

# Chesapeake Bay SAG Meeting December 2016 Update

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## **Livestock Exclusion Update**

- Approximately \$25 million projected to be needed to meet remaining 100% state commitment from FY2015
  - \$31 million backlog (As of 11-30-2016)
  - 603 practices on backlog list
  - \$55 million completed statewide
  - \$30 million funded and in various stages
  - 170 applications withdrawn; ~ 6% of total
- Statewide
  - 1,605 SL-6s have been installed
  - 5,911,562 linear feet of streambank have been protected
  - 74,068 animal units excluded



## **Chesapeake Bay Portion**

- \$14.6 million of current total backlog
- 298 of SL-6 projects awaiting funding
- 901 SL-6s completed to date
- ~\$30 million completed
- 3.6 million linear feet installed
- 42,552 animal units excluded
- ~\$15 million in various stages



## **Upon Completion**

- 10 million linear feet of streambank will be protected
  - 5.9 million in Chesapeake Bay

126 thousand animal units will be excluded
70 thousand in Chesapeake Bay



# **Resource Management Plans**

- Annual report (through 10-31-16)
- 326 RMPs developed
- 68,147 total acres
- 19,500 new acres in last 12 months
- 59 participating producers
- Average RMP size 209 acres
- 85% on cropland; equal hayland and pasture



# **Resource Management Plans**

- RMPs in 23 SWCDs
- Beginning to expand outside Chesapeake Bay
- 1281 voluntary BMPs are planned in RMPs
- More emphasis on implementation/certification next year
- DCR worked with Farm Bureau and VDACS
- New Program logo introduced 11-29-16
- Sign now available for fully implemented/certified RMPs



