**April 21, 2012 Demonstration** – **Western Maryland Science & Engineering Festival – Frostburg, MD**

About 500 students in  kindergarten through 12th grade gathered at Frostburg State University to participate in the 2nd Annual Western Maryland Science & Engineering Festival on April 21st for a variety of hands-on activities all relating to science, technology, engineering and math. The event was sponsored by Co-sponsored by Frostburg State University, Allegany County Board of Education, and University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science Appalachian Laboratory. An estimated 500 K-12 children along with their parents came out and had a great time. The Cumberland Times-Newspaper ran an article about the event:  <http://times-news.com/local/x192353891/Festival-a-hands-on-experiment-for-students> and info is also posted on Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/WMSTEMFestival>.

Kevin Wagner of the Maryland Department of the Environment and Paul Slonac of Michael Baker Jr., Inc, both active members of MASFM demonstrations throughout the day using the 3D Flood Simulator Model. They conducted approximately twelve demonstrations to over 75 children. Each demonstration went through four scenarios to demonstrate the impacts of development on watersheds.

MAFSM received a letter of thanks for our participation in the festival from the Frostburg State University Department of Biology.