



CALVERT COUNTY FOREST CONSERVANCY DISTRICT BOARD

<i>Autumn Phillips-Lewis, Chair</i>	<i>Jill Lee, Vice Chair</i>	<i>Dawn Balinski, Treasurer</i>	<i>David Campbell</i>
<i>Kenneth Johnston</i>	<i>Amalia Pleake-Tamm</i>	<i>Steve Stadelman</i>	

The Calvert County Forest Conservancy District Board met on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, in a virtual setting. Members in attendance included Dawn Balinski, Autumn Phillips-Lewis, Kenneth Johnston, David Campbell, Amalia Pleake-Tamm, Steve Stadelman and Brian Stupak. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Autumn Phillips-Lewis, Chairperson. Steve Stadelman joined the meeting at 6:30pm.

New Business

- Forest Conservation Area timber harvest – the Board reviewed and approved a Forest Conservation Area timber harvest plan for the Mark Grenier property in St. Leonard, MD. Approximately half of the proposed harvest area is located in an FCA. The vote was 5-0 in favor (S. Stadelman was absent at the time of the vote).
- MFF grant support letter – The Board discussed and approved a request from Gary Allen of the Maryland Forestry Foundation to submit a letter of support for a grant to be submitted to the Rural Maryland Council. The purpose of the grant is to increase the number of woodland conservation easements under MALPF, Rural Legacy, etc. This is to be accomplished by the development of a white paper and the coordination of four regional meetings with members of the forestry boards and ag preservation boards in order to satisfy their statutory requirements to meet once a year and to promote the conservation of woodlands. The vote was 4-1 in favor (D. Balinski abstained).
- MUCFC grants – The Board discussed funding procedures for a grant recently approved by the MUCFC for a tree planting in Calvert Co.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm. The next regular meeting will be September 10, 2025, at the Phillips House in Prince Frederick, MD. **The meeting will start at 6:00pm.**