

**Mid-Atlantic Region Ecological Observatory: A NEON Planning  
Initiative  
MAREO**

**AGENDA**

**NEON Domain 2 District Planning**

**February 27 – March 1, 2006  
NZIP Conservation and Research Center  
The Smithsonian Institution  
Front Royal, Virginia**

**Monday February 27, 2005**

**Executive committee Meeting:**

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| 1:00 - 2:00 PM | Arrival  |
| 2:00 – 2:15 PM | Welcome (Robert Gartner, Francisco Dallmeier, Eric Nagy) |
| 2:15 – 5:30 PM | Planning structure and dynamic of MAREO meeting          |

**MAREO Meeting:**

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| 5:30 – 6:30 PM | MAREO meeting participant's registration                 |
| 6:30 – 7:30 PM | Evening Meal   |
| 7:30 - 9:30 PM | Welcome, introduction and review of agenda and work plan |

## **Tuesday February 28, 2006**

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| 7:00 – 8:00 AM   | Breakfast  |
| 8:00 – 8:20 AM   | Organize District Working Groups, prepare for discussions.       |
| 8:20 - 10:00 AM  | District Working Groups  |
| 10:00 – 10:15 AM | Coffee Break   |
| 10:15 – 12:00    | Continue   |
| 12:00            | Lunch  |
| 1:00 – 2:00 PM   | District Working Groups interim reports                          |
| 2:00 – 5:30 PM   | Continue District Working Groups                                 |
| 6:30 PM          | Dinner   |
| 7:30 PM          | Continue work in small groups and report progress to main group. |

## **Wednesday March 1, 2006**

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| 7:00 – 8:00 AM   | Breakfast   |
| 8:00 – 8:20 AM   | Reports, re-organize small groups, prepare for discussion   |
| 8:20 - 10:00 AM  | Final issues and planning matters – small groups or full group? Small Group introductions and presentations and large group discussions of small group issues |
| 10:00 – 10:15 AM | Coffee Break  |
| 10:15 – 12:00    | Continue  |
| 12:00            | Adjourn and Lunch   |