

**Kickoff Meeting for the STAR Grantees: Performance and Effectiveness of Green Infrastructure
Stormwater Management in Philadelphia, PA
July 24, 2014
EPA's Region 3 Office – 4th Floor Shenandoah Room
1650 Arch St., Philadelphia, PA 19103**

AGENDA

- 9:00 – 9:15** **Angela Page**, U.S. EPA, Office of Research and Development
Welcome and Introductions
- 9:15 – 9:30** **Tamara Mittman**, U.S. EPA, Office of Water
EPA's National Green Infrastructure Program
- 9:30–9:45** **Jason Cruz**, Philadelphia Water Department
Early results from Philadelphia's Green City Clean Waters Green
Infrastructure Monitoring Program
- 9:45 – 10:05** **Paul Leisnham**, University of Maryland
Sustainable Community Oriented Stormwater (S-COSM): A Sensible Strategy
for the Chesapeake Bay
- 10:05–10:15** **Break**
- 10:15 – 10:40** **Rob Traver**, Villanova University
Next Generation Volume Reduction Green Infrastructure Stormwater Control
Measures in Support of Philadelphia's Green City Clean Waters Initiative
- 10:40 – 11:05** **Robert Brown**, U.S. EPA ORISE Fellow
Measuring Spatial Variation in Stormwater Control Measures: Results and
Implications
- 11:05 – 11:30** **Jeff Featherstone**, Temple University
An Integrated Strategy to Improve Green Infrastructure Approaches in
Philadelphia
- 11:35 – 12:40** **LUNCH – ON YOUR OWN**
- 12:40 –1:00** **Discussion**
- 1:00 – 1:25** **Tom Ballestero**, University of New Hampshire
Taking it to the Streets: Green Infrastructure for Sustainable Philadelphia
Communities

- 1:25 – 1:50** **Naomi Detenbeck**, U.S. EPA, Office of Research and Development
Estimating the Watershed- and Community-Scale Benefits of Green
Infrastructure
- 1:50 – 2:15** **Art McGarity**, Swarthmore College
Performance and Effectiveness of Urban Green Infrastructure: Maximizing
Benefits at the Subwatershed Scale through Measurement, Modeling, and
Community-Based Implementation
- 2:15 – 2:40** **Hale Thurston**, U.S. EPA, Office of Research and Development
Economic Incentives and Green Infrastructure Research
- 2:40 – 3:00** **BREAK**
- 3:00 – 3:25** **David Hsu**, University of Pennsylvania
Enabling Citizens and Owners to Invest in Green Infrastructure in Philadelphia
- 3:25 – 3:50** **Stuart Echols**, Pennsylvania State University
Center for Green Infrastructure and Stormwater Management
- 3:50 – 4:50** **Dale Manty**, U.S. EPA, Office of Research and Development
General Discussion and Wrap Up