



Office Directory

*To preserve the natural resources of West Virginia by
working with partners to promote soil and water
conservation.*

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WVCA

Executive and Operations

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- Provides conservation information and education.
 - Works with the conservation districts to help communicate conservation programs.
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OPERATIONS DIVISION

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Area Director (West).....Kim Fisher

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FISCAL SECTION

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 - District invoice and deposit processing.
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- Processes district invoices and deposits.
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- Resolves equipment problems and provides technical advice to agency personnel.
- Information Systems Specialist.....Jay Crump** (304) 957-2991
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- Resolves equipment problems and provides technical advice to agency personnel.
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WATERSHED DIVISION

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CONSERVATION SERVICES SECTION

Conservation Services Asst. Division Director.....Pam Russell (304) 957-2985
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- WV Chesapeake Bay Initiative, Agriculture Enhancement Program (AgEP).
- Implements the agriculture and construction components of the Clean Water Act Section 319 Non-Point Source Program (NPSP).
 - Implements water quality improvement projects with the conservation districts.

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- Coordinates the AgEP.

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- Provides training, information and assistance to local watershed associations and groups.

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CONSERVATION SPECIALISTS

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STREAM SECTION

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- Coordinates Emergency Watershed Protection Program (EWP) during a State or Federal Emergency Declaration.

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- Implements SPRP and EWP for the northern half of the state.
- Investigates Citizen Contact Reports (CCRs) for stream blockages in the northern counties.
- Coordinates LSAPP.

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Watershed Office Coordinator.....Sharon Sunderland

- Receives and tracks CCRs.
- Handles permit process for LSAPP.

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Watershed Technician.....Jeffery Most

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LITTLE KANAWHA OFFICE

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- Implements Stream Section Programs

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- Implements Stream Section Programs

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- Creates, maintains and files reports and other documentation for OM&R projects.
- Maintains current inspection documentation and pictures for OM&R admin section of the website.
- Coordinates and documents contract actions for OM&R.

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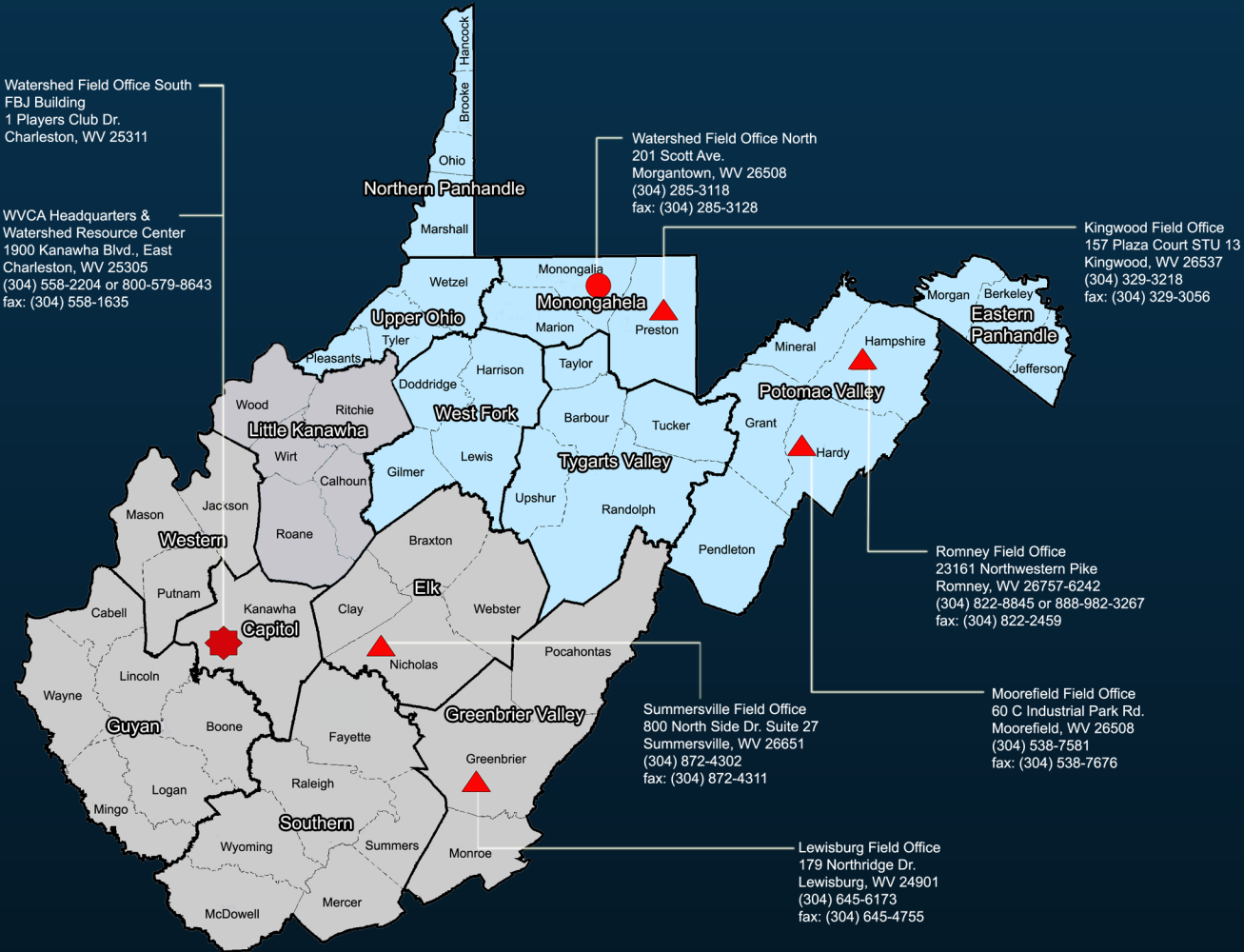
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West Virginia Conservation Agency Field Offices & Coverage Area



Legend:

- North Coverage Area
- South Coverage Area
- Field Office
- Watershed Field Office