Meeting Goals

1. Identify and discuss buffer protection research
2. Reach consensus on buffer protection rule watershed coverage
3. Reach consensus on buffer protection width and zones
4. Approach consensus on forest harvest allowances

Agenda

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| *1 pm* | Welcome!  |  |
| 5 min | Purpose of the meeting & introductions | Joey Hester, DWR |
|  | Reviewing agenda & ground rules | Facilitation Team, DSC |
| 10 min | Review of Regulatory Charge | Joey |
| 45 min | Review buffer protection research * *State support/ analysis/ defense of buffers*
* *Buffer width research*
* *Buffer benefits and performance*
* *Q & A*
 | Joey |
| *2 pm*45 min | Review and identify rule concept recommendations * *Buffer rule watershed coverage*
* *Buffer protection width and zones*
* *Forest harvest allowances*
 | Joey |
| 10 min | What else could the buffer rule be designed to accomplish?  | Joey & Rich |
| 5 min | Identifying Next Steps * *Next Buffer TAG meeting time*
* *All Stakeholder Meeting – May 31, Salisbury (2 – 5 pm)*
 | Facilitation Team  |
| *3 pm* | **Closing** | Joey  |