

REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

2019 SURVEY RESULTS

Regional Environmental Committee

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HOW INTERESTED ARE YOU IN THE FOLLOWING REC TOPICS? VERY, SOMEWHAT, OR NOT

Topic	Examples
Chesapeake Bay	Watershed Implementation Plans, BMP crediting
Coastal Resiliency	Hampton Roads resiliency dashboard and coastal zone grants
Environmental Education	Reducing single-use plastics, regional clean up campaigns
Planning	Green infrastructure plans and zoning ordinance updates
Policy and Legislative Tracking	Legislative agendas, proposed General Assembly bills, RAPs
Regional Examples	Virginia Port Authority and the Mariner's Museum
Solid Waste/Recycling	Recycling contracts, BioEnergy complex
State Initiatives	Executive Order 6 and the Virginia Outdoors Plan
Stormwater Management	Innovative practices, SLAF projects, training

HOW INTERESTED ARE YOU IN THE FOLLOWING REC TOPICS?



27 Responses	% Very	% Somewhat	% Not
Stormwater Management	78%	19%	4%
Chesapeake Bay	74%	26%	0%
Policy & Legislation	67%	30%	4%
Planning	63%	30%	7%
Coastal Resiliency	56%	44%	0%
Regional Examples	41%	44%	15%
Environmental Education	37%	52%	11%
Solid Waste & Recycling	30%	56%	15%
State Initiatives	15%	59%	26%

WHICH ASPECTS OF THE REC MEETINGS DO YOU FIND MOST VALUABLE?

- ▶ **Additional information about your practice area**
 - ▶ **Exposure to work of peers in the region**
 - ▶ **Communication with state agencies and representatives**
 - ▶ **Interaction with your peers**
 - ▶ **Exposure to other environmental initiatives outside of your practice area**
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26 Responses	% ranked #1	% ranked #2	% ranked #3	% ranked #4	% ranked #5
More info about your practice area	54%	12%	19%	12%	4%
Exposure to work of peers in the region	27%	23%	23%	15%	12%
Exposure to other initiatives outside of your practice area	12%	27%	15%	35%	12%
Interaction with your peers	8%	23%	19%	23%	27%
Communication with state agencies and reps	0%	15%	23%	15%	46%