## **Pollinator Working Group Meeting**

Date: Thursday January 5, 2016 Time: 4:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. Location: NRCS Conference Room 60 Quaker Lane, Warwick, RI AGENDA

4:00 p.m. - 4:05 p.m.: Call to Order and Welcome

4:05 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.: Working Group Business

- Date of Next Working Group Meeting: Thursday January 12, 2016, RIDEM, Conference Room 300, 235 Promenade Street, Providence, 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- December 8, 2016 Meeting Minutes (motion needed)
- Other Business?

4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.: Reflection. (Meg Kerr)

5:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.: Jim Lawson, R.I. Dept. of Environmental Management, Plant Industry Unit (Apiary Inspector) - An overview of the apiary regulation in the state of Rhode Island.

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.: Working Group Discussion

6:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.: Public Comment

6:45 p.m.: Adjourn Meeting

Please contact Shannon Brawley, RI Nursery and Landscape Association) 874-5220 or Ken Ayars, Division of Agriculture (222-2781 ext. 4500 or 640-4497, cell), or if you have questions or need additional information

Date Posted: 12/30/16

The meeting location is accessible to handicapped persons. If you require interpreter services for the hearing impaired, please request by contacting TDD number: 222-1205 or RI Relay #711 at least 3 days in advance of the meeting.

<sup>4:30</sup> p.m. - 5:15 p.m.: Caydee Savinelli, Syngenta Pollinator and IPM Stewardship Lead - An overview of Syngenta's leadership concerning issues relating to stewardship, pollinator health and pest management.