

CA Climate Change Adaptation Workshop Agenda

Hamilton - March 9, 2011

8:00 am – 8:30 am	Registration
8:30 am - 8:40 am	Welcome - Charley Worte, CO and Al Douglas, OCCIAR
	MORNING SESSION
8:40 am – 9:00 am	Overview of Climate Change Impacts Related to Water – Quentin Chiotti
9:00 am – 9:20 am	Climate Models – Dr. Neil Comer - EC (teleconference)
9:20 am – 9:40 am	Climate Change Adaptation and the Great Lakes – Dr. Gail Krantzberg, McMaster (teleconference)
9:40 am – 10:00 am	Guide for Assessment of Hydrologic Effects of Climate Change in Ontario and Future Climate Data WEB Application – Mike Garraway, MNR
10:00 am – 10:20 am	Watershed Monitoring - Scott MacRitchie, MOE
10:20 am – 10:40 am	Break
	<i>Discussion of CA Policy and Programs Implications of Climate Change</i>
10:40 am – 11:00 am	Natural Heritage Implications of Climate Change - Ken Towle, GRCA
11:00 am – 11:20 am	Climate Change Adaptation: Provincial Initiatives and Direction - Louis Des Rosiers, MOE
11:20 am – 11:40 am	Implication of Climate Change to Stormwater Management - Dr. Bahram Gharabaghi, University of Guelph
11:40 am – 12:00 pm	Vulnerability and Risk Frameworks for Adaptation Planning - Al Douglas, OCCIAR
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch
	AFTERNOON SESSION
	<i>CA Case Studies of adaptation and mitigation responses</i>
1:00 pm – 1:20 pm	Floodplain Standards, Policy and Direction – Dwight Boyd, GRCA
1:20 pm – 1:40 pm	Overview of CA Climate Initiatives - Charley Worte - Conservation Ontario
1:40 pm – 2:20 pm	Conservation Authority Climate Change Strategies Hazel Breton - Hamilton Conservation Authority Mike Walters - Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority
2:20 pm – 2:40 pm	Break
	<i>Conservation Authority priorities and next steps</i>
2:40 pm – 3:40 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Discussion Session – Breakout Groups</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the short term priorities (next 12 months) for incorporating climate change into CA programs? 2. What are the long term (beyond 1 year) implications to CA business? 3. What guidance and/or resource material do CAs require to move forward? 4. How can CAs work together to address these priorities? 5. How should CAs engage the province? 6. What role do CAs want CO to play? <p>Each question will be addressed by at least one breakout group and results brought back to the larger group.</p>
3:40 pm – 3:55 pm	Groups report back
3:55 pm – 4:00 pm	Wrap Up