

# Community Forestry Network Forum

## Agenda

### **Regional Tree Canopy Analysis Updates:** *Presentations of New and Ongoing Efforts in the Collection and Analysis of Tree Canopy Data in the Metropolitan Washington Region*

Hosted by COG's Community Forestry Network (CFN)  
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**Friday, August 5, 2022**

**11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**

**Location:** [Click to Join Via Microsoft Teams](#)  
(Presentation period includes time for Q & A)

**11:00 A.M. - Call to order / Welcome**

*Brian LeCouteur– COG Regional Urban Forester*

**11:05 A.M. - Tree Equity Score Analyzer (TESA) – Molly Henry and Julie Twichell, American**

**Forests - American Forests** has developed the TESA tool for cities, regions and states that want to enhance their decision-making around tree planting protocols. They are currently developing the TESA tool in part of the Washington Region in collaboration with area stakeholders.

**11:45 A.M. – Differences in UTC Data Collection and Analysis, Forest Cover Trends and an Update on the Chesapeake Bay Program's Tree Canopy Indicator Project - Peter**

**Claggett – USGS - Mr. Claggett** will discuss how differences in data collection and analysis can affect results. He will also provide an update on the Bay Program's development of a metric to track its goal of increasing tree canopy.

**12:30 A.M. – DC Urban Tree Canopy in 2020 - Earl Eutsler, Associate Director/State Forester Urban Forestry Division District Department of Transportation**

*Mr. Eutsler* will provide an overview of changes from a recent study showing urban tree canopy coverage in D.C. between 2006 and 2020.

**12:55 A.M. - Final Thoughts / Updates**

**1:00 P.M. - Adjourn**

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