

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 Alliance  Krista Magaw, COLT Steering Committee President , Executive Director Tecumseh Land Trust  Kim 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 |
| 10:55  11:00 | **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 Robinson  Moderator: 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 |
| 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 |
| 3:00  3:15 | **Rally Highlights**  **Wrap-up and Concluding Remarks**   * Krista Magaw |
| 3:30 | **Adjourn** |