

Agenda

Working Groups:

National Hydromorphology

Natural Water Retention Measures

DHPLG Technical Guidance



Location: Airfield Estate, Dublin 14 – directions are on Google Maps:

<https://goo.gl/maps/tFkxQwUCthH2>

Date: 12th March 2019

Time: 10:30-15:30 – teas and coffees will be available from 10am.

1. National Hydromorphology working group (10:30 – 12:00)

Chair: Jenny Deakin, EPA

- a. Introductions and agree agenda (10 minutes)
- b. Overview of the EPA national hydromorphology work plan (2018-2021) (50 minutes)
- c. European Commission review of Ireland's River Basin Management Plan (2018-2021): consideration of hydromorphology (15 minutes)
- d. Discussion
- e. AOB

2. Natural Water Retention Measures working group (12:15 – 13:30)

Chair: Jenny Deakin, EPA

- a. Introduction and agree agenda (5 mins)
- b. Introduction to NWRM (Keiron Phillips, EPA) (25 mins)
- c. Update on NWRM ongoing in the OPW (Conor Galvin, OPW) (15 mins)
- d. Terms of reference (20 mins)
- e. Discussion
- f. AOB

3. DHPLG Technical Guidance working group (14.00 – 15.30)

Co-Chairs: Donal Grant, DHPLG & Jenny Deakin, EPA

- a. Introductions and agree agenda (5 mins)
- b. Context for Technical Hydromorphology Working Group (Donal Grant, DHPLG) (15 mins)
- c. Hydromorphology Approach in Technical Guidance (Grace Glasgow and Lorraine Arbuckle, RPS) (45 mins)
- d. Discussion
- e. AOB