MO-14 (3) ORGANIZATION

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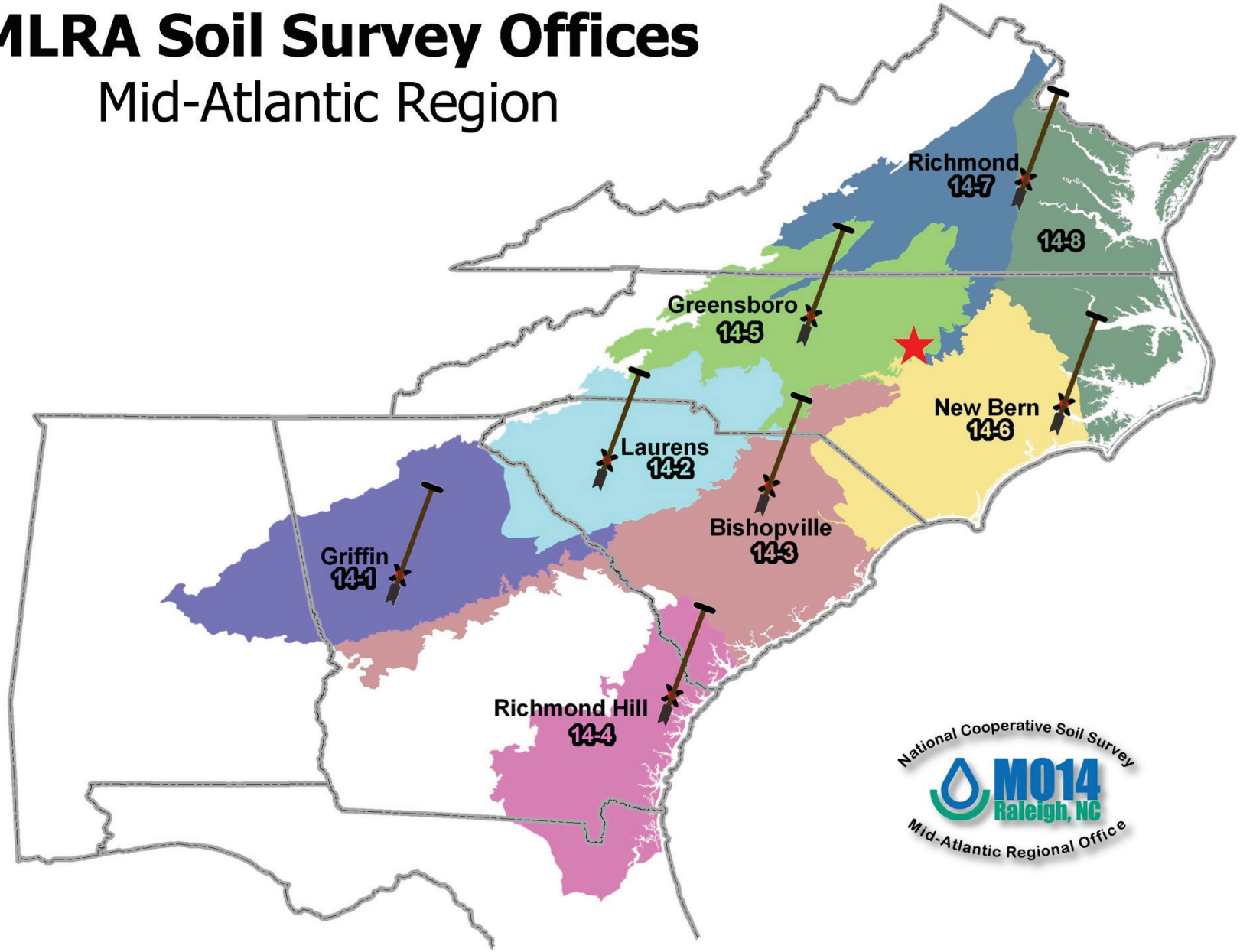
MLRA Soil Survey Offices

Mid-Atlantic Region



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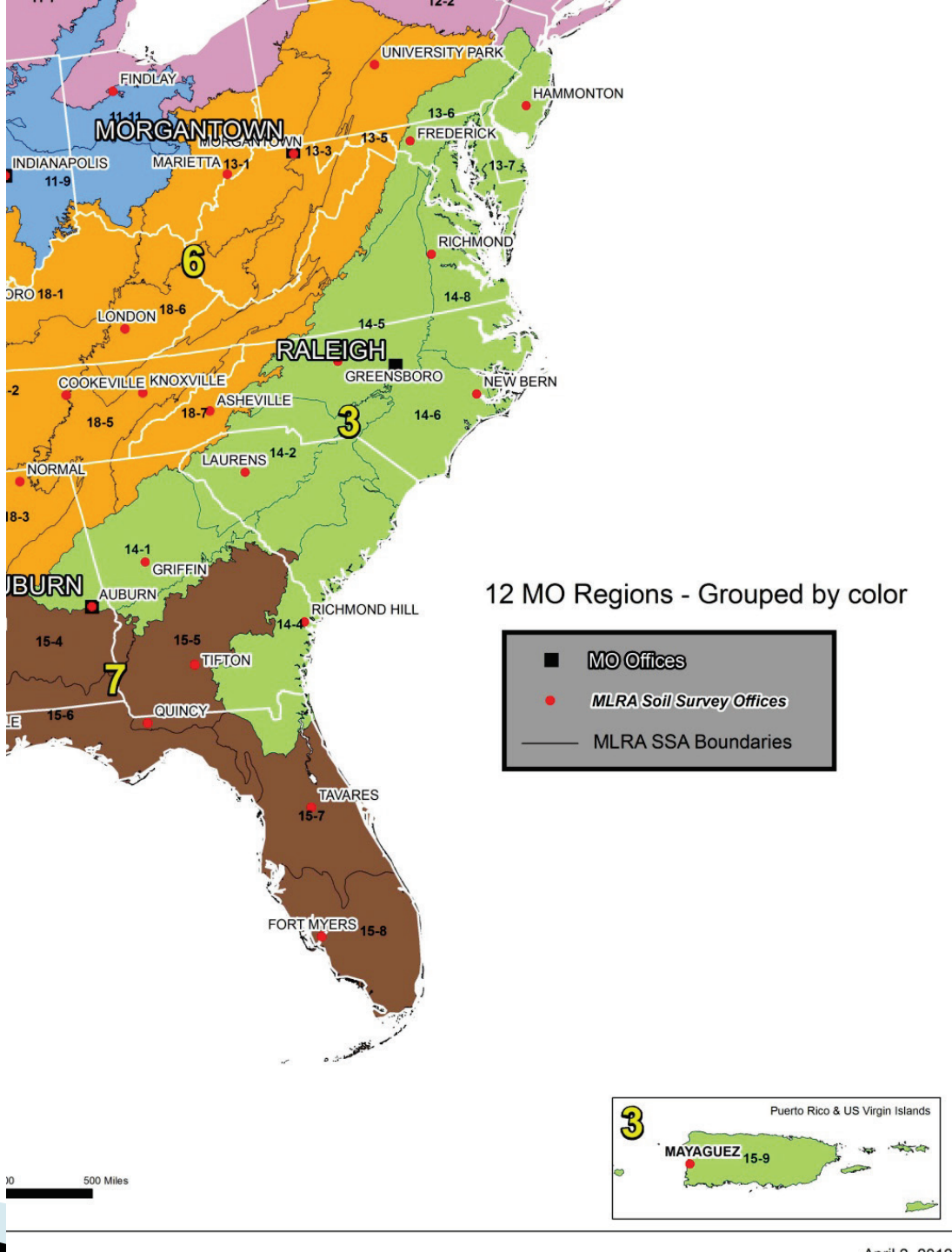

Since 2010 NE Conference

- Rapid Carbon Assessment (RaCA)
  - Greg Hammer, RSS in Virginia was leader for MO14
- Soil Data Join Recorrelation
  - I was member of the management design team
  - Debbie Anderson on technical design team
  - Training given by Debbie to:
    - Asheville, NC soil survey office (MO18)
    - Laurens and Bishopville, SC soil survey offices (MO14)
    - Hammonton, NJ soil survey office (MO13)
    - Frederick, MD soil survey office (MO13)

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- Initial Soil Surveys completed
  - Virginia

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HUGH HAMMOND
BENNETT (1881-1960)
Hugh Hammond Bennett, "the father of soil conservation," joined the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Soils in 1903. While conducting a soil survey of Louisa County in 1905, he came to understand the link between soil erosion and soil quality. Inspired by this insight, Bennett campaigned nationally for soil conservation. Congress created a permanent Soil Conservation Service within the USDA in 1935; Bennett was its first chief. It was renamed the Natural Resources Conservation Service in 1994. Where others had failed, Bennett brought soil erosion into the public consciousness and made soil conservation a national priority.

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