



MNGWPD & CQG's Stormwater Working Group Joint Statement

"Recent litigation wins have help ensure the metro Atlanta region's long-term water supply to support economic vitality, quality of life, and progress. Good management of stormwater helps protect human life, property, and natural resources. As more of metro Atlanta urbanizes and is more densely developed, robust stormwater infrastructure improves water quality, mitigates flooding, and protects ecosystems. And as the intensity and frequency of storms increases, we must take collaborative action to improve the region's stormwater management practices and policies – to ensure our continued quality of life."

Workshop Program on Reverse



Stormwater Workshop Program

June 14, 2023

8:30 | Registration, Networking, & Breakfast

9:00 | Welcome & Introductions

- Jennifer Flowers, Manager of Leadership Development Programming & Member Relations, Georgia Association of Water Professionals
- Kerry Armstrong, Chairman, Atlanta Regional Commission
- Michael Paris, President & CEO, Council for Quality Growth

9:15 | Metro Atlanta: Destiny or Culmination of Choices?

- Michael Alexander, Chief Operating Officer, Atlanta Regional Commission
- Katherine Zitsch, Director, Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District

9:45 | Georgia, Climate Change, and an Evolving Metro Atlanta

• Dr. J Marshall Shepherd, Director, Atmospheric Sciences Program, University of Georgia

10:15 | Break

10:30 | Fireside Chat: Rethinking Land Use & Zoning Regulations

- M. Nolan Gray, Author, Arbitrary Lines
- Katherine Atteberry, Stormwater Planning Manager, Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District

11:15 | Financial Impacts of Stormwater Requirements for Infill Development

• Juli Beth Hinds, Principal, Birchline Planning LLC

11:45 | Lunch & Discussion: What's Next?

1:00 | Wrapping Up

• Katherine Zitsch, Director, Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District

To stay involved in the MNGWPD & CQG's joint stormwater committee, please contact Katherine Atteberry at <u>katteberry@atlantaregional.org</u>.

