

Resilient Landscapes	Resilient Communities	Resilient Plants and Soils
<p>8:00 - 9:00 Registration – Coffee / refreshments – Eco-Marketplace Tavern Ballroom</p>		
<p>9:00 - 9:20 Welcome and Introductory Remarks Sunset Ballroom</p>		
<p>9:20 - 10:20 The Invincible Garden Ladies Keynote Speaker - Abra Lee Oakland Cemetery, Director of Horticulture Sunset Ballroom</p>		
<p>10:30 - 11:30 Successful Meadows Matt Bright Earth Sangha, Executive Director Owen Williams Native Meadows, LLC, Founding owner Sunset Ballroom</p>	<p>Yes, In My Back (And Front!) Yard! Nancy Lawson The Humane Gardener Breezeway</p>	<p>Urban Trees & Social Justice Dexter Locke USDA Forest Service, Northern Research Station. Research Geographer Tavern Bayside</p>
<p>11:30 - 12:40 <i>Lunch , Eco-Marketplace & Photographer Jay Fleming</i> Tavern Ballroom</p>		
<p>12:40 - 1:40 Native Grasses And Sedges: Smart Choices For Better Landscapes Shannon Currey Izel Plants, Education and Outreach Sunset Ballroom</p>	<p>Landscape Design Informed By Cultural Heritage Jeanette Ankoma-Sey Landscape Architect Adele Kuo Deco Footprint, Owner Breezeway</p>	<p>Bay Region Grower Panel Jim Mackenzie Octoraro Native Plant Nursery, President Mark Fiely Ernst Conservation Seeds, Horticulturist Eric Sours White House Natives, Nursery Manager Tavern Bayside</p>
<p>1:45 - 2:25 The Invasive Spotted Lanternfly: What Have We Learned? Emilie Schwackhamer Penn State Extension Montgomery County, Extension Educator Tavern Bayside</p>	<p>GI Workforce Development for Returning Citizens – Challenges & Opportunities Vanessa Bright Maryland Reentry Resource Center, Executive Director DeAngelo Myers Maryland Reentry Resource Center, Breezeway</p>	<p>Enhancing Urban Forest Resilience Through Climate Adaptation Practices Kasey Yturalde Urban Forestry Division, District Department of Transportation - Forest Health and Community Outreach Specialist Sunset Ballroom</p>
<p>2:25 - 2:55 <i>Break & Eco-Marketplace</i> Tavern Ballroom</p>		
<p>2:55 - 3:55 Naturally Better Landscaping for HOAs Jenny Houghton Adkins Arboretum, Assistant Director Darran Tilghman Shore Rivers, Director of Community Engagement Sunset Ballroom</p>	<p>Bridging Communities Scott Kratz Building Bridges Across the River; Senior Vice President Tavern Bayside</p>	<p>Climate Restoration DIY: Dance of the Earth and Sky Mike Collins American Climate Partners, Executive Director Breezeway</p>
<p>4:00 - 5:00 Creating and Managing Landscapes for Native Bees and Predatory Wasps Closing Plenary - Heather Holm Pollinator Conservationist and Author Sunset Ballroom</p>		