



Ditch Management Training

Use of Compost Based BMPs for Ditches, Slopes and Stream Banks

May 3, 2018

Tompkins County Highway Department

170 Bostwick Road, Ithaca, NY 14850

8:00 am – 1:00pm

***optional field tour at 1pm**

Featuring:

- Tompkins County Soil and Water Conservation District to discuss their ditch mapping efforts and hydroseeding program.
- Jean Bonhotal, from the Cornell Waste Management Institute, to discuss the use of compost based BMPs in Tompkins County and throughout New York.
- Discussion on Essex County's use of Rural Roads Active Management Program and roadside ditch projects that have been implemented.
- We will end the session with some field visits within the County for those interested. Please dress for weather and plan to carpool to the sites.

Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to Angel Hinickle at ahinickle@tompkins-co.org or by calling (607) 257-2340 so we can get an accurate count for lunches.