COLT Fall Meeting Agenda 2014

**Building our Land Trusts to Safeguard our Work for the Future**

November 13, 2014

Blacklick Woods Metro Park Course Club House and Banquet Facility

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| 9:30am | **Registration and Networking** |
| 10:00 | **Welcome and Introductions**Steve Goodwin, COLT Steering Committee Program Chair and Land Protection Specialist, Appalachia Ohio AllianceKrista Magaw, COLT Steering Committee President , Executive Director Tecumseh Land TrustKim Kimlin, Education Committee Chair, Program Director, Trust for Public Lands, Ohio |
| 10:15 | **Discussion -- Collaboration, Partnerships and Conservation*****Learn about some successful collaborations between wildlife and sporting groups and land trusts in southeastern Ohio***Moderator:Carolyn Waldron * Steve Fleegal, Executive Director, Appalachia Ohio Alliance
* Rick Gardner, Chief Botanist, ODNR Division of Natural Areas and Preserves
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| 10:5511:00 | **Introduction to Conservation Foundation** – Steve Gray**The Art of the Face-to-Face Ask – this may be the tool your land trust is looking for**Land Trust Alliance Express Learning Kit Series: *How to Ask for Major Gifts: Maximizing Your Fundraising Team* by Andy RobinsonModerator: Carolyn Waldron |
| 11:45 | **Lunch** (provided on-site) |
| 12:45pm | **State and Federal Policy Updates**Adrienne Dziak, Policy Chair, Director of Government Relations, The Nature Conservancy in Ohio |
| 1:00 | **Agricultural Easements and Pipelines** ***What land trusts and landowners should look for; how to manage once the easement is in place***Moderator: Jonathan Ferbrache* Art Brate, Retired State Conservation Engineer
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| 1:45 | **Concurrent Sessions*** **Board Development** – ***Essential and Ongoing –*** *Rob Krain, Executive Director, Black Swamp Conservancy*
* **ODNR Conservation Programs *– What’s available? --*** Cotton Randall, Ohio DNR Division of Forestry on forest programs; Matt Harbage, Natural Resource Conservation Service on **Ag Land Easements** and **Regional Conservation Partnerships**; Moderator: Steve Goodwin
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| 3:003:15 | **Rally Highlights****Wrap-up and Concluding Remarks*** Krista Magaw
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| 3:30 | **Adjourn** |