

**Vermont Conservation Strategy Initiative - Agriculture Working Group  
Meeting #3, January 24, 2024, 11 am – 1 pm on Zoom**

**\*Use link below to register in advance of the meeting\*:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYldu6tqjojH9xNaxBOBsDe3JlVaDUSquqH>

**11:00 – 11:10:** Introductions – Names, Organization, Role

**11:10 – 11:50:** Baseline Survey Results & Discussion (Stacy Cibula)

*Ag Working Group members were sent a survey to gauge their understanding and questions about the charge of the group and topics we discussed at the last meeting. We will review the results and discuss the key findings and outstanding questions the group has.*

**11:50 – 12:00:** Break

**12:00 – 12:35:** Break out discussions

*Groups of 3 to 4 to address questions/themes identified in the survey. Each group designates a note taker and reporter. VHCB/AAFM/NFJ staff to facilitate.*

**12:35 – 12:55:** Large group discussion on break outs

*Each group presents on the key takeaways and questions they had.*

**12:55 – 1:00: Recap and Next Steps:**

*Next meeting – February 7 from 11 to 1 on Zoom*

## **RESOURCES**

**Agriculture Working Group Google Drive Folder:**

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1jwZ-V-rzfndHIAsDzKfBat-lj-lpfC8Q>

**Vermont Conservation Strategy Initiative Website:**

<https://vhcb.org/our-programs/VCSI>

For more information on the Ag Working Group: email co-chairs: Stacy Cibula at [s.cibula@vhcb.org](mailto:s.cibula@vhcb.org) or Ryan Patch at [ryan.patch@vermont.gov](mailto:ryan.patch@vermont.gov).

For more information on public participation, stipends, or the overall VT Conservation Strategy Initiative process, email Zoraya Hightower at [zhightower@nature4justice.org](mailto:zhightower@nature4justice.org).