State Forest Annual Work Plans Public Comment Period

The Maryland Department of Natural Resources seeks public comment on the proposed 2021 fiscal year work plan for Potomac Garrett, Green Ridge, Savage River, Chesapeake and Pocomoke State Forests.

Annual work plans help identify priorities within the scope of the forest's long-range management plan. They address establishment, growth, composition, health and quality management operations, along with maintenance and construction projects, and other actions.

Following the conclusion of the comment period on February 28, 2020 each forest manager will review, revise and finalize their plan.

Follow this link to view the work plans and to comment.
Requests are currently being solicited for the FY2021 Appalachian Regional Commission grant cycle in Allegany, Garrett, and Washington Counties.

Eligible applicants include County Governments, Local Governments, non-profit organizations, and educational institutions. Projects should be able to demonstrate measurable outcomes and/or economic impact. Preliminary Project Descriptions must be submitted to the respective counties for review to ensure that they meet the minimum criteria set forth by the guidelines no later than Thursday, April 9, 2020.

Those interested in submitting a project request should contact the following to obtain further information:

Allegany County Department of Economic & Community Development
301-777-5967

Garrett County Economic Development
301-334-1921

Washington County Office of Community Grant Management
240-313-2092