

# Maryland Water Quality Trading Advisory Committee

Meeting Agenda  
March 21, 2016

Location: Maryland  
Department of Natural  
Resources, Room C-1

1:00pm – 4:00pm



1:00      **Welcome and Introductions**

1:10      **Review of February 22 Meeting Minutes**      Lauren Franke, Facilitator

1:15      **Review of Draft Trading Manual**      Committee

- *Section III*
- *Section IV*

2:00      **Local Water Quality**      Jim George, MDE

- *Trading to Meet MS4 Responsibilities for Nutrient and Sediment Reductions*

2:15      **Local Government Approaches:**      Representatives: MS4  
MAMWA, MAMSA, Aqualaw,  
MACO, MML  
Committee

- *Trading*
- *Protection of Local Water Quality*
- *Acquiring PS and NPS Credits*

3:00      **MDE Updates**      Lynn Buhl, MDE

3:10      **Approaches from Agriculture**      Representatives: MASCD, MFB,  
USDA/NRCS, MAC  
Committee

- *Addressing concerns about Trading*
- *Bringing Farmers to the Trading Table*

3:40      **Public Comment**

3:50      **Next Steps**      Lauren Franke, Facilitator

- *Goal of the WQTAC*
- *Committee Input for April Meeting Agenda Items*

## Upcoming Meetings

April 21 – MDE, Lobby Conference Rooms, 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm