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Coastal Resources Management offers public workshops on bluff management for Lake Erie landowners

The Coastal Resources Management Program will be offering two public workshops called “The Lake Erie Bluffs: A Bluff Management Workshop for Landowners.” Participants will learn about best management practices for maintaining bluff property, vegetation care, coastal processes, local development regulations and permitting.

Two evening classroom sessions will be offered – one in eastern Erie County and one in western Erie County – and will be followed by a field day. The session details are below:

- **West County Workshop** – Wednesday, Oct. 12, 2016, from 5:45 p.m. to 8 p.m., in Room 112 of the Tom Ridge Environmental Center, 301 Peninsula Drive.
- **East County Workshop** – Thursday, Oct. 13, 2016, from 5:45 p.m. to 8 p.m., in the Large Group Instruction Room at Harbor Creek Junior High; 6375 Buffalo Road, Harborcreek.
- **Field Day** – Saturday, Oct. 15, 2016, from 8:30 a.m. to noon at the Tom Ridge Environmental Center. Meet at 8:30 a.m. at TREC to visit three locations along the Lake Erie shoreline. Discussions will include: bluff management and public access pathways; shoreline structures, lakeshore permitting and regulations; and control point monitoring and bluff erosional rates.

The workshops and field day are open to the public. The workshops are free, and the cost of the field day is **\$10.00**.

To reserve your seat at a workshop, please RSVP to Jake Moore at jacmoore@pa.gov or via phone at 814-217-9634.