

Mid-Atlantic Regional Water Program—EPA Region 3 Trading Workshop
Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin
51 Monroe St, Suite PE-08
Rockville, MD 20850
December 12, 2007
9:30 AM to 3:30 PM

Workshop Overview: This workshop is co-hosted by the Chesapeake Bay Watershed Water Quality Trading Forum and the Mid-Atlantic Regional Water Program. The majority of this workshop will focus on group discussions. Most presentations will be approximately 15 minutes, followed by 30 minutes of discussion. We hope that you will all contribute to the meeting as active participants as we discuss the following issues.

- 9:30 Welcome and Introductions** **Patricia Gleason, EPA**
- 9:40 New Water Quality Trading Toolkit for Permit Writers** **Ginny Kibler, EPA**
- 11:00 Credit Stacking** **Eileen McLellan, Environmental Defense**
Introduction to credit stacking and discussion on how it does or does not fit in with trading programs, identification of restrictions, needs, etc.
- 11:45 Lunch** (provided)
- 12:30 Integrating Tributary Strategies and Trading Programs** **Tom Simpson, UMD**
- 1:15 Credits Through Restoration** **Kurt Stephenson, VA Tech**
Introduction to the idea of creating credits through environmental restoration (oysters, wetlands, etc.)
- 2:00 Alternative and New Credits** **Doug Parker, UMD**
Fertilizer reduction strategies, cropland to forest, etc.
- 2:45 Chesapeake Bay Bank and Ecosystem Marketplaces** **Becca Madsen, USFS**
- 3:30 Conclude**