

**CHESAPEAKE BAY PROGRAM
WATER QUALITY GOAL IMPLEMENTATION TEAM**

AUGUST 11, 2014 CONFERENCE CALL

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AGENDA

- 1:30 Welcome/Confirm Call Participants, Recent Workgroup Decisions and Updates – Jenn Volk, Chair
- 1:40 Next Steps for WQGIT Outcomes in Watershed Agreement – Jenn Volk, Chair
- 1:50 Modeling Workgroup Update – Lee Currey/Dave Montali, Modeling Workgroup Chairs
- 2:00 Watershed Technical Workgroup Updates – Matt Johnston
Matt Johnston, Watershed Technical Workgroup Coordinator, will provide an update on recent decisions for the Stream Restoration Technical appendix and proposed next steps for oyster aquaculture.
- 2:10 WQGIT October 2014 Meeting – James Davis-Martin, Vice-Chair
James Davis-Martin will update members on the upcoming face to face meeting.
- 2:20 Resource Improvements – Bob Ensor, Howard County Soil Conservation District
Bob Ensor will present the recommendations from the Resource Improvement (RI) practice Technical Review Panel for the acceptance of 19 non-cost shared RI practices and their associated Visual Indicators, pending review by the Watershed Technical Workgroup on August 7, 2014.
- Decision Requested:** WQGIT membership will be asked to approve the Report on Non Cost-Shared and Resource Improvement Practice Definitions and Verification Visual Indicators Guidance Document.
- 2:40 LUWG Land Use Classification Update – Peter Claggett, USGS
Peter Claggett, Land Use Workgroup Coordinator, will provide an update on the development of new land use classifications and the schedule for Chesapeake Bay Program partnership review and approval of these land use classifications.
- 3:10 Agricultural Modeling Subcommittee Land Use Update – Mark Dubin and Matt Johnston
Mark Dubin, Agriculture Workgroup Coordinator and Matt Johnston, Agricultural Modeling Subcommittee Coordinator, will discuss the new agriculture-specific land use classifications currently under review by the Agriculture Workgroup.
- 3:30 Process for Allocating Resources to BMP Expert Panels – Lucinda Power, EPA
Lucinda Power, WQGIT Coordinator, will discuss the resources available to assist the BMP Expert Panels and how those resources are allocated across the WQGIT Workgroups.
- 3:40 Adjourn

Next WQGIT Conference Call:

September 8, 2014

1:30 P.M. – 3:30 P.M.