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Weekly Watershed Announcements February 15, 2019

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In the News

New Bay cleanup plans on schedule despite federal shutdown
(Bay Journal)



Despite a 35-day government shutdown that sidelined federal agency involvement, Chesapeake Bay restoration leaders say they are committed to maintaining the deadline to complete new cleanup plans.

Senior state and federal officials said at a meeting last week that they intend to complete draft watershed implementation plans and submit them to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for review by the original deadline of April 12.

To read the full article by Karl Blankenship, click [here](#)

Upcoming Events

Paint Out Pollution in Chesterfield
(James River Association)



Friday, February 22, 2019

10am-1pm

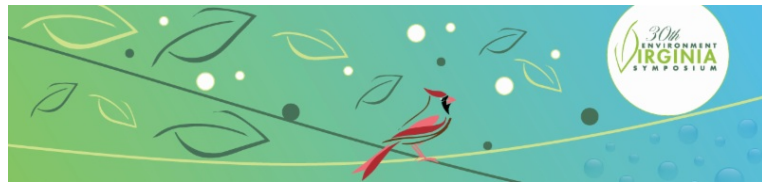
Rain Date - March 1

This is a unique volunteer opportunity to create awareness with art! Paint Out Pollution is a project that increases public awareness of stormwater pollution and celebrates the native plant and animal species that call the James River home.

The James River Association, Art on Wheels, and Chesterfield County are looking for 25 volunteers to install art on storm drains using spray paint and stencils. Volunteers should meet at the Community Development Building at 9800 Government Center Parkway, Chesterfield 23832. From there, we will split into teams. Please contact volunteer@jrava.org with any questions.

To register, go to <https://form.jotform.com/90066635292964>

30th Annual Environment Virginia Symposium (Virginia Military Institute)



30th Annual Environment Virginia Symposium

Tuesday-Thursday, 26-28 March 2019

Learn more, visit the Website:

[Environment Virginia Symposium](#)

Grant Opportunities

eco-Tech Grants

(Captain Planet Foundation)



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Grants up to \$2,500 are offered to engage children in inquiry-based, STEM-related projects that leverage technology and/or use nature-based design to address environmental problems in local communities. To learn more, see <https://captainplanetfoundation.org/grants/ecotech/>. Funded with ongoing support from Voya Financial Foundation through Captain Planet Foundation.

Director of Stormwater and Resource Protection Division (James City County)



Open until filled. For information and to apply visit: --
<https://jobs.jamescitycountyva.gov/applications/externalapplicants/login/default.aspx>
and search "stormwater".

Outreach and Education Coordinator (City of Lynchburg)



OLynchburg Water Resources is looking for a creative and motivated outreach & education professional to join our growing outreach team. As the City of Lynchburg's public utility, Lynchburg Water Resources provides water, wastewater, and stormwater services to over 23,000 customers in the greater Lynchburg region. This position will support the Department's stormwater, water, and wastewater programs, including compliance with the City's MS4 Permit, through implementing creative educational programming to reach an audience ranging from kindergarteners to retirees. Closing date February 17, 2019.

For more information and to apply, visit <http://www.lynchburgva.gov/node/3455/>

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