

Workshop on Urban Growth in the Mid-Atlantic Region



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The Mid-Atlantic Federal
Partners for the Environment
(MAFPE)

April 2-4, 2002
Baltimore, Maryland



MAFPE has identified the environmental impact of urban and suburban growth as a priority concern and is actively seeking to engage local, regional, and state agencies in a dialogue on this issue. This workshop will address concerns related to growth in urban, suburban, and rural areas and provide a venue for the exchange of ideas on ways of managing both growth and natural resources.

Workshop Goals

The workshop is designed to achieve three goals:

- Prioritize the growth information needs of local, regional, state, and federal agencies and the public
- Educate federal partners about the processes used by local jurisdictions for land-use planning and resource-management decisions
- Provide information to develop an interagency science plan to fill information gaps

Who Should Attend

- Local resource managers, planners, and policy makers
- County and township land-use decision makers
- Regional planning commissions
- State agencies
- Federal agencies
- Academia
- Non-government organizations

Workshop Registration Fee

Federal agency registrants:	\$175
Other registrants:	\$35

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CVI-Urban Growth Workshop

Payment may be made by check or money order only.

Registration information is on the other side of this brochure.

**To see agenda updates,
please visit the MAFPE
website at:
<http://water.usgs.gov/mafpe/>**

Workshop Format

Day 1—Plenary speakers, panel discussions, and poster session. Registration at 8:30 AM.

Featuring a welcoming address on Urban Growth from the Office of the Governor of Maryland, plenary addresses on *Ecological Cities and Issues of Growth in the Mid-Atlantic Highlands*, and panel discussions on *Issues and Problems and Information Needs of Decision Makers*.

Evening poster session features information on a variety of local, state, and federal programs, activities, and studies related to growth and development in the Mid-Atlantic region.

Refreshments provided and cash bar available.

Day 2—Panel discussion and breakout sessions.

Panel discussion on the *Status of Science* that can be applied to growth issues. Breakout sessions will bring local, state, federal, and other parties together to discuss ways to bridge the gap between regional and local perspectives to deal with problems related to growth patterns.

Day 3—Presentation of breakout group findings and recommendations, open discussion, and workshop summary. Ends at noon.

Hotel Information

The workshop will be held at:

Holiday Inn Select
2004 Greenspring Drive
Timonium, MD 21093-4114
(Baltimore area)

Reservations:

(410) 252-7373 or (800) 289-4499

Workshop Rate: \$110 per night plus tax

A limited number of rooms has been reserved.

To reserve one of these rooms, please contact hotel directly by March 12, 2002. After this date, reservations will be on a space-available basis only, and the workshop rate may no longer be available. Refer to the MAFPE Urban Growth Workshop to receive the special rate.

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The Mid-Atlantic Federal Partners for the Environment (MAFPE) was formed to promote cooperation among federal agencies whose missions are related to environmental assessment or protection in the Mid-Atlantic States of Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia, and the District of Columbia. MAFPE is a consortium of federal agencies that works with states, tribes, local governments, and other parties toward a more integrated approach to the conservation, management, and restoration of natural resources in the Mid-Atlantic region.

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***The Canaan Valley Institute (CVI) is assisting
MAFPE with the workshop.***

Registration Form

Registration Due Date: **March 6, 2002**

To register, mail your completed form to:

Urban Growth Workshop
Attn: John Forren
USEPA Region III
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Philadelphia, PA 19103
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You will receive telephone or e-mail confirmation within 5 business days.

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