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WRITEUP FOR E-NEWS CONCERNING THE SECOND WEBINAR ON THE CHESAPEAKE BAY PROGRAM

“Second Division Chesapeake Bay Restoration Program to Be Given on Wednesday, November 2.

This webinar will begin at 1:00 PM and end at 2:30 PM. The first hour will include power point presentations by three panelists. The last half hour will be open to questions from the listening audience around the country. The link to register for this webinar is: <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/385649506> There is no fee. One and one half AICP recertification credits are available.

The Division’s first webinar on this subject was in late May. It generally concentrated on State of Maryland actions. The upcoming webinar will concentrate on State of Virginia actions. The speakers for the November 2 webinar include: (1) John Carlock, AICP, Deputy Executive Director for the Hampton Roads Planning District Commission (the Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Newport News area); (2) Jeffrey Corbin, Senior Advisor to EPA Administrator Lisa Jackson for the Chesapeake Bay and Anacostia River; and (3), Anthony Moore, Assistant Secretary of the Virginia Department of Natural Resources for Chesapeake Bay Restoration.

The Chesapeake Bay Restoration program has been underway since the mid-1980’s. A recent consent order directed the EPA to take a stronger role. Initially, the states submitted their general strategies in the latter part of 2010 and early 2011 to implement the EPA directed program. Now the states are working with local and regional agencies in developing implementation steps.”