

# **Briefing Notice**

## Farm Bill in Focus:

## **Conservation Practices from Farms to Forests and Wetlands**

Wednesday, June 21, 2023 2:00 - 3:30 PM EDT

Russell Senate Office Building Room: SR-188 (New Room)

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The **Environmental and Energy Study Institute (EESI)** invites you to a briefing on opportunities to cultivate climatesmart conservation programs in this year's Farm Bill. The conservation title of the Farm Bill contains important programs and policies that help agricultural producers, forest managers, and rural communities take advantage of opportunities to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and build resilience to climate impacts, while also generating other benefits such as improved water and air quality, soil health, biodiversity, and jobs.

Conservation of private, public, working, and nonworking lands can take many forms, from regenerative agricultural practices to conservation easements. Panelists will describe conservation opportunities, barriers to access the many Farm Bill conservation-related programs, as well as ways to advance conservation through research, technical assistance, and financial support.

### Introductory remarks:

- Rep. Nancy Mace (R-S.C.)
- Rep. Sharice Davids (D-Kan.)

#### Speakers for this session include:

- Samantha Levy, Conservation and Climate Policy Manager, American Farmland Trust
- Eileen Shader, Director, River Restoration, American Rivers
- Paola Ivette Bonilla Carrero, Agronomist in Puerto Rico; Member, Hispanic Access Foundation's Latino Climate Council
- Bennae Calac, President, Onoo Po Strategies

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