

**Secretary Strickler's  
Chesapeake Bay Stakeholders Advisory Group  
April 29, 2021; 12 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

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**Agenda**

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| <b>12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.</b> | <b>OPTIONAL SESSION – Virginia’s Phase III Watershed Implementation Plan – A Refresher and Update</b><br><br><i>Ann Jennings</i><br>Deputy Secretary of Natural Resources<br><i>James Martin</i><br>Chesapeake Bay Coordinator, Department of Environmental Quality<br><i>Melanie Davenport</i><br>Director, Water Permitting Division, Department of Environmental Quality<br><i>Jutta Schneider</i><br>Director, Water Planning Division, Department of Environmental Quality<br><i>Russ Baxter</i><br>Deputy Director for Soil and Water Conservation, Dam Safety and Floodplain Management<br>Department of Conservation and Recreation |
| <b>1:00 p.m. to 1:05 p.m.</b>  | <u>Welcome Remarks</u><br><br>The Honorable Matthew Strickler, Secretary of Natural Resources   |
| <b>1:05 p.m. to 1:25 p.m.</b>  | <u>Chesapeake Bay Stakeholders Advisory Group – Members’ Introductions</u><br><br><i>Ann Jennings</i><br>Deputy Secretary of Natural Resources  |
| <b>1:25 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.</b>  | <u>The Impact of Bay Restoration on Carbon Reductions</u><br><br><i>James Martin</i><br>Chesapeake Bay Coordinator<br>Department of Environmental Quality   |

- 1:45 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.**      Community Flood Preparedness Fund
- Joshua Saks*  
Deputy Secretary of Natural Resources
- 2:00 p.m. to 2:10 p.m.**      State Lands Watershed Implementation Plan (SWIP)
- Ann Jennings*  
Deputy Secretary of Natural Resources
- 2:10 p.m. to 2:25 p.m.**      Department of Corrections - Implementing SWIP at the State Farm
- Kenny Raiford*  
Agribusiness Operations Director  
Virginia Department of Corrections
- Amber Ellis*  
Senior Watershed Restoration Manager  
James River Association
- 2:25 p.m. to 2:35 p.m.**      Restoring Virginia's Oysters
- Ellen Bolen*  
Deputy Commissioner  
Virginia Marine Resources Commission
- 2:35 p.m. to 2:50 p.m.**      Chesapeake Bay Program DEIJ Implementation Plan
- Meryem Karad*  
Assistant Secretary of Natural Resources
- 2:50 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**      Closing Remarks
- The Honorable Matthew Strickler, Secretary of Natural Resources