



AGENDA

Wastewater Treatment Workgroup (WWTWG) Teleconference

Tuesday, November 6, 2018, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Conference Line: 202-991-0477

Participant Code: 903-7008

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10:00 AM **Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements** — Ed Dunne (Chair)

Action item: Approval of October minutes

10:10 AM **Update on Comments on Boat Pump-Out BMP Draft Expert Panel Report** – Lew Linker, EPA CBPO

The Chesapeake Bay Boat Pump Out BMP Expert Review Panel was requested by the WWTWG and convened in February 2016. The panel developed the baseline load estimates for the recreational boating nutrient load into the Maryland and Virginia portions of the Chesapeake Bay and provided recommendations on related BMP crediting and verification. The workgroup tentatively approved the report and recommendations.

The WQGIT has charged the WWTWG to reconsider elements of the proposed BMP for applicability to type III commercial vessels in No-Discharge Zones. The WWTWG will review the comments received on the draft expert panel report and discuss responses to comments.

Action Requested: Workgroup initial discussion. By COB November 20, workgroup members are asked to send any follow up questions and comments, including options for paths forward, to Michelle Williams (williams.michelle@epa.gov) and Ed Dunne (ed.dunne@dc.gov).

Attachment 2. Draft Boat Pump-Out Report

Attachment 3. Boat Pump-Out Compiled Comments with draft responses

11:00 AM **Update on Jurisdictional Programs**

Updates from any jurisdictions on wastewater sector. Discuss WWTWG role in assisting jurisdictions with any planning and implementation challenges or opportunities.

11:30 AM **WWTWG Schedule for 2019**

Due to reductions in CBPO staff and coordinating capacity, the WWTWG is asked to consider changing the work group's monthly call schedule. What schedule would work for jurisdictions? Every other month, quarterly, or some other frequency? A suggested 2019

WWTWG quarterly schedule includes the following meeting dates: February 5, May 7, August 6, and November 5. Using this schedule, the WWTWG call for December would not occur.

Decision Requested: WWTWG approval of change to the 2019 meeting schedule.

11:45 **Adjourn**