October Plant Clinic Report

Irvington Farmers Market

Date: October 7, 2017

• Number of Contacts: 93

• EMGs Present: Lee Scripture, Cathie Ward, Ian Cheyne Interns: Kim Schmidt, Deirdra

McLaughlin

• GNN Books Sold: 0

• Other Resources Sold: 2 requested – identified 2 available

• Dollar amount taken in: 0

Questions:

 Native Plant of the month and source to purchase

o ID of tree from leaves –

ongoing

Several shoreline questions

and discussions

 Several rain barrel application questions plus requests for rain barrels

 Where to buy native plants and grasses

Heathsville Farmers Market

Date: Oct. 21, 2017

• **EMGs:** Tami McCauley, Jinny Estelle, Lee Scripture, Deborah Marl, Sue Kosinski and intern Deidra McLaughlin

No sold books

• Weather: Sunny and warm

Questions:

o Plant ID

Soil issues

Shoreline plants and where

to find them

• Change Fund: \$30

• Demographics:

White Male: 30White Female: 40

o Black Male: 1

o Asian Youth Male: 1

How to become a MG

Dying swamp problem

Tappahannock Farmers Market

Date: October 21, 2017

• Number of Contacts: 70

- MGs Present: Diane Kean, Betty Pettyjohn, Martha Frank, Wayne Condrey, Tom Warren
- **GNN Books Sold:** 1 copy Gardening for a Lifetime, one copy Deer Resistant Plants, one Native Trees, and 1 Native shrubs
- Other Resources Sold: 1 Rain Barrel and one Demo Barrel
- Dollars Taken In: \$146
- Questions:
 - o Plant ID
 - Cover crops for gardens
 - o Help Desk
 - EMG's favorite tools
- Weather: 70 degrees and sunny, beautiful day!
- Total contacts: 70
 - Adult White Male: 20Adult White Female: 43Youth White Female: 2
 - o Adult Black Male: 1

- o Becoming a Master Gardener
- Soil Test kits
- o Preparing lawn for the fall
- Source of bulk lime
- Adult Hispanic Male: 1
 Youth Hispanic Male: 1
- o Youth Hispanic Female: 2