



FAEP CHAPTER MEETINGS

APRIL 2018

Chapter	Event	Speaker/Affiliation	Date and Time	Location	Contact
Central	Luncheon		Thursday April 19 11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Dubsdread Golf Course, 549 W Par St Orlando, FL	RSVP to Jennifer Cummings: Jennifer.Cummins@ocfl.net
Northeast	Luncheon	Topic: Invasive Species and Floridians Perceptions Speaker: Phillip Stokes UF/IFAS Center for Public Issues Education	Thursday, April 19 11:30 am – 1 pm	FDEP NE District, 8800 Baymeadows Way W Suite 100, Jacksonville	RSVP to Killian Eckert keckert@mechlingeng.com
Northwest	Earth Day Beach Cleanup		Friday, April 20 th 1 - 4 pm CST	Park West Public Beach Access, 1225 Fort Pickens Rd, Pensacola Beach, FL 32561	RSVP to: nwfaep@gmail.com
South	Bayanza Biscayne Bay Waterway Cleanup		Saturday, April 21 st 9 am – Noon	Oleta River State Park 3400 NE 163rd St, North Miami Beach, FL 33160	Contact Rob McMullen: mcmullen@mcmecs.com
Southwest	32 nd Annual Run for the Turtles – 5K / 1Mile Run	Those who sign up in advance will get a free “Run for the Turtles” T-shirt AND if you run with us you will get a free SWFAEP T-shirt and Koozie.	Saturday April 7 th , 1 Mile Run – 7:30am 5K – 8am	Siesta Key Beach 948 Beach Road Sarasota, FL	Register at Mote Website and email SWFAEP@gmail.com to let us know you’re participating and tshirt size. For information email Arielle@thanaples.com
	SWFAEP FGCU Research Day	SWFAEP is sponsoring scholarships for student poster presentations at this event. Stop in and check out the awesome research being done by students at FGCU.	Tuesday, April 17 th 8am – 3pm	FGCU Cohen Center 11090 FGCU Blvd N Fort Myers, FL	

Tallahassee	Networking Social		Thursday, April 12 th 5:30 – 7:30 pm	The Brass Tap Midtown, 1321 Thomasville Rd, Tallahassee, FL 32303	RSVP here .
Tampa Bay	Luncheon	Topic: Seagrass, Sea Level Rise, and Shorelines: Considerations for Mitigation and Resilience. Speaker: Cynthia Meyer, Ph.D., GISP, Fishery Biologist/Plan Coordinator at the National Marine Fisheries Service.	Wednesday April 18 11:30am – 1:00pm	Brio Italian Restaurant @ International Mall	RSVP to tbaep.fl@gmail.com
	TBAEP Picnic		Saturday, April 21st	Picnic Island	RSVP to tbaep.fl@gmail.com
Treasure Coast	Event	Minor League Baseball Game	Thursday, April 12 6:30 pm	Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium, 4751 Main St, Jupiter, FL 33458	RSVP to tcc.faep@gmail.com
	Education and networking event	“Washed Ashore: Art to Save the Sea” exhibit and Marine Debris Panel Discussion	Tuesday, April 17 5:30 pm	Mounds Botanical Garden 531 N Military Trail, West Palm Beach, FL 33415	RSVP to tcc.faep@gmail.com

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- *Clean Air Act*: D.C. Circuit upholds Obama-era haze rule
- *NEPA*: Judges dig in on coal leasing program's climate impacts
- *NEPA*: Bureau of Land Management blames missing comments on technology 'breakdown'
- *NEPA*: Lawsuits challenging Trump border wall plans face long odds

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The NAEP *National Desk* coordinator is Harold Draper. Questions or comments on the NAEP *National Desk* should be directed to Harold or Candace Bynder (membership@naep.org).

NAEP Webinar: NEPA Policy & Legislative Update

Wednesday, April 11th | 3:00-4:30pm (EST)

The National Association of Environmental Professionals (NAEP) is proud to host its annual NEPA Policy and Legislative Update. The April 11th webinar will provide current information on federal infrastructure initiatives including the FAST Act, the Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Council, the Permitting Dashboard, Executive Order 13807, and related policies such as One Federal Decision. Presentations will be made by representatives from The White House Council on Environmental Quality and the Permitting Council. The panel will also include an esteemed NEPA attorney providing an industry perspective on these significant policies and initiatives. Please join us for this timely and important topic.

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