

Plan2Fund: A Tool to Organize Your Watershed Funding

A Watershed Academy Webcast

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Session Description:

This Webcast will help you get on the right fundraising track. Presenters will highlight several tools developed by the Environmental Finance Center to support watershed organizations in their long-term fundraising efforts. In addition, a real world example from the Pacific Northwest will show how the tools have been applied.



Instructors:

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Bill directs the Environmental Finance Center, which specializes in watershed finance and the financial and management aspects of water and wastewater systems.

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Amy has presented numerous watershed funding workshops, assisted in the development of Plan2Fund, and managed the development of the Directory of Watershed Resources, which contains over 1000 funding sources for watershed activities.

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Lee manages the Chehalis Basin Partnership, a broad-based organization that undertakes water resource issues throughout one of the largest river basins in Washington. She helped develop the Basin Watershed Management Plan, which describes the Partnership's vision and framework for water resource management.



The Watershed Academy

The Watershed Academy is a focal point in EPA's Office of Water for providing training and information on implementing watershed approaches. The Academy sponsors live classroom training, online distance learning modules through the Watershed Academy Web at

www.epa.gov/watertrain/, and most recently, Webcasts on various watershed planning and restoration topics. EPA plans to offer additional Webcasts in 2006. For more information, visit www.epa.gov/owow/watershed/wacademy/.

Registration

Registration for this Webcast opens February 8, 2006. You must register in advance to participate in the Webcast. To register, visit www.clu-in.org/live. The Webcast will be a Web-based slide presentation with a companion audio portion. There are two options for accessing the audio portion of the Webcast: by phone OR streaming audio broadcast (not both). By selecting one registration option at the registration page, you will be registering to view the Web-based slides and the audio method of your choice. If you choose the streaming audio option, you will not be able to participate by telephone. However, you will be able to submit questions online for the presenters to answer during the Webcast. Closed-captioning is available. Upon registration you will receive complete participation instructions. **Please note that there are a limited number of toll-free phone lines available, so register early to guarantee your spot. Because of the growing popularity of these Webcasts and the limited number of available spaces, we strongly encourage you to reserve a conference room and invite your colleagues and other partners to participate.** If you register after that limit is reached, you will be added to a waiting list. After the Webcast is over, an audio version of the Webcast will be available—visit www.epa.gov/watershedwebcasts/ for more information.

Questions?

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