

## AGENDA

- I. Welcome and introduction
- II. Project Overview
- III. Discussion/Input on Outdoor Recreation Issues
- IV. Summary & Next Steps

## INPUT QUESTIONS

Individual Questions (choose three to answer individually)

1. How can our outdoor recreation areas become the best places for everyone to experience the natural beauty of Maryland?
2. How can different uses of outdoor recreation areas be managed to assure equal access and enjoyment (e.g., hiking or hunting, bird watching or off-road vehicle use?)
3. How can people who don't often use our outdoor recreation areas be encouraged to take advantage of them?
4. What groups of people seem to you to be least likely to use outdoor recreation areas including state parks? Why?
5. Think of a park or recreation area that you have especially enjoyed. What was it about that place that should be copied in other parks and outdoor recreation areas?
6. What do you think are the most important parts of outdoor recreation areas to preserve?
7. How can outdoor recreation areas be designed to serve specific groups such as people with disabilities, youth, seniors, and low-income families?
8. How should we encourage Maryland's youth to explore the outdoors?
9. What kinds of services or facilities would you be willing to pay (more) for, and what would you not pay (more) for?

Key Issues Identification

1. What are the strengths of Maryland's outdoor recreation resources? What works?
2. What improvements could be made to enhance outdoor recreation experiences? For youth? Underserved? Special populations?

In Depth Focus on Key Issue

1. Define the problem
2. Identify barriers to resolution
3. Recommend 2-4 feasible actions