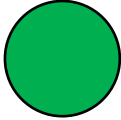
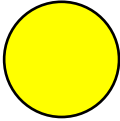
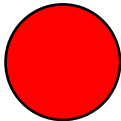


Local Leadership Workgroup

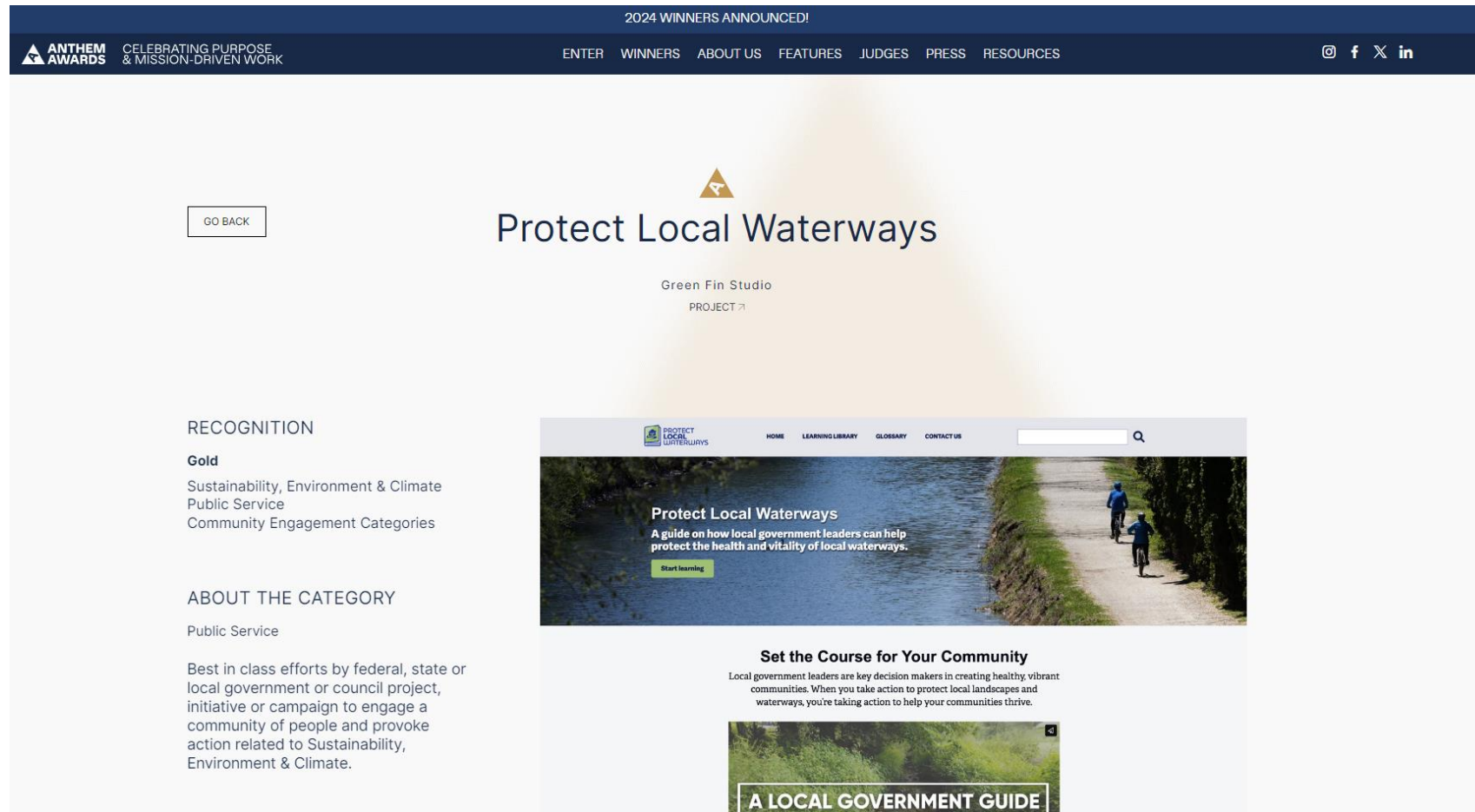
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Local Leadership Logic and Action Plan

- On track or complete – 14 actions 
- Risk of Getting Off-Track – 0 actions 
- Off Track – 0 actions 

*We are one year into
our workplan, which
ends in February 2025*

Recently Completed and Shout-outs!



- Protect Local Waterways is now an AWARD-WINNING website! Congrats to the Chesapeake Bay Program Web Team and Green Fin Studios!

Upcoming Programming

- Virginia Municipal League (VML) magazine article on the Chesapeake Bay cleanup effort – March 2024. [Thanks Mitchell Smiley!](#)
- New York Conference of Mayor's (NYCOM) Webinar Series on Water – March 2024. [Thanks Lauren Townley!](#)
- Possible Peer to Peer in the District of Columbia in Spring 2024. [Thanks Julia Wakeling!](#)
- Roundtable discussions throughout the watershed (June)

Upcoming Programming

- *Wandering Delmarva's Waterways* – April 4th – 5th. Thank you to all of the MD, DE and VA LLWG members who provided input and to the LGAC members who will be helping to host the tour!
- Stops/Topics include:
 - Poultry farm with conservation practices
 - Saltwater intrusion on agricultural land
 - Agritourism on a dairy farm
 - Inland flooding and tax ditches
 - Land preservation

JOIN US ON THE
WANDERING WATERWAYS BUS TOUR
DELMARVA




Photo courtesy of the Chesapeake Bay Program

The Local Government Advisory Committee is pleased to host this FREE tour
Delmarva has a distinctive rural character with deep agricultural roots and strong ties to the water.

It's a place where local governments have more in common with their neighbors across state lines than with communities across the Chesapeake Bay.

- Join local elected officials from across the peninsula
- Meet poultry farmers and leading conservationists
- See the damage of flooding and saltwater intrusion
- Collaborate to support a strong agricultural economy and healthy environment

Click [HERE](#) to register. If you have any questions, please email pbohnsack@allianceforthebay.org

April 4th - 5th 2024

Local Government Advisory Committee MD DE VA WCo CAMPBELL VMI MARYLAND COUNTIES ALLIANCE for the Chesapeake Bay

Quarterly LLWG Meetings

- February 20th Meeting:

- ✓ Learn about the 'Beyond 2025' effort to plan for the future of the partnership and watershed agreement
- ✓ Provide feedback on the vision/goals of the program and barriers to achieving them, from a local government perspective
- ✓ Prepare to launch the second round of the Local Leadership Survey

- Next LLWG Meeting: Tuesday May 14th 9am - 5pm (in-person)

Misc.

- Staffing updates – welcome Erin! New coordinator coming soon.
- Local Leadership Survey → sent out to local officials on April 8th via trusted sources (municipal leagues and county associations)
- Save the Date: Chesapeake Bay Awareness week runs June 1st – 9th, 2024

Thank you!