Natural and Working Lands (NWL) Stakeholder Meeting

When: Thursday, June 3, 2021

Time: 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Where: Virtual via Webex* – <u>Registration Required</u>

*Webex connection details will be emailed closer to the date

Stakeholder Meeting Objectives – Meeting participants will:

- Hear stakeholder updates;
- Learn about the racial equality toolkit;
- Discuss issues of mutual interest in small groups to inspire action; and
- Complete a survey at the end of the meeting to spur future action and articulate needs.

Agenda

Time	Agenda Item
12:45 p.m.	Webex Meeting Opens
1:00 p.m.	Welcome! Misty Buchanan, Natural Heritage Program & Whitney Jenkins, N.C. Coastal Reserve
1:10 p.m.	 Stakeholder Updates 1:10pm: Greenhouse Gas Inventory Update – Paula Hemmer and Danielle Costantini, NC Dept. of Environmental Quality 1:20pm: Land Conservation: State and Federal Budget updates – Bill Holman, The Conservation Fund 1:30pm: Resilience-Recovery Support Function Goals & Federal Recovery Funding – Marlena Byrne, N.C. Office of Recovery and Resiliency 1:40pm: Saltwater Intrusion Adaptation Recommendations – Nancy Gibson, Southeast Climate Hub 1:50pm: Carbon Market Update – Tatyana Ruseva & Tammy Kowalczyk, Appalachian State University
2:00 p.m.	10-minute Break
2:10 p.m.	 Stakeholder Updates Continued 2:10pm: Action Plan for Nature-Based Stormwater Strategies –Todd Miller, North Carolina Coastal Federation 2:20pm: Coastal Habitat Protection Plan Update – Casey Knight, NC Department of Environmental Quality 2:30pm: Updates on Coastal Habitat & Blue Carbon Projections under Sea-level Rise – Katie Warnell and Lydia Olander, Duke Nicholas School for Environmental Policy Solutions
2:40 p.m.	Government Alliance on Race and Equity: Six questions to ask when planning implementation – Maya Cough-Schulze, Triangle J Council of Governments See <u>https://www.racialequityalliance.org/</u>
2:50 p.m.	Breakout groups: • Land Conservation and 30 by 30 initiative • Marsh migration & saltwater intrusion • Equitable Implementation • Engagement & Outreach • Carbon Markets & Other Financing Opportunities
3:20 p.m.	Wrap-up
3:30 p.m.	Adjourn