



Infrastructure and Nature

Webinar Series | October – December 2020

Session 4

Thursday,
November 5

08:00–09:30 ET

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Engineering with Nature

This session will advance the discussion on opportunities to apply nature-based solutions (NBS) as alternatives or additions to human-made infrastructure. Speakers will explore the business case through NBS experiences at all levels, from planning to implementation, highlighting the latest examples of how engineers are building with nature for increased benefits for people, resilience, and biodiversity.

Moderated by **Lynn Scarlett**, Chief External Affairs Officer, The Nature Conservancy

Welcome remarks:

- **Kate Newman**, Vice President, Sustainable Infrastructure and Public Sector Initiatives, WWF US

Keynote:

- **Richard T.T. Forman**, Professor of Advanced Environmental Studies in the Field of Landscape Ecology, Emeritus, Harvard University
- **Todd S. Bridges**, Senior Research Scientist, Environmental Science, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Panel:

- **Cris Liban**, Chief Sustainability Officer, L.A. Transportation Authority
- **Mark Way**, Director, Global Coastal Risk & Resilience, The Nature Conservancy
- **Jon Philipsborn**, Associate Vice President, Climate Adaptation Practice Director, AECOM
- **Meg Goecker**, Senior Coastal Scientist, Moffatt & Nichol
- **Richard Bugan**, Monitoring & Evaluation Manager South Africa, The Nature Conservancy

