

Planning for the Future
Thursday, May 24, 2012
Virginia Institute of Marine Science
Gloucester Point, VA

AGENDA

8:00 – 9:00	Check-in & Coffee - Watermen's Hall Lobby
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome & Workshop Theme
9:15 – 9:35	Can Living Shorelines Be an Effective Form of Coastal Habitat Restoration? <i>Dr. Donna Bilkovic, VIMS-CCRM</i>
9:35 – 10:00	Setting the Stage: Tidal Shoreline Management in Virginia, Part 1 <i>Pam Mason, VIMS-CCRM</i>
10:00 – 10:15	Break
10:15 – 10:45	Setting the Stage: Tidal Shoreline Management in Virginia, Part 2 <i>Pam Mason, VIMS-CCRM</i>
10:45 – 11:40	Living Shorelines General Permit and Integrated Guidance <i>Chip Neikirk, Deputy Chief, Habitat Management Division, VMRC</i>
11:40 – 12:00	Northern Neck Master Gardeners I-SEA Program <i>Peggy Lassanske, Northern Neck Master Gardeners</i>
12:00 – 1:00	LUNCH - Box lunch served in lobby, seats available in classrooms and outside (weather permitting)
1:00 – 1:10	2012 General Assembly Legislative Update <i>Pam Mason, VIMS-CCRM</i>
1:10 – 1:25	Recurrent Flooding Study <i>Molly Mitchell, VIMS-CCRM</i>
1:25 – 2:10	Sea Level Rise: State of the Science <i>Dr. Carl Hershner, Director VIMS-CCRM</i>
2:10 – 2:30	Floating Wetlands Pilot Project: Investigating the potential for a new stormwater BMP <i>Karen Duhring, VIMS-CCRM</i>
2:30 – 3:30	Optional self-guided field trip to VIMS Boat Basin to view floating wetlands, living shoreline examples, progression of planted beach at VIMS breakwaters



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