## Program At-a-Glance 3rd Annual Delaware River Watershed Forum Clayton Hall, University of Delaware

## Monday, October 5

8:30 am – 9:00 am	Registration Opens; Continental Breakfast	
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Welcome & Morning Keynote	
	David Small, Secretary, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control	Room 128
9:30 am – 9:45 am	Forum Overview	
	Kim Beidler, Director, Coalition for the Delaware River Watershed	Room 128
9:45 am – 10:40 am	Plenary: Water Use in the Delaware – Reliance & Risks	
	Moderator: Carol Collier, Senior Advisor for Watershed Management and Policy, Academy of Natural	Room 128
	Sciences at Drexel University	
	Gerald J. Kauffman, P.E., Ph.D., Director, University of Delaware Water Resources Agency, and	
	Steven J. Tambini, P.E., Executive Director, Delaware River Basin Commission	
	Raymond Najjar, Ph.D., Professor of Oceanography, Department of Meteorology, The Pennsylvania	
	State University	
10:40 am – 11:00 am	BREAK	
L1:00 am – 12:30 pm	Concurrent Breakout Sessions: Focus on Science and Application	
	1. Water Quality and Quantity	<b>Room 120</b>
	Moderator: Roland Wall, Senior Director, Environmental Initiatives, Academy of Natural Sciences at	
	Drexel University	
	Kathryn Christopher, Staff Scientist, Academy of Natural Sciences at Drexel University	
	Beth Styler Barry, Executive Director, Musconetcong Watershed Association	
	Thomas Murphy, P.E., Chief, Water Systems Operations Division, Bureau of Water Supply, New	
	York City Department of Environmental Protection	
	2. Fish & Wildlife Habitat	<b>Room 119</b>
	Moderator: Rachel Dawson, Senior Manager, Delaware River, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation	
	Paul Faeth, Director, Energy, Water & Climate, CNA	
	Emile DeVito, Ph.D., Manager of Science and Stewardship, New Jersey Conservation Foundation	
	Scott Schwenk, Ph.D., Science Coordinator, North Atlantic Landscape Conservation Cooperative,	
	U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service	

	3. Recreational Access	Room 117
	Moderator: Andrew Strauss, AICP/PP, Principal, Strauss and Associates/Planners	
	Patrick Starr, Executive Vice President, Pennsylvania Environmental Council	
	Elissa Garofalo, Executive Director, Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor	
	John Beljean, Delaware River Field Representative, National Parks Conservation Association	
	4. Sustainable Economy	Room 125
	Moderator: Gerald Kauffman, P.E., Ph.D., Director, Water Resources Agency, University of Delaware	
	Daniel Nees, Senior Research Associate, Environmental Finance Center	
	Edward Donahue, III, CMC, President/CEO, Municipal & Financial Services Group	
	Will Price, Director of Conservation Programs, Pinchot Institute for Conservation	
	Richard Jones, Jr., State Director (DE), The Nature Conservancy	
	5. Climate Resilience	Room 115
	Moderator: Jennifer Adkins, Executive Director, Partnership for the Delaware Estuary	
	Joshua Moody, Restoration Coordinator, Partnership for the Delaware Estuary	
	Susan Guiteras, Supervisory Wildlife Biologist, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service	
	Larry Niles, Ph. D., L.J. Niles Associates	
12:30 pm – 1:45 pm	Luncheon & Afternoon Keynote	
	The Honorable Jack Markell, Governor of Delaware	Room 101
1:45 pm – 2:15 pm	BREAK	
2:15 pm – 5:15 pm	Site Visits (Select One; Transportation Provided)	
	1. Bike Tour of Green Infrastructure	
	2. DuPont Environmental Education Center	
	3. Mt. Cuba Center	
	4. Newark Reservoir	
	5. Thousand Acre Marsh	
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Reception at Ashland Nature Center (Transportation Provided)	
	Entertainment by Nice Like Dat, Bluegrass/Americana/Folk	

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## **Tuesday, October 6**

8:15 am – 9:00 am	Breakfast Roundtables	
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Welcome and Morning Keynote	
	Laura Sparks, Executive Director, William Penn Foundation	Room 128
9:30 am – 10:30 am	Plenary: Envisioning Outcomes – Examples from the Chesapeake, Great Lakes & New England	
	Moderator: Erik Meyers, Vice President, The Conservation Fund	Room 128
	Scott Schwenk, Ph.D., Science Coordinator, North Atlantic Landscape Conservation Cooperative,	
	U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service	
	Jill Witkowski Heaps, Esq., Director, Choose Clean Water Coalition	
	Todd Ambs, Campaign Coordinator, Healing our Waters – Great Lakes Coalition	
10:30 am – 10:45 am	BREAK	
10:45 am – 12:15 pm	Concurrent Breakout Sessions: Focus on Education and Outreach	
	1. Water Quality and Quantity	Room 120
	Moderator: Grant La Rouche, Regional Representative, National Wildlife Federation	
	Jennifer Adkins, Executive Director, Partnership for the Delaware Estuary	
	Brenna Goggin, Advocacy Manager, Delaware Nature Society	
	Sue Currier, Executive Director, and Bethany Keene, Outreach and Events Coordinator,	
	Delaware Highlands Conservancy	
	Kim Murphy, President, Berks Nature	
	2. Fish & Wildlife Habitat	Room 117
	Moderator & Presenter: Jean Lynch, Stewardship Project Director, New Jersey Audubon Society	
	Diane Rosencrance, RLA, Senior Director, Landscape Planning, Natural Lands Trust	
	Angela Wenger, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Center for Aquatic	
	Sciences at Adventure Aquarium Camden Aquarium	
	3. Recreational Access	Room 119
	Moderator & Presenter: Jaclyn Rhoads, Ph.D., Assistant Executive Director, Pinelands Preservation	
	Alliance	
	Ethan McKinley, Superintendent, First State National Historical Park	
	Lamar Gore, Manager, John Heinz National Wildlife Refuge at Tinicum	

	4. Sustainable Economy	Room 115
	Moderator & Presenter: Patricia Elkis, Division Director, Planning, Delaware Valley Regional	
	Planning Commission	
	Joy Oakes, Senior Director, Mid-Atlantic Region, National Parks Conservation Association	
	Christopher Anderson, Watershed Partnerships Coordinator, Philadelphia Water Department	
	5. Climate Resilience	Room 125
	Moderator: Ginger North, Director of Conservation, Delaware Nature Society	
	Saleem Chapman, Director of Environmental Justice, Clean Air Council	
	Lisa Locke, Executive Director, Delaware Inter-Faith Power & Light	
	Patty Doerr, Director of Marine and Coastal Programs, The Nature Conservancy	
12:15 pm – 1:45 pm	Luncheon & Keynote	
	Shawn M. Garvin, Regional Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 3	
1:45 pm – 3:15 pm	Concurrent Breakout Sessions: Focus on Policy and Advocacy	
	1. Water Quality and Quantity	Room 120
	Moderator: Liz Deardorff, Director, Clean Water Supply Program, American Rivers	
	Dennis Miranda, Executive Director, Wissahickon Valley Watershed Association	
	Jeff Skelding, Executive Director, Friends of the Upper Delaware River	
	Gayle Killam, Deputy Director, Science and Policy, River Network	
	2. Fish & Wildlife Habitat	Room 119
	Moderator: Sarah Fleming, Manager of Conservation Programs – North Atlantic, Ducks Unlimited	
	Kellis Moss, Director of Public Policy, Ducks Unlimited	
	Kasey Taylor, State Conservationist (DE), Natural Resource Conservation Service	
	Kelly Mooij, Esq., Vice President, Government Relations, New Jersey Audubon Society	
	3. Recreational Access	Room 117
	Moderator: Mark Zakutansky, Mid-Atlantic Policy Manager, Appalachian Mountain Club	
	Kendall Sommers, Outdoor Recreation Planner, Delaware State Parks	
	David Lange, Program Manager, Rivers, Trails, and Conservation Assistance, National Park	
	Service	
	Stephen Chuckra, Secretary, Lehigh River Stocking Association	

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	4. Sustainable Economy	Room 125
	Moderator: Matthew Stepp, Director of Policy, PennFuture	
	Jamie Gauthier, Executive Director, Sustainable Business Network	
	Jeffrey Bross, P.E., Chairman , Duffield Associates	
	Andrew Levine, Co-Chair of Environmental Practice Group, Stradley Ronon	
	Matthew Walker, Community Outreach Director at Clean Air Council	
	5. Climate Resilience	Room 115
	Moderator: Tim Dillingham, Executive Director, American Littoral Society	
	Amanda Santoni, Coastal Management Fellow, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and	
	Environmental Control	
	Karl Schrass, Climate Adaptation Manager, National Wildlife Federation	
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	BREAK	
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Workshops	
	1. Enhancing Your Monitoring Program with High Tech Volunteers	Room 125
	2. Pipeline Strategies	Room 128
	3. Breaking the Green Ceiling: Increasing Diversity in Your Organization	Room 120
	4. Stormwater Permits & You - Regulatory Overview and Opportunities for Involvement in the MS4	Room 119
	Permitting Process	
5:00 pm	Adjourn	