



## Waccamaw Water Quality Data Conference

Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Coastal Carolina University

Burroughs & Chapin Center for Marine and Wetland Studies, Room 100

(In the Atlantic Center on CCU's East Campus)

- 08:30 AM Breakfast
- 8:45 AM *Brief Review of Bacteria and Nutrient Testing*  
Heather Young – Waccamaw Watershed Academy
- 09:00 AM *Welcome and Volunteer Introductions*  
Paula Reidhaar, Waccamaw Riverkeeper® Program
- 09:15 AM *Winyah Bay History*  
Lee Gordon Brockington, Belle Baruch Foundation
- 09:45 AM *Colored Dissolved Organic Matter as a Precursor of Disinfection Byproduct in Drinking Water Treatment*  
Alex Chow, Clemson University
- 10:00 AM *Open Discussion*
- 10:20 AM Break
- 10:30 AM *BMI progress report (including most common “bugs” found)*  
BMI Volunteers
- 10:50 AM *Updates from the counties*  
Dave Fuss, Horry County Stormwater Program; Tracy Jones, Georgetown County Stormwater Program
- 11:10 AM *Comparison of Trends between NC and SC sites*  
Susan Libes, Waccamaw Watershed Academy, Coastal Carolina University
- 11:35 AM *Riverkeeper Update and Closing*  
Paula Reidhaar, Waccamaw Riverkeeper® and Christine Ellis, River Advocate, WRF
- 12:00 PM Volunteer Luncheon

