

# 2<sup>nd</sup> National Water Quality Trading Conference

## *Implementation at the Watershed Scale*

May 23–25 2006

The Westin Convention Center • Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania



*Free Pre-conference Workshop*

## Learn the Basics of Water Quality Trading

The basics of water quality trading is the subject of a no cost pre-conference workshop to be held on Monday, May 22, 2006 from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will conduct this 1-day workshop that is designed for individuals who are new to water quality trading.

The goal of the workshop is for participants to leave with an understanding of the fundamentals—why, what, where and how—of water quality trading. The workshop will:

- Provide a basic understanding of the Clean Water Act;
- Demonstrate how trading fits within the Clean Water Act;
- Show how to assess a watershed for trading opportunities; and,
- Cover basic trading program designs

Participation in this workshop is open to **100** attendees only; early registration is encouraged for those who wish to attend this workshop. Registration for the pre-conference workshop is available online through the Farm Foundation ([www.farmfoundation.org](http://www.farmfoundation.org)) using the conference registration form. However, attendance at the 2nd National Water Quality Trading Conference, May 23 – 25, 2006, is not required for participation in this pre-conference workshop.

If you have registered for the workshop but are unable to attend, please contact Mary Thompson of the Farm Foundation at [mary@farmfoundation.org](mailto:mary@farmfoundation.org) or call (630) 571-9393 so that someone else may attend.