

**PACD South West Region Meeting  
Westmoreland Conservation District, Greensburg, PA  
September 28, 2022**

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Conservation district directors, associate directors, district staff, and partners are cordially invited to attend the PACD South West Region Meeting at **10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 28, 2022**, at the Westmoreland Conservation District, 218 Donohoe Road, Greensburg, PA 15601. You may RSVP for either in-person or remote attendance. Remote access information will be emailed prior to the meeting to all who RSVP.

**Please RSVP for either in-person or remote attendance, including your email address, no later than September 23, 2022, to Sandy Dzendzel at [sandy@wcdpa.com](mailto:sandy@wcdpa.com).** For those attending in person, a charge of \$20.00 will cover lunch. Attendees may prepay by check or bring payment to the meeting. Checks should be made payable to the Westmoreland Conservation District and mailed to:

Westmoreland Conservation District  
J. Roy Houston Conservation Center  
218 Donohoe Road  
Greensburg, PA 15601  
Attn: Sandy Dzendzel

To reduce the spread of COVID-19, PACD encourages attendees to follow common sense and current CDC guidelines. Please [click here to view current CDC guidelines](#).

If you have any questions about the meeting, feel free to contact me at [mike.price@bccdpa.us](mailto:mike.price@bccdpa.us) or 724.378.1701. I look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

*Mike Price*

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South West Region Director



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**Agenda**

- 10:00 a.m. Welcome and Introductions – Mike Price, South West Region Director
- 10:05 a.m. Set Date for Next Meeting
- 10:10 a.m. Approval of Minutes from the Previous Meeting
- 10:15 a.m. PACD Business and Report – Brenda Shambaugh, Executive Director  
*PACD will provide a legislative update, including format changes for the annual highlights pages; a PACD program update; and a statewide Partnerships for Regional Invasive Species Management (PRISM) program update.*
- In addition, at their August 2022 board meeting, the Cambria County Conservation District moved to ask PACD to seek approval for each district to provide funding to PACD to hire a consultant to complete a salary comparison study. The purpose of the study is to provide valuable data to justify the continuation of increased funding for conservation districts in the state budget.*
- 10:55 a.m. Regional Information Sharing  
*Each district is asked to highlight three items.*
- 11:30 a.m. Partner Reports
- PA Department of Agriculture
  - PA Department of Environmental Protection
  - PA State Conservation Commission
  - USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service
- Noon Adjournment and Lunch

