PA**  
*David Kinney, Trout Unlimited*
- 4:05 pm**      **Pennsylvania Water Quality Assessment and Restoration Story Maps**  
*Jill Whitcomb, Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection*
- 4:20 pm**      **Action Items and Wrap Up**
- 4:30 pm**      **Adjourn**

**Thursday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**

*Field trip to Big Spring Run Legacy Sediment Removal and Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration project site in Lancaster, PA.*

Address: 1343 Gypsy Hill Road, Lancaster PA

- 9:00 am**      Meet at Big Spring Run project site for briefing with project managers and landowners. Gear up and walk to the site.
- 9:15 am**      Discussion/presentation
- 10:00 am**      Exploring/walking around the site
- 10:30 am**      Follow-up discussion
- 10:45 am**      Load up and leave
- 11:00 am**      Adjourn for travel home

\*This visit will include a chance to walk around the restored site, so waterproof boots are recommended. Participants are responsible for bringing their own water. Bathroom facilities are not available at the site. \*