Pennsylvania Phase 2 Chesapeake Bay Watershed Implementation Plan Summit
Inviting Implementers and Funders to the Table

August 3, 2011
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Keystone Conference Center, PA Farm Show Complex and Expo Center
2300 N. Cameron St., Harrisburg, PA 17110

Goals and Expectations for the Meeting: Purpose of the meeting is to “kick-off” the development of Pennsylvania’s Phase 2 Chesapeake Watershed Implementation Plan (WIP). EPA will discuss the planning targets for the Chesapeake Bay Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) and expectations for Phase 2 WIPs. DEP will describe the proposed process for developing the Phase 2 WIPs at the County level. Pennsylvania project implementers will highlight their success stories. Followed by a roundtable discussion regarding how private philanthropies can help support priority activities.

1:00 – 1:45
Introductions
Kelly Heffner, Deputy Secretary for Water Management, DEP

Federal Lay of the Land: EPA announcement of revised TMDL allocations for Nutrients and Sediment and Basic Phase II Expectations of States
Jim Edward, Acting Director, EPA Chesapeake Bay Program Office

Questions from the Audience

State Lay of the Land: Proposed Pennsylvania process for developing the Phase 2 WIPs at the County level
John Hines, Executive Deputy Secretary for Programs, DEP

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1:45 – 2:00
Conservation in Action: PA Natural Resources and Conservation Service (NRCS)
Denise Coleman, State Conservationist, PA NRCS

2:00 – 3:15
Pennsylvania Success Stories
- No Till Farmer-to-Farmer Mentoring, Lebanon County - Susan Richards (Capital RC&D) and Lynette J. Gelsinger (Lebanon County Conservation District)
- EnergyWorks, BioPower, LLC - Michael J McCaskey (EnergyWorks)
- Warwick Township Conservation Partnerships - Don McNutt (Lancaster County Conservation District)
- Lancaster City Stormwater - Charlotte Katzenmoyer (Lancaster Dept. of Public Works)

3:15 – 4:00
Roundtable Panel
- John Dawes – Moderator
- Jim Edward – EPA representative
- John Hines – DEP representative
- Denise Coleman – PA NRCS representative
- Mary Gattis-Schell – PA WIP Management Team Urban/Suburban/Rural Workgroup Chair
- Michael Pechart – PA WIP Management Team Agriculture Workgroup Co-Chair
- Skip Wieder – Chesapeake Bay Funders Network representative
- Harry Campbell – Chesapeake Bay Foundation representative