

**Mystic River Watershed Steering Committee**  
**November 10, 1 PM - 3 PM**  
**Zoom Link : <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88114988205>**

**Agenda**

**Meeting Purpose:**

- To support the federal partnership to understand environmental justice principles and explore how to apply them in their work
- To share the ongoing environmental justice projects and improve connections and communications between federal partners and EJ-focused groups
- To discuss possible next steps to continue this work

**1:00 Welcome and Introduction**

*Mel Cote, Surface Water Branch Chief, EPA Region 1*  
*David Cash, Regional Administrator, EPA Region 1*

**1:15 Introduction to Environmental Justice**

*Darryl Haddock and Jennifer Arnold - Reciprocity Consulting*

**1:25 Environmental Justice Work in the Context of Justice 40**

*EPA Headquarters - Jeff Lerner, Partnership Programs Branch Chief, EPA HQ*

**1:40 Environmental Justice in Chelsea & East Boston**

*Bianca Bowman - Climate Justice Organizer - GreenRoots*

**1:55 Environmental Justice in Everett**

*One Everett - Kathleen O'Brien and MyRWA- Intern, Mariangeli Echevarria-Ramos*

**2:10 Small Group Discussion (15 min)**

- What are your take-aways from hearing about these efforts?
- How can environmental justice be incorporated in the work of the federal partnership?
- What are potential barriers to community engagement and intergenerational work that we can address with the partnership?
- What can we do in the watersheds scale that would add value in terms of EJ ?

**2:25 Debrief Together**

**2:40 Announcements, Updates and Funding Opportunities**

*Attendees are invited to share updates that may be interest to the group*

2:55      **Wrap up and Next Steps / Workshops**  
*Darryl Haddock, Jennifer Arnold and the Mystic River Watershed Association*

3:00      **Adjourn**  
*Mystic River Watershed Association*