

**AGENDA**  
**STEERING COMMITTEE**  
**OF THE**  
**ANACOSTIA WATERSHED RESTORATION PARTNERSHIP**

**Thursday, August 26, 2010**  
**10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**  
**Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments**  
**Board Room, Third Floor**  
**777 North Capitol Street, NE**  
**Washington, DC 20002**

Notes:

1. Lunch will be available for Steering Committee members at the lunch break during the meeting.

**I. Call to Order and Chair Items.....Frank Dawson, Maryland DNR**  
(10:00 – 10:10)

**A. Review of Agenda**

**B. Review of “Action Items” from June Steering Committee Meeting**

**C. Approve Summary of June Steering Committee Meeting**

**II. Information “Lightning Round” .....Frank Dawson**  
(10:10 – 10:30)

This “lightning round” time slot provides an opportunity for Steering Committee members to report briefly (2 minutes, + or -) on recent noteworthy topics of potential interest to other Steering Committee members which are not intended for lengthy discussion at this time. The preliminary list of topics to be addressed is:

- A. Montgomery County Stormwater Ordinance: Bob Hoyt
- B. Trash MDL: Rich Eskin
- C. DC MS4 Permit: Hamid Karimi
- D. Federal Bay Legislation: Frank Dawson
- E. PCBs in Beaverdam Creek: Sam Moki
- F. Business Summit: Follow Up Plans: Eric Siegel
- G. Prince George’s Tree/Buffer Ordinance: Dana Minerva
- H. Other Topics: Various SC Members

**III. Appleseed Project Update .....Walter Smith, DC Appleseed**  
(10:30 – 11:10) **Brooke DeRenzi, DC Appleseed**  
**Russ Randle, Patton Boggs**

DC Appleseed is a nonprofit organization dedicated to solving important public policy problems facing the Washington, DC metropolitan area by organizing volunteers, including attorneys and other experts who work in teams. Since late 2009 they have been working on a project addressing the restoration of the Anacostia watershed. They are examining how to increase “attention and resources for restoration from the public and private sectors.” The final report is due later this year. Walter Smith, Appleseed’s

Executive Director, Brooke DeRenzis of the DC Appleseed staff and Russ Randle of Patton Boggs will report on their preliminary findings and recommendations and solicit feedback from the Steering Committee.

**IV. Toxic Sites in the Anacostia Watershed .....Ronald Borsellino, USEPA Region III**  
(11:10 – 11:40)

EPA will provide a status update on each site’s cleanup under various authorities and what agency or organization has the action lead and potential future actions.

**V. Prince George’s Levee Project .....Sam Moki, Prince George’s County DER**  
(11:40 – 12:00)

Sam Moki will provide an overview of the proposed project to raise the levees in Prince George’s County.

**VI. Lunch**  
(12:00 – 12:10)

**VII. Executive Director’s Report ..... Dana Minerva, Executive Director**  
(12:10 – 12:40)

**A. ESD Incentives Workshop**

**B. Communication Plan**

**C. Update on WRDA Funding for the ARP**

**D. Stormwater legislation**

Ms. Minerva will provide a summary of the recently passed Montgomery County stormwater ordinance and the proposed Prince George’s County ordinances.

**E. Proposed Steering Committee Retreat**

Ms. Minerva will raise the possibility of a January retreat for the Steering Committee.

**VIII. Chesapeake Bay Green Street/Green Jobs Grants.....Dominique Lueckenhoff, EPA**  
(12:40 – 12:55)

Dominique Lueckenhoff will report on a new grant opportunity. EPA has developed, through the Chesapeake Bay Trust, a new Chesapeake Bay Green Street/Green Jobs Initiative Grant targeting small to mid-sized towns and communities in the Anacostia Watershed as pilot. She will describe the scope of this initiative and how interested parties can apply. The closing date for applications is September 24.

**IX. AWCAC Report .....Mike Smith, AWCAC Chair**  
(12:55 – 1:10)

Mr. Smith will provide an update on the activities of AWCAC.

**X. Management Committee Report: Implementation of the ARP ..... Ken Yetman, DNR**  
(1:10 – 1:25)

Mr. Yetman will report on recent and anticipated actions of the Management Committee.

**XI. Developing Post 2010 Goals ..... Ted Graham**  
(1:25 – 1:35)

Ted Graham will report on the comments received to date on the Post-2010 Goals and recommend additional time to receive further comments.

**XII. Items from Members; Other Business ..... Steering Committee Members**  
(1:35 – 1:45)

**XIII. Adjourn**  
(1:45)

## Agenda Support Material

Agenda Item	Supporting Material
I. Call to Order & Chair Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agenda</li> <li>• Action Items from the June Meeting</li> <li>• Summary of the June Meeting</li> </ul>
III. DC Appleseed Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of Presentation</li> </ul>

## Calendar of Events

Month	Steering Committee*	Management Committee	AWCAC**	Special Events
<b>Calendar Year 2010</b>				
February	25	18		
March			9	
April	22			16 – Canoe Trip and Barbecue sponsored by MD-DNR 19 – Rollout of the ARP – Bladensburg, MD
May		19	11	18 - Capitol Riverfront BID Anacostia Summit; 3-7 p.m. at 55 M St., SE
June	24			
July			13	
August	26			
September		15	14	
October	28			
November			9	
December	16	9		

\* Throughout 2010, the Steering Committee meetings will be held on the fourth Thursday of every other month except for the December meeting which will be held on December 16. All SC meetings will be held in the Board Room on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor at COG.

\*\* All AWCAC meetings are held at the Visitor Center at the M-NCPPC Bladensburg Waterfront Park, beginning at 7:30 p.m.