



2020 LGAC Recommendations to the Chesapeake Executive Council

Ideas? Priorities?



2013	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Funding for watershed protection and restoration is inadequate.2) Communications with local governments must improve.3) Headwater states should be represented in Advisory Committees.
2014	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Support local contractor training programs.2) Target job training dollars to emerging restoration and protection industries.3) Adequately staff environmental programs.4) Develop and communicate protocols for local governments, conservation districts, or other responsible parties to report, track and verify BMPs.

2015	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Enhance communication.2) Align priorities strategically.3) Convene a Watershed-wide Symposium on Financing.
2016	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Increase resources dedicated to implementation.2) Speak out on behalf of Clean Water.3) Ensure vertical alignment of priorities.

2017	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Continue to support local government engagement efforts2) Increase the access to Technical Assistance
2018	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Continue focus on better engaging local government2) Provide the tools and resources local governments need to succeed

2019	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Support a one day summit of flood, climate and disaster experts2) Including a FEMA representative on Management Board3) Federal, state and local governments align their interests, prioritize efforts, and invest funds strategically and collaboratively4) LGAC semi-annual meetings with Governors/Mayor
2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Workforce Development Follow-up?2) Encourage Local Watershed Priorities over Chesapeake Bay Ones?3) BMP Verification?4) Environmental Justice?5) Climate?6) Trash, Plastics, Microplastics?