# **Wetland Training Webinar Series**

Hosted by the Association of State Wetland Managers and the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service





Webinar #3 of 9: Wetlands Ecology for Planners: How Wetlands Function

**November 14, 2018** 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm Eastern

## Webinar Presenters:

- Stacey Clark, USDA Natural Resources
   Conservation Service
- Kendra Moseley, USDA Natural
   Resources Conservation Service

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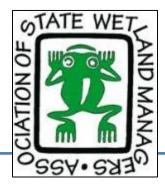


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#### **Target Audience**

- Level 1&2 NRCS Conservation Planners in field offices
- State and tribal wetland program staff
- Soil and Water Conservation
   District staff
- Those working with NRCS Planners
- Staff from other agencies working on these issues (e.g. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management)
- NRCS non-planners who can use this knowledge/skillbuilding in their work.



#### This webinar series...

Works to help participants build general knowledge about wetlands, wetland restoration options and considerations.

**Ties in with the NRCS nine-step planning process**, focusing on Phase I collection and analysis steps: identify problems, determine objectives, inventory resources and analyze resource data.

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- Webinar 1: Introduction to Wetlands (June 22<sup>nd</sup>)
- Webinar 2: Wetlands in a Watershed/at the Landscape Scale (July 13<sup>th</sup>)
- Webinar 3: Wetland Ecology for Planners: How a Wetland Should Function (November 14<sup>th</sup>)

- Webinar 4: Wetland Ecology for Planners: Examples of Variation Across the United States (December 14<sup>th</sup>)
- Webinar 5: Dealing with Reality: How to Work with Wetlands in Altered Landscapes (January 7<sup>th</sup>)
- Webinar 6: Identifying Resource Concerns and Determining Landowner Objectives
- Webinar 7: How to Talk about Wetlands with Landowners
- Webinar 8: What are Wetland Restoration Choices? Matching Objectives to Programs and Getting Additional Help
- Webinar 9: Dealing with Challenging Weather Patterns in Restoration Planning

# Webinar Agenda



Welcome & Introductions (10 minutes)

#### Presentations

(60 minutes)

- Setting the Stage
- General Wetland Ecology Concepts
- How Source Waters and Soils Define the Character of a Wetland
- Concluding Remarks

**Q&A** (20 minutes)

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# Today's Presenters



Stacey Clark

## Stacey Clark

USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service



Kendra Moseley

## **Kendra Moseley**

USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

# **Webinar Moderator**



## **Brenda Zollitsch**

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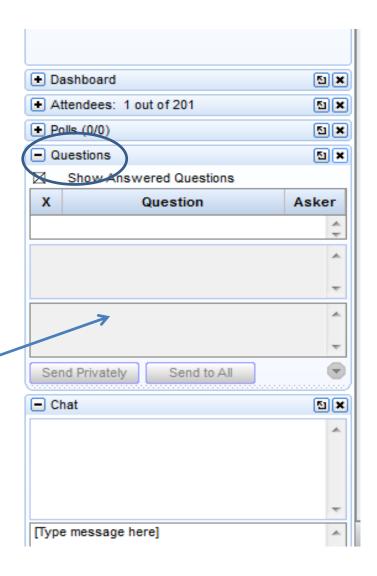
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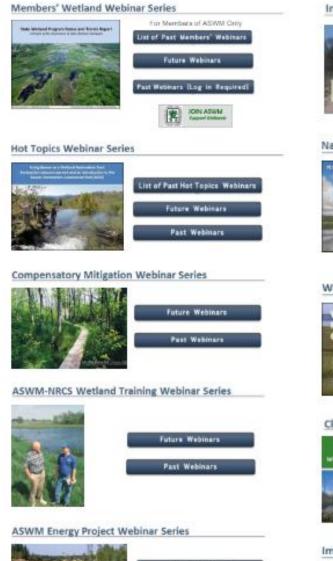


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