

AWSMP Education & Outreach Working Group Meeting Agenda:

Date: May 26th 5pm to 6:30 pm (90 mins)

**Location: Ashokan Watershed Stream Management Program
3130 State Route 28, Shokan, NY 12481
Phone: 845-688-3047**

- ❖ Welcome & announcements
- ❖ Where we left off in February – Recap of all the information collected

- ❖ E&O WG Process:
 - Chair & Co-Chair's attend each AWSMP Stakeholder Council meeting to report on the working group's activities, contribute to Stakeholder Council decision making, and raise any larger issues to the Stakeholder Council's attention
 - Appointment of Chair – Kerissa
 - Co-Chair – Nominations to select someone interested in helping
 - AWSMP Website: WG Page for agendas, minutes, & a new education page – development

- ❖ Project Ideas Chart Review:
 - Outline of Needs & discussion:
 - Volunteers & a program network
 - Increase Local involvement – landowners, business owners, families
 - Improve diversity reach & age demographics – young adults, seniors
 - Schools & Teachers - Outline specific needs & opportunities to help teachers (what they need) & create supportive resources & programs

 - Outline of Potential Projects & discussion -
 - Watershed Volunteer Program – Logistics, structure
- ❖ Project Priorities & Next Steps - Action Items to move forward

- ❖ Announcements & Project Updates:
 - Community/Citizen Science Program – List of potential projects & activities (see matrix)
 - School/ Teacher Support Program
 - Watershed Detectives - Matt's program expansion
 - Ashokan Center:
 - Riparian Rangers & Watershed Event: Love Your Watershed Day

- ❖ Wrap Up & Next Meetings - Schedule meeting dates in advance
 - August or September
 - October or December
 - January 2016 or February 2016