



United States Department of Agriculture



USDA-NRCS Maine State Technical Committee (STTC) Meeting
June 14, 2023
Microsoft Teams

AGENDA

8:30 AM – 8:35 AM	Introductions and Meeting Housekeeping	Chuck Penney Outreach Coordinator
8:35 AM – 8:45 AM	Welcome and NRCS Briefing	Damarys Mortenson Acting State Conservationist
8:45 AM – 8:55 AM	Maine Association of Conservation Districts (MACD) Briefing	Carol Weymouth MACD Executive Director
8:55 AM– 9:20 AM	Programs Briefing	Susan Arrants ASTC for Programs
9:20 AM– 9:30 AM	Break	
9:30AM – 09:50 AM	Guest presentation Maine Organic Farmers and Gardeners. (MOFGA) LWG Discussion	Caleb Goossen: Organic Crop and Conservation Specialist
09:50 AM – 10:20 AM	Subcommittee Reports (Forestry, Irrigation, Source Water Protection, Wildlife, Urban Agriculture)	Tony Jenkins State Resource Conservationist
10:20 AM – 11:00 AM	Guest presentation Managing PFAS contamination on dairy farms in Maine. Observations and possible solutions.	Rick Kersbergen Extension Professor Emeritus Consultant to Maine DACF
11:00 AM-11:15 AM	STTC Issues, Input, and NRCS Conservation Practices update	Tony Jenkins State Resource Conservationist
11:15 AM – 11:30 AM	STTC Feedback, Agenda Items for next meeting, wrap up	Damarys Mortenson Acting State Conservationist