



Spring Creek Watershed Association Meeting

June 16th, 2015

7:30 AM to 9:30 AM

Patton Township Municipal Building
100 Patton Plaza, State College PA 16803

Agenda

1. 7:30 AM to 7:40 AM: Welcome & Introductions
2. 7:40 AM to 8:30 AM: Educational Speaker



"The Penns Valley Conservation Association" by Andrea Ferich, Executive Director

Andrea Ferich has dedicated the past fifteen years to the study and work of ecosystem renewal through watershed restoration and sustainable community development. She holds a global systems-thinking approach with a vast array of work experiences focused on alternative indicators for progress with roots in Lancaster County and Belize. Currently Ms. Ferich is the Executive Director of the Penns Valley Conservation Association focusing on stream restoration, buffer plantings, various Ag-BMP's, habitat management for young forest initiatives, and extensive educational programming. Through community-based monitoring and education Ms. Ferich continues to strengthen the collective impact of PVCA's work. As an experienced director, educator, sustainability consultant, author, and speaker she is an innovator in developing public-private partnerships toward sustainability. She enjoys collaborations with people of diverse backgrounds, focused on improved ecosystem function, product development, chemical free farming techniques, living shorelines, ecological corridors, and community-based asset mapping. She is the recipient of the EPA Environmental Quality Award, Camden County Woman of Purpose, and the SMART Environmental Hero Award for her work in green infrastructure, food system security, and the establishment of community-based native plant and tree nurseries. E-mail her at andrea@pennsvalley.net to connect or visit www.pennsvalley.net for more information.

3. 8:30 AM to 9:30AM: Association Business
 - a. *EPA's Water Conservation Plan for the Spring Creek Watershed* - continue discussion as appropriate.
 - b. *Mapping of the Spring Creek Watershed* – Barbara Fisher and others with report
4. Partner Updates
5. The next meeting will be July 21st at 7:30 AM at the Patton Township Municipal Building. This will just be a business meeting, there is no educational speaker scheduled.