

# NORTHWEST REGIONAL WATERSHED CONFERENCE

For Watershed Groups and Municipalities

Saturday June 23, 2007

Clarion University, Venango Campus

## AGENDA

8:45-9:15	Registration/Breakfast	
9:25-9:30	Welcome/Introduction	
9:30-10:30	Joint Session One—Stormwater Management Act 167 Low Impact Development Smart Growth and Development	Lance Bowes, Venango Conservation District Tim Bruno, DEP Northwest Regional Office Alex Griziani, Smart Growth Partnership Alex Griziani, Smart Growth Partnership
10:35-10:50	Break	
10:50-11:35	Joint Session Two—What Watershed Groups and Municipalities Can Do Together	James Wheeler, PSATS Denny Puko, Department of Environmental and Community Development
11:35-12:15	Lunch	
12:15-1:00	Keynote Speaker—David Hess, Director of Policy and Communications, Crisci Associates Former Secretary of DEP	
1:05-1:50	Break Out Session One—Education & Outreach Public Relations and Organizational Growth	Chris Glenn, Pennsylvania Resource Council
1:05-1:50	Break Out Session One—Stream Bank Stabilization And Restoration Project Example	James Clark, Penn State Cooperative Extension, McKean County
1:55-2:40	Break Out Session Two—Watershed Assessment Planning	Ben Wright, Western PA Conservancy
1:55-2:40	Break Out Session Two—Abandoned Mine Drainage	Margaret Dunn, Biomost
2:45-3:00	Break	
3:00-3:45	Break Out Session Three—Water Quality Testing Biological, Physical and Chemical	Ryan Harr, Butler County Conservation District
3:00-3:45	Break Out Session Three—Financial Resources	Tim Danehy, Biomost
3:45	Wrap Up and Evaluation	

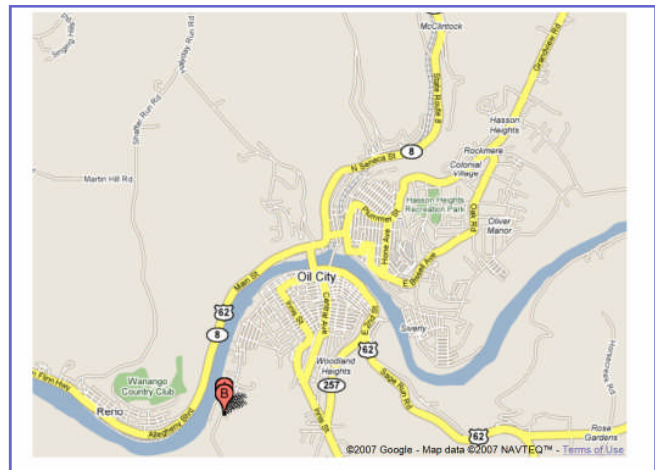
This event has been planned with you in mind. The conference will focus on providing watershed groups with Non Point Source Pollution resource information and knowledge of what can be done with that information once it is obtained. This conference will also be geared toward municipal officials from the region in an effort to make a connection between watershed organizations and municipalities and how they can work together to benefit each other and address Non Point Source Pollution. Part of this connection will be about how watershed organizations can work with municipalities together on regional planning and projects.

There will be displays to browse and continental breakfast and lunch is provided. So join us for the Northwest Regional Watershed Conference.

**Conference size is limited to the first 100 registrations. The deadline for registration is Friday June 1st. The \$10.00 registration fee will be refunded upon attendance. Please mail your registration form and fee payable to:**

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Or contact Lisette Lane at 814-676-2832 or [llane@cescowildblue.com](mailto:llane@cescowildblue.com) for more information or to reserve a free display space.



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