

ChesapeakeProgress:Communicating Watershed Agreement Funding

A Presentation to the Budget and Finance Workgroup I Jan. 25, 2017



FUNDING

A need-to-know item for the oversight groups that track our progress toward the Chesapeake Bay Watershed Agreement

THE CHESAPEAKE BAY RESTORATION SPENDING CROSS-CUT

Helps us take a big step forward in reporting state and federal funding...



...in spite of its caveats.

WE NEED FEEDBACK FROM OUR SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS

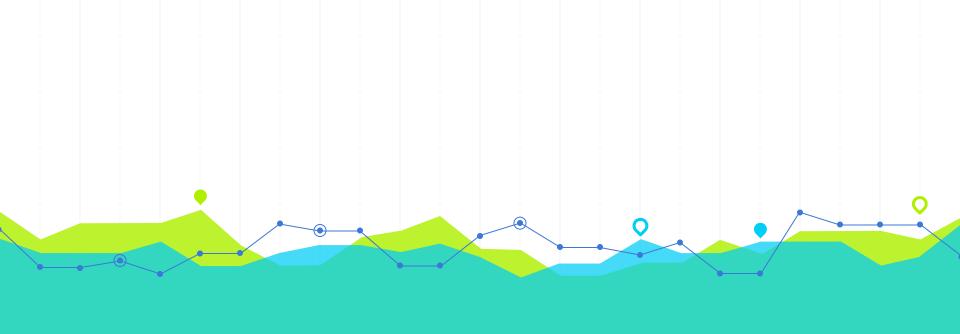
- On how the data has been "sliced and diced"
- On the questions that remain
- On our path forward

OUR PLAN

BFWG: Discuss information about partnership-wide spending.

FOD: Discuss information about federal agency spending.

Ensure the accuracy and improve the clarity of ChesapeakeProgress.



1. Summary Spending

SUMMARY CHART: QUESTIONS ONE & TWO

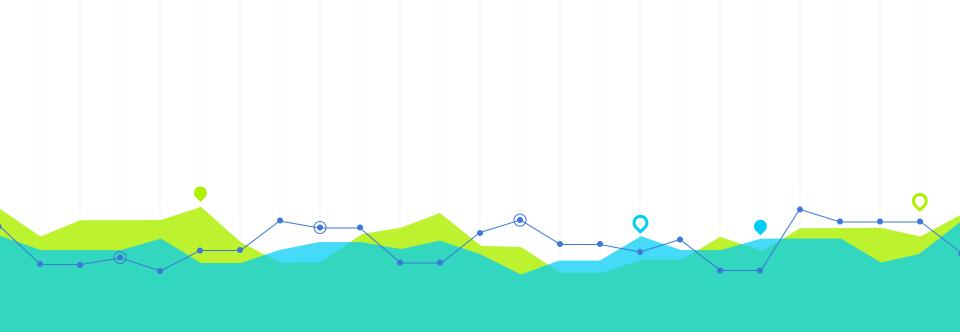
Is this visualization of overall spending data useful?

Should we depict change over time (fiscal 2014, 2015, 2016 and/or 2017) or only the most recent year (fiscal 2016)?

Fiscal 2016 Funding for Watershed Restoration

Federal Agency Spending

State Program Spending \$1.233B



2. State Spending

STATE SPENDING: QUESTION ONE

When reporting state funding, should we report (a) state program totals, or (b) state program totals + federal funds received?

e.g.,

(a) Pennsylvania invested \$40M in fiscal 2016 vs.

(b) Pennsylvania invested \$57M in fiscal 2016 (\$40M in state program funds + \$17M in federal funds received)

STATE SPENDING: QUESTION TWO

How **finely** do we want to report state funding data?

Option A: Report funding by the jurisdictions within the watershed.

Option B: Report funding by the governmental agencies within each jurisdiction.



STATE SPENDING: QUESTION TWO

Option A

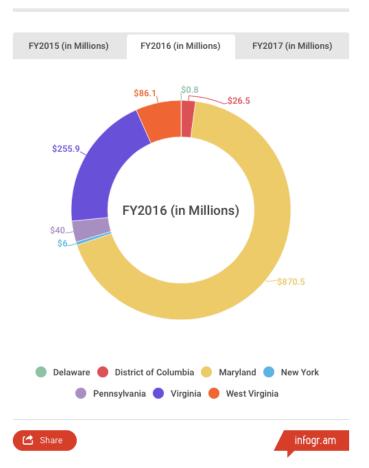
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Option B

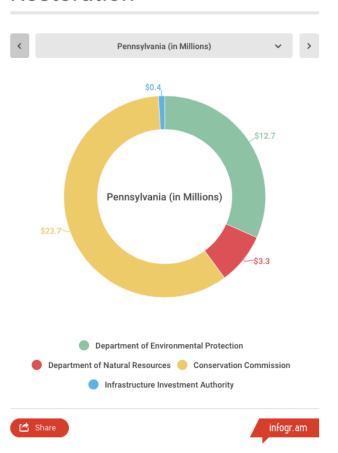
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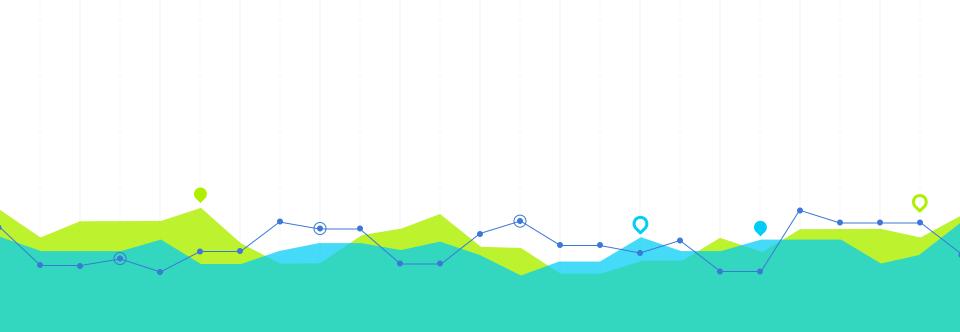


State Program Spending for Watershed Restoration



Fiscal 2016 State Program Spending for Watershed Restoration





3. Federal Spending

FEDERAL SPENDING: QUESTION ONE

How finely do we want to report federal funding data?

Option A: Report funding by the agencies that make up the Federal Leadership Committee for the Chesapeake Bay.

Option B: Report funding by the partners that are housed within the agencies that make up the Federal Leadership Committee for the Chesapeake Bay.



FEDERAL SPENDING: QUESTION TWO

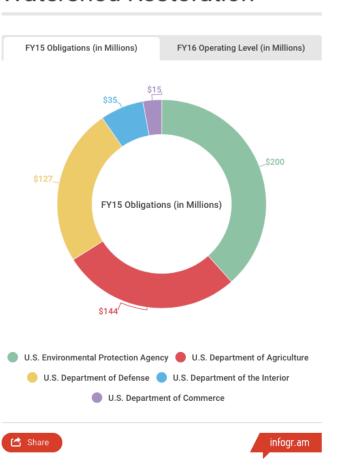
Option A

The U.S. Environmental
Protection Agency and
Departments of Agriculture,
Commerce, Defense, the
Interior and Transportation.

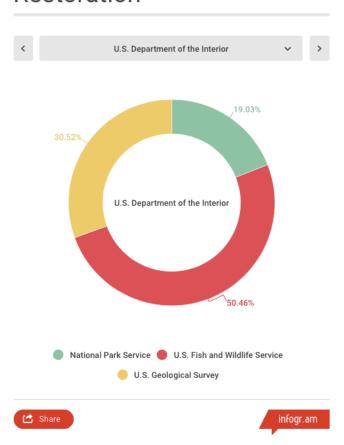
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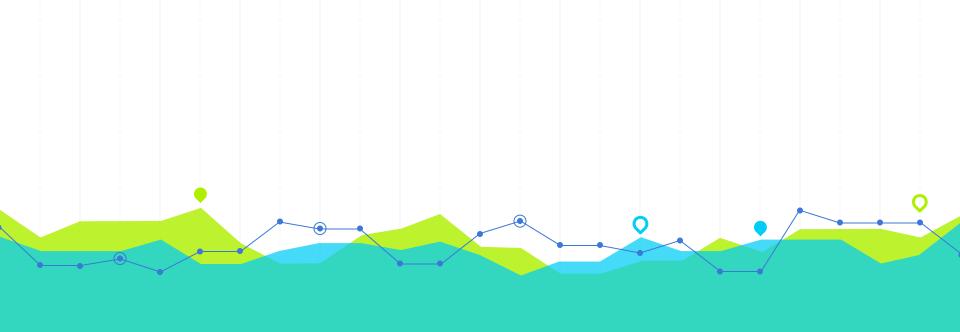
The U.S. Environmental Protection
Agency, Animal and Plant Health
Inspection Service, Agricultural Research
Service, Economic Research Service,
Farm Service Agency, Forest Service,
Natural Resource Conservation Service,
National Institute of Food and Agriculture,
Office of the Chief Economist, National
Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration,
Army Corps of Engineers, Department of
Defense (non-Army Corps), U.S. Fish and
Wildlife Service, National Park Service and
U.S. Geological Survey.

Federal Agency Spending for Watershed Restoration



Fiscal 2016 Federal Agency Spending for Watershed Restoration





4. Next Steps

COMPILING CURRENT INFORMATION

Provide information at first Biennial Strategy FOD: Feb. 2 **GIT 6: Feb. 7 Review System** Meeting: Feb. 8.

IMPROVING FUTURE INFORMATION

Identify ways to incrementally improve data.

Consider requesting funds spent by Goal in 2017.

Explore DOD approach to reporting funds spent by Outcome.

THANKS!

Any questions?

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