

# ANACOSTIA WATERSHED RESTORATION PARTNERSHIP MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

February 23, 2017 10:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. Ronald F. Kirby Training Center

#### **AGENDA**

**10:00 A.M. 1. CALL TO ORDER, INTRODUCTIONS, APPROVAL OF MINUTES** *Amy Stevens, Management Committee Chair* 

10:10 A.M. 2. ANACOSTIA PARTNERSHIP UPDATE

Michelle Kokolis, COG Anacostia Executive Watershed Manager

Ms. Kokolis will provide an update on recent Partnership activities.

10:20 A.M. 3. AWCAC REPORT

Aubin Maynard, COG Environmental Planner

Mr. Maynard will provide an overview of the recent AWCAC meeting.

10:30 A.M. 4. UPDATE ON FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR USACE STREAM RESTORATION IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

Jacqui Seiple, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Geographer

The USACE Feasibility Study, in partnership with the Prince George's County Department of the Environment, passed a recent internal milestone that allows the study to move from conceptual design to feasibility level design for 6 stream reaches on the Northwest and Northeast Branches of the Anacostia. An update will be provided on the selected plan, status of the study, and path forward.

10:50 A.M. 5. OVERVIEW OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY COMPREHENSIVE WATER RESOURCES AND RESTORATION PLAN

Dave Robbins, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Acting Chief, Civil Project Development Branch

Mr. Robbins will provide an overview of the Chesapeake Bay Comprehensive Water Resources and Restoration Plan. This watershed assessment is a two-year plan to identify opportunities for USACE to support the 2014 Chesapeake Bay Agreement restoration effort in coordination with other ongoing activities.

## 11:10 A.M. 6. MIDDLE POTOMAC – WASHINGTON DC AND METROPOLITAN AREA COASTAL FLOODING, DC, MD, AND VA

Dave Robbins, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Acting Chief, Civil Project Development Branch

The investigation is intended to evaluate flooding problems in the NCR with an emphasis on coastal flooding. The investigation will include detailed hydrodynamic modeling and consideration of possible impacts from climate change, vulnerability assessment of critical infrastructure, an evaluation of existing flood risk management and resilience initiatives, and an evaluation of an opportunity potentially leading to a recommendation for USACE design and construction in partnership with a non-federal sponsor.

## 11:30 A.M. 7. OVERVIEW OF THE ANACOSTIA RIVERKEEPER'S 2017 PROJECTS AND PRIORITIES

Emily Franc, Anacostia Riverkeeper

Ms. Franc will provide an overview of the Anacostia Riverkeeper's current initiatives and priorities, including recently funded projects. She will also highlight the types of projects ARK is currently focusing on as well as priority subwatersheds that they are targeting.

### 11:45 A.M. 8. OVERVIEW OF THE ANACOSTIA WATERSHED SOCIETY'S 2017 PROJECTS AND PRIORITIES

Jim Foster, Anacostia Watershed Society President

Mr. Foster will provide an overview of the Anacostia Watershed Society's current initiatives and priorities, including recently funded projects. He will also highlight the types of projects AWS is currently focusing on as well as priority subwatersheds that they are targeting.

#### 12:15 P.M. 9. MEMBER UPDATES

All Membership

At this time, any member present will be given the floor to introduce any new initiatives or projects they would like to share with the members.

#### 12:15 P.M. 10. ADJOURN AND LUNCH

The next meeting is scheduled for June 1, 2017.