

# WETLAND MAPPING CONSORTIUM

## *Variable Width Riparian Areas Mapping: a Robust GIS Approach*

*Dr. Sinan A. Abood, USDA Forest Service*

*Hosted by the Association of State Wetland Managers*





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# AGENDA



- **Welcome and Introductions (5 minutes)**
- **WMC Webinar Recordings/Schedule (5 minutes)**
- **Variable Width Riparian Areas Mapping: a Robust GIS Approach (40 minutes)**
- **Question & Answer (15)**
- **Wrap up (5 minutes)**

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- Less Than Half of Americans Make Anthropogenic Connection
- Clean Water Act 2.0: Rights of Waterways
- Virginia Coastal Partners Workshop: Save the Date
- FGCU appoints director for new Everglades Wetland Research Park
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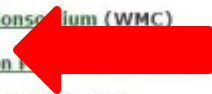
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- Great Barrier Reef's 'unprecedented' threat from dredging, dumping
- EPA Awards \$860K to Comm. for Climate Change
- European seafloor survey reveals depth of marine litter problem
- 100th anniversary of passenger pigeon's extinction reveals lessons
- "Alien" Plant Species Are Fighting Toxic Waste At Liberty State Park
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**Future:**

[Special ASWM American Wetlands Month Webinar](#) - May 29, 2014 - 3:00pm EDT

**Past:**

[Special ASWM Webinar: Options for Financing Environmental Enhancement at the Local Level in Oregon](#) - January 23, 2014 - To view Webinar, [click here](#).

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[Special ASWM Webinar - Koontz v. St. Johns River Water Management District: What Happened and Where Do We Go From Here](#) - Wednesday, July 17, 2013 - 3:00 p.m. ET - To view Webinar and PowerPoint Presentations, [click here](#).

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## Mapping Standards & Requirements

Rusty Griffin

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service



Part 1: Introduction - Marla Stelk, Policy Analyst, ASWM  
Presenter: Rusty Griffin,  
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service



Part 2: Rusty Griffin, U.S.  
Fish & Wildlife Service



Part 3: Questions



# NEXT WMC WEBINAR:

DECEMBER 17, 3PM ET



## Wetland Mapping With Ecological Site Descriptors

Richard Weber

Wetland Hydraulic Engineer

NRCS

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- World Stands By As Algae and Dead Zones Ruin Water
- E.P.A. Unveils 2nd Phase of Plan to Reverse Great Lakes Damage
- NC: Duke Energy creates \$10 million water fund
- Obama to create largest protected marine reserve in Pacific Ocean
- Federal judge rejects BP's request for repayment on oil spill claims
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