

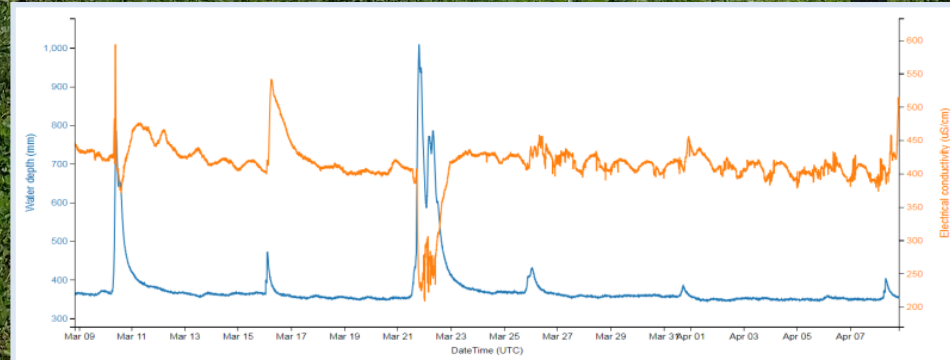
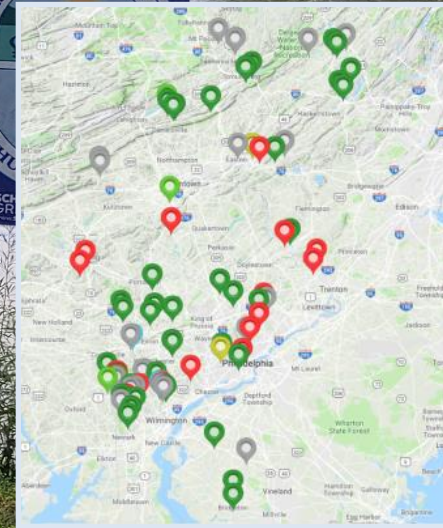
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Monthly EnviroDIY-DRWI User Group Meeting

Online, Thursday April 15, 2021, 2:30-3:30p



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These Monthly Meetings

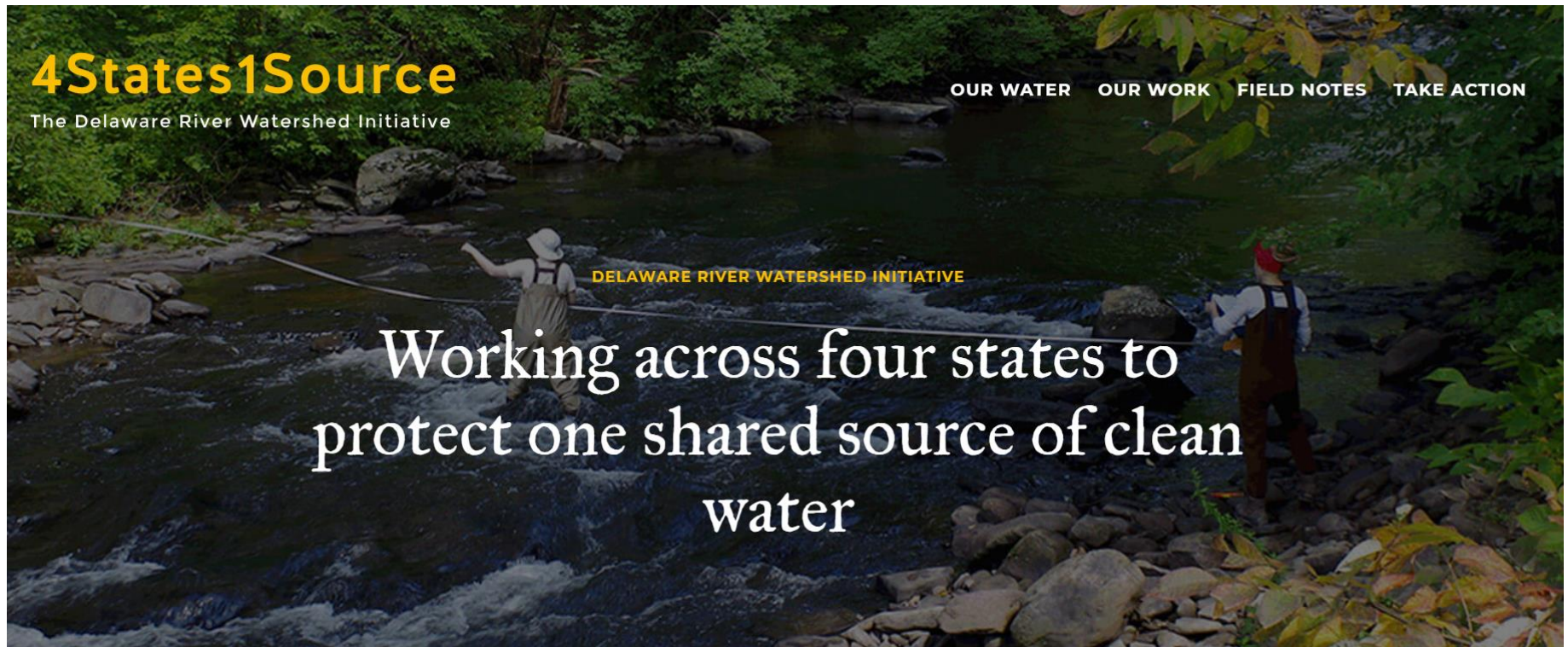
- Every third Thursday of the month
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- Zoom link will remain the same:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81881801310?pwd=eUFmbXZLbmRibVcxa1dtNVhzRmNvZz09>
- Reminder email will be sent one week prior to each month's meeting
 - Station owners/managers organize volunteers/others to attend and share Zoom link

REMINDER

- Attendees include:
 - Groups working in Delaware River Watershed Initiative
 - Groups working in Delaware Basin but not DRWI
- Stroud Center support via DRWI and C-SAW

Delaware River Watershed Initiative

<https://4states1source.org/>



C-SAW

<https://www.c-saw.info/>



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What is C-SAW?

The Consortium for Scientific Assistance to Watersheds (C-SAW) is a team of specialists who provide *free* organizational and scientific technical assistance to Pennsylvania-based watershed and conservation organizations.

C-SAW does not conduct watershed monitoring or assessments. Instead, C-SAW helps watershed organizations do a better job with their own monitoring and assessments.

Goals for these monthly meetings

- **Time/space to check-in, ask questions, report issues, network, etc.**
- **Updates** from Stroud Center
- **Presentations**
 - **Station Owner/Manager Presentations** – communicate about individual situations, local watershed work
 - **Focus Topic Presentations** – guest presenters talk about technical/ecological/other focus topics

****All of this to support gathering good data and using it purposefully***

Facilitators

Stroud Center Facilitators:

David Bressler, Rachel Johnson, Christa Reeves, Shannon Hicks



Master Watershed Steward Facilitators:

Carol Armstrong, George Seeds (Chester & Delaware Co.)

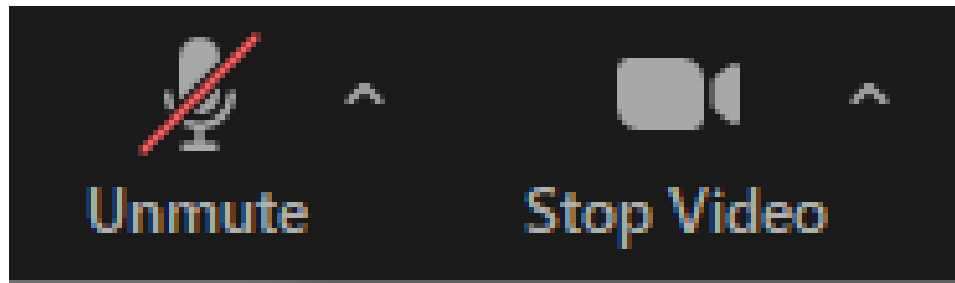




Zoom Orientation



***Meeting is being recorded**



***Mute unless asking question**

These Monthly Meetings

Recordings available at: <https://wikiwatershed.org/drwi/>



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Monthly Meeting Agenda Format

1. Introduction
2. Stroud Updates
3. Presentation(s)
4. Open discussion
5. Conclusion

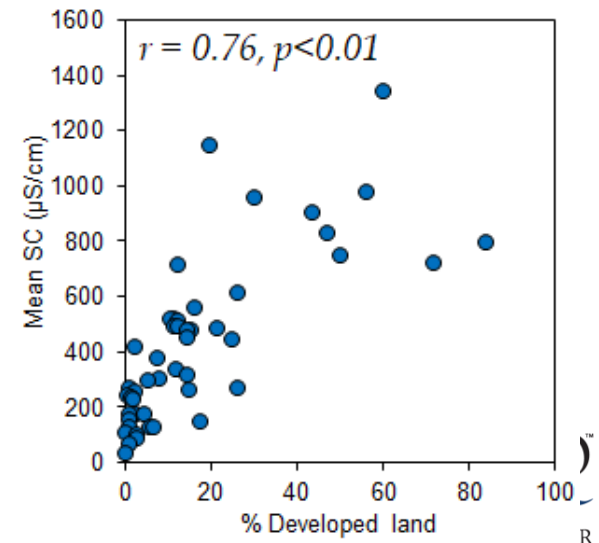
****Adjust this format according to natural progression/development/needs of meetings***

Today's Agenda

1. Introduction
2. Presentation – Patty Haug, West Chester University
3. Stroud Updates
4. Discussion
5. Conclusion

Stroud Center Perspective – EnviroDIY in DRWI

- Primary Goal
 - Support Station owners, managers, and volunteers
 - Use stations for local purposes
- Secondary Goal
 - Analyze basin-wide data set
 - Develop tools to characterize and contextualize watersheds



Any questions before we move on?



Monthly station owner/manager presentation

Salt contamination of five streams in West Chester, PA and outreach efforts with the university and the borough of West Chester



**Patty Haug, West Chester University,
pattyhaug@gmail.com**

Zoom Survey

Stroud Center Updates



SCHUYLKILL RIVER GREENWAYS – WATER QUALITY SAMPLING PROTOCOL

BERKS, CHESTER, MONTGOMERY, & PHILADELPHIA COUNTIES, PA

SEPTEMBER 2020

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COMMUNITY SCIENTIST GUIDE TO VISUAL MONITORING ASSESSMENTS ON THE SCHUYLKILL RIVER



**Looking for
volunteers for visual
trash assessment of
Schuylkill River
between Reading and
Philly**

USING YOUR MOBLIE DEVICE, SIMPLY RECORD THE TRASH
ACCUMULATION OR DUMPING POINTS ALONG A 100-FOOT
SECTION OF THE SCHUYLKILL RIVER.

Stroud Center Updates



Current volatility of cell boards

- The Stroud Center team is diligently investigating more reliable and sustainable tech improvements
- Shannon Hicks, Sara Damiano and others are staying up with tech improvement options

Stroud Center Updates

Manage My Watershed (<https://managemywatershed.org/>)

**Interview with Pete Goodman, Valley Forge Trout Unlimited coming soon!*



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Carol Armstrong / No Comments



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George Seeds / No Comments

Stroud Center Updates

EnviroDIY Workshop Interest Survey 2021-22

- <https://forms.gle/puPdVApiUnbU5ESC6> -
post to chat

Future meeting presenters

- May 20 – John Jackson, water temperature
- June 17 – ??
- July 15 – Mike Burns, Villanova University (Naylors Run)
- August 19 – Jake Lemon and Matt Barney, Trout Unlimited

***Please be in touch if you'd like to do an owner/manager presentation or a focus topic presentation**

Reminder: Resources to Support the Work

<https://wikiwatershed.org/drwi/>

General Resources

- ✓ EnviroDIY Field Visit Data
- ✓ EnviroDIY Monitoring Station Help Resources
- ✓ Data and Data Visualization Resources
- ✓ Volunteer Management Guidance Materials
- ✓ WikiWatershed Toolkit
- ✓ Project Updates

Meetings, Workshops, and Conferences

- ✓ Monthly EnviroDIY-DRWI User Group Meetings
- ✓ User Support Workshops and Trainings
- ✓ Conference Presentations
- ✓ Watershed Ecology Workshops

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Mentors currently available

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- George Seeds (MWS), geoseeds@verizon.net, 484-886-9586
- Rachel Johnson (Stroud Center), rjohnson@stroudcenter.org, 973-557-8995
- Christa Reeves (Stroud Center)(in the north, situational), christa@musconetcong.org, 727-520-5849

****Anyone else interested? If so get in touch with Stroud Center or Carol or George***

Resources to Support the Work

- **Delaware Basin EnviroDIY Monitoring Stations**, private online group (<https://wikiwatershed.org/groups/delaware-basin-sensor-stations/>)

Delaware Basin EnviroDIY Monitoring Stations



- Pose questions to the user group community
- Check for updates and new posts
- Set it for daily or weekly email updates

Conclusion

Next month's meeting will be on:

Thursday May 20, 2021
2:30-3:30p

Onward!

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