Envirothon Fifth Topic Treesources and Links

- Maryland Forest Action Plan
 - Maryland Forest Action Plan: Assessment (Skim first 31 pages)
 - Maryland Forest Action Plan: Strategy (Skim first 45 pages)
 - Read in depth the executive summaries for both
 - If you only have time to focus on one, focus on the <u>Strategy</u> document
- Helping Your Woodland Adapt to a Changing Climate
 - o Focus on
 - Projected changes
 - Key Actions
 - The three "Climate change impact" and "Management options" pages
- Climate Change Projections for Individual Tree Species Piedmont (Subregion 5)
- Climate Change Projections for Individual Tree Species Coastal Plain (Subregion 6)
 - o Good resources for potential species migration
- Native Plants and Climate Change
 - Make a note of temperature and sea level increases
- Planting Trees in our Changing Climate
 - Focuses on native trees
 - The benefits
 - Where they can be attained

Recommended Not Necessary (For those who want to learn more):

The Training of a Forester by Gifford Pinchot A Sand County Almanac by Aldo Leopold Silent Spring by Rachel Carson The Nature of Oaks by Douglas W. Tallamy How to Love a Forest by Ethan Tapper

I applaud you for investing your minimal free time into a program as beneficial as the Envirothon. Learn a lot and have fun while doing so! If you have any further questions, Envirothon related or not, or just wish to discuss natural resource management please email me at alanna.crowley@maryland.gov and we'll have a conversation.

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