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2019 SUMMER MEETING
Living Shoreline & Restoration Field Tour

Friday August 9 | Stratford Point, CT

AGENDA

9:00 a.m. **Registration | Coffee**

9:15 a.m. *"Welcome and Opening Remarks"*
SWCS SNEC Board of Director

9:20 a.m. *"Stratford Point Living Shoreline: Restoring Multiple Coastal Habitats to Maintain Resiliency and Function"*
Dr. Jennifer Mattei, Professor of Biology, Sacred Heart University

9:55 a.m. *"Coastal Resiliency Planning in Stratford"*
Susmitha Attota, AICP, Stratford Town Planner, and GZA GeoEnvironmental, Inc. (GZA)

10:30a.m. **Break**

10:45 a.m. *"Habitat Management Plan of Long Beach, Stratford, CT"*
Ron Rozsa, Coastal Ecologist

11: 20 a.m. *"GMMU Salt Marsh Restoration"*
Richard Potvin, McKinney NWR Manager

11: 55 a.m. **LUNCH PROVIDED**

12:15-
12:45 **SWCS SNEC Membership Meeting**
Chapter Meeting Agenda available

12:55 p.m. *Depart for Guided Field Tours, some car pooling required*
1:00—1:45 Stratford Point Tour, 1:45-2:00 carpooling, 2:00-2:45 GMMU Tour

"Guided Field Tour of Stratford Point"
Genevieve Nuttall, Audubon's Bird Conservation Program Associate
Will Perret, Stratford Point's Land Steward

"Guided Field Tour of the McKinney GMMU"
Rick Potvin, McKinney National Wildlife Refuge Park Manager

2:45 p.m. *"Thank you and Closing Remarks"*
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Carpooling & Issue Certificate of Attendances