



Spring Information Open House



With the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA NRCS) and Southern Rhode Island Conservation District (SRICD)

SRICD and USDA NRCS invite you to join us to learn about voluntary conservation programs for farm and forest land owners and managers! Funding and technical assistance are available for **conservation practices** such as:

- Forest management plans
- Forest trails and landings
- Seasonal high tunnels
- Nutrient management plans
- And more!

Information will also be provided about SRICD's other projects in Kent and Washington Counties as well as the Farm, Forest, and Open Space tax program.

This program is free, but please visit sracd.org or call 401-500-0422 to RSVP.

Monday, April 9, 2018
 6:00 pm
 Ashaway Fire Department
 Community Room
 213 Main Street
 Ashaway, RI 02804

Two USDA NRCS Programs have upcoming deadlines, and you can call your Conservation District any time to learn more and get help applying!

Conservation Innovation Grants for developing innovative conservation practices and technologies in agriculture: Deadline Friday, May 11, 2018, learn more at www.grants.gov

Search Funding Opportunity Number, input USDA-NRCS-RI-CIG-18-001

The **Environmental Quality Incentives Program** which offers technical and financial assistance for conservation practices on farm and forest land: Deadline Friday, April 20, 2018

Northern RI Conservation District: 401-934-0840

Southern RI Conservation District: 401-500-0422

Eastern RI Conservation District: 401-934-0842

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