

# Coordinator updates

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Tree planting in Wardensville, WV, 2018 <a href="https://flic.kr/p/25aAEB6">https://flic.kr/p/25aAEB6</a> Photo by Will Parson, Chesapeake Bay Program



# Welcome, Petra!

Our new WQGIT Staffer, her portfolio includes the WQGIT, plus the Urban Stormwater, Wastewater Treatment, and Toxic Contaminants Workgroups.



Since our March WQGIT meeting: 2x MB meetings and 1 PSC meeting, Ag Advisory Committee had its first meeting

Applications are due by **noon, May 13<sup>th</sup>** to NFWF for SWG and WILD programs

#### News & Reminders

See the agenda for more items, including the new Acid Mine Drainage technical review from STAC

Coming soon: quarterly WQGIT newsletter

### Workgroup Updates (source sectors)

open to Chairs or Coordinators to add more
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Wastewater	Workgroup approved methods of use of non-sig WWTP data for P6 CAST and P7 development and confirmed at-large members
	Next meeting: Joint w/ USWG on May 20, 10AM
Forestry	Met April 2 <sup>nd</sup> and continued to discuss outcome revisions
	Next meeting May 14 <sup>th</sup> , 9AM — 11 AM
Agriculture	Met April 17 <sup>th</sup> , they <b>approved</b> PA DEP's_guidance document for remote sensing-based verification of tillage BMPs. The AgWG strategic planning continues and a draft prioritization document is out for feedback.
	Next meeting May 15 <sup>th</sup> 10AM — noon
Urban Stormwater	Canceled April meeting
	Next meeting: May 20, Joint w/ WWTWG

# Workgroup Updates (others)

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Watershed Technical	Met April 3 and heard a proposed change to the methods for the application of upland buffer credit for Phase 7. Discussion will continue at the May AgWG before returning to the WTWG in June for decision.
	Next meeting May 1 <sup>st</sup> , 10am-12
Toxics	Met April $9^{th}$ and discussed outcome revisions and potential future topics
	PFAS quarterly is May 14 <sup>th</sup> at 1PM
Federal Facilities	Met April 8 <sup>th</sup>
	Next meeting June 10, 10AM – noon
Land Use	Met on March 19; Heard presentations on the recommendations for the Phase 7 rollup, results of the accuracy assessment for the 2024 LULC data, and the forecast overview for Phase 7
	Next meeting June 18 <sup>th</sup>
Milestones	Met April 7 <sup>th to</sup> discuss key elements to include in a Near Term Milestones Expectations document. Feedback was compiled and sent out to group members to review.
	Next meeting TBD in May