

Maryland Sustainable Forestry Council AGENDA
Monday, May 13, 2024, 3:00pm – 5:00 pm
Virtual

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| 3:00 pm | Welcome to members and guests- Bryan Seipp, Interim Chair |
| 3:05 pm | Review and Approve Minutes – Anne Hairston-Strang, State Forester |
| 3:10 pm | DNR Update – Anne Hairston-Strang, JT Bowers, Ashley Triplett-Peltzman and Dan Rider
New Staff, Budget, WIP-funded staffing,
Forestry Board Summit 2024,
5 Million Trees planting,
Community Forestry Capacity Fund approved projects |
| 3:50pm | Forest Conservation Act changes – JT Bowers |
| 4:00 pm | Forest Markets Strategy, implementing the Economic Adjustment Strategy – Dan Rider, Program Manager
Including Wood energy - Supply analysis and June 20 TGCC Biomass 101 workshop/field tour |
| 4:35pm | Legislative Session events and possible legislation – JT Bowers, Deputy Director
2024 Legislature outcomes (HB561 SB683 Tree Expert Licenses - Application and Renewal Fee Alterations and Insurance Requirements, Whole Watershed Act) |
| 4:45am | Roundtable |
| 5:00 pm | Adjourn – Bryan Seipp |