

Agenda

New York State Wetlands Forum NE/NC Manual Supplement to the 1987 Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual Training September 15-17, 2010

Day 1: Wednesday, September 15, 2010

7:45 to 8:00	Welcome and business	Reese/Bliss
8:00 to 8:45	Introduction Intent, Development & Implications of Supplement	Hudson
8:45 to 10:00	Hydrophytic Vegetation Intro Background/ Supplement Changes New Plant Database (mention), Sampling Methods, Description of Indicators	Bruggeman
10:00 to 10:15	Break	
10:15 to 12:00	Indicators (examples): Rapid Test, Dominance Test and the 50/20 Rule, Prevalence Index, Morphological Adaptations	Connell
12:00 to 1:00	Lunch and Guest Speaker “Development of the Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the US”	Vasilas
1:00 to 4:30	Hydric Soils Intro, Land Resource Regions (LRR’s) Technical Information Indicators Procedures for sampling soils Use of existing soil data	Liccion/ Sprecher

Day 2: Thursday, September 16, 2010

8:00 to 4:30	Field Session - Great Swamp Conservancy (meet @ the buses)	Sprecher, et al
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Day 3: Friday, September 17, 2010

8:00 to 9:30	Hydrology Growing Season (Important Changes) Hydrology Groups A, B, C, and D Primary and Secondary indicators Hydrology Field Indicators	Connerton
9:30 to 9:45	Break	
9:45 to 11:00	Difficult Situations Agricultural sites, Disturbed sites, Mosaics, Boundary Discrepancies Supplement as Evolving Document	Hudson/Connell
11:00 to 12:00	Questions and Discussion Problems identified in field Closing & Evaluation Forms	Panel Toni/McMullen