

Healthy Farms, Healthy Animals, Healthy Water: Planning for Sustainability



The 2-day workshop will be held at the
Best Western Lehigh Valley Hotel and Conference Center
300 Gateway Drive, Bethlehem, PA 18017

Saturday, February 4, 2017
& Saturday, February 18, 2017
8:30 am – 4:00 pm

A \$20 fully-refundable deposit is required to hold a spot
(the refund will be made upon completion of the workshop on February 18th)

The “Healthy Farms, Healthy Animals, Healthy Water: Planning for Sustainability” is a 2-day workshop designed to help managers of equine and other livestock operations understand how the manure management regulations affect their farm operations. The workshop will cover sessions about why Erosion and Sediment (E&S) Regulations have been established and what kind of plan is required for each operation. Sessions on pasture health, ACA (Animal Concentration Areas) Regulations, and proper procedures for manure spreading and storage will also be addressed. Two instructional classes regarding the drawing of maps for an individual farms’ plan and the completion of the manure management plan are also included in the course.

Upon completion of the workshop, participants will have, free of charge:

- a manure management plan for their farm that is fully compliant with PA state regulations
- lunches and snacks for both sessions
- a copy of “Weeds of the Northeast”, a soil testing kit and a grazing stick

To receive more information, or to register for the workshop
please contact Damian Painter at (610) 391.9583 ext. 26
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Please Register by February 1, 2017

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