

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