



Maryland Commission on Climate Change

Mitigation Working Group

May 11, 2017 - 10:00AM - 12:00PM

MDE First Floor Conference Rooms, 1800 Washington Ave.

Agenda

Conference Number: (605) 475-4000

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10:00AM MWG Meeting Begins

- 1. Introductions** – MWG Co-Chairs – 5 minutes
- 2. Panel Speakers** – 60 minutes
 - Dr. Ray Weil, UMD – “Soil Carbon: A Major Player in MD’s Greenhouse Gas Balance”
 - Dr. George Hurtt, UMD – “NASA Carbon Monitoring System”
 - Michael Locklear – “Reversing Climate Change: Restore the Soil to Save Humanity and the Planet”
- 3. Healthy Soils and Carbon Sequestration Discussion** – MWG Members – 40 minutes
 - Potential recommendations for the MCCC Report
 - How can we work this into the 40 by 30 Plan?
- 4. Other Business** – 5 minutes
 - Upcoming – June’s meeting
 - Any additional business?
- 5. Public Comment** – 10 minutes

12:00PM Meeting Adjourns

12:00 - 12:30PM – Demonstrations by Dr. Sara Via (botanist with the University of Maryland Extension)

The next meeting of the Mitigation Working Group will be Thursday, June 23rd at 10:00AM.

Comments from the general public can be submitted to the Maryland Climate Change Commission at climate.change@maryland.gov.