Dear Colleagues,

Attached please find the draft agenda for the January 2020 COS meeting at the Cary Institute on January 7-8 (Tuesday - Wednesday).  The Tuesday afternoon topic (Jan 7) is: **The 2013-14 Stream water nitrate spike: Solving the mystery** led by John Campbell and Mark Green.On Wednesday (Jan 8) we will explore: **Valley-wide landscape ecology, modeling, and GIS: Linking across research groups** led by Natalie Cleavitt and Nick Rodenhouse.

Please note that we have scheduled substantial breaks and a long lunch. An important aspect of the COS meeting is the opportunity for members to catch-up and connect. Please do not schedule side meetings during these breaks. If you want to have a project meeting prior to or after the COS meeting agenda, please be sure to contact Gary Lovett at the Cary to see if meeting space is available.

**RVSP**

Please use the link below to RSVP. For those members participating remotely, ZOOM access is attached at the end of this message.

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**Housing**

Unfortunately housing is limited at the Cary Institute. Currently there is availability for 2 double occupancy rooms. Please use the form below to access housing at the Cary.

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[Cottonwood Motel](https://www.cottonwoodmotel.com/) in Millbrook, NY (2 miles from the Institute)

[Best Western Plus The Inn & Suites at the Falls](https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotel-rooms.33149.html?iata=00171880&ssob=BLBWI0004G&cid=BLBWI0004G:google:gmb:33149) in Poughkeepsie, NY (15 miles from the Institute)

[The Sharon Country Inn](http://www.sharoncountryinn.com/) in Sharon, Ct (17 miles from the Institute)

[Days Inn](https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/days-inn/poughkeepsie-new-york/days-inn-poughkeepsie/overview?CID=LC:DI::GGL:RIO:National:16491&iata=00065402) in Poughkeepsie, NY (12 miles from the Institute)

Air B&B - 2 bedroom apartment located at 33 Anson Avenue, Millbrook, NY

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We look forward to seeing you in January.

Pam and John

**Remote Access**

Hubbard Brook COS meeting **Day 1**
Tue, Jan 7, 2020 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM EST

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Hubbard Brook COS meeting **Day 2**

Wed, Jan 8, 2020 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM EST

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