

CHESAPEAKE BAY PROGRAM
WATER QUALITY GOAL IMPLEMENTATION TEAM
SEPTEMBER 24TH, 2012 CONFERENCE CALL
Conference Call Phone Number: 866-299-3188 Code: 410-267-5731
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AGENDA

- 1:30 Welcome/Confirm Call Participants and Updates – Larry Merrill, Chair
- 1:50 October 22-23rd Meeting Logistics and Draft Agenda – Larry Merrill and Katherine Antos
Larry and Katherine will provide an overview of topics that need to be addressed by the end of the October face-to-face meeting. They will also provide some preliminary answers to frequently asked questions on the midpoint assessment, and share the Ad Hoc Planning Team's suggested approach for the meeting in October.
Materials: WQGIT Midpoint Assessment Mtg_9.24.12.pdf, WG MPA Priorities_9.21.12_w Principles.pdf, Priority Input by Principle_9.21.12.xls
- Feedback Requested:** WQGIT will be asked to respond to the following:
- Has the Ad Hoc Planning Team identified the right questions that the WQGIT needs to answer before or at the October 22-23 meeting?
 - Does the WQGIT agree with some of the preliminary responses to questions provided today? If not, what needs to be revisited at the October meeting?
 - Does the WQGIT agree with the suggested agenda items for the October 22-23 meeting?
 - What materials, background and resources do WQGIT members need to help prepare for and have a productive meeting in October?
- 2:50 BMP Verification Committee Update – Rich Batiuk
Rich will inform the WQGIT of pertinent decisions made at the September 12th BMP Verification Committee and September 13th Management Board meetings. He will walk members through a more detailed schedule of verification framework related actions and decisions through next summer 2013, with a focus on the WQGIT's roles, and ask for WQGIT concurrence on the overall schedule.
- 3:10 Comparison of Estimation Methods for Poultry Manure Nutrient Generation – Mark Davis
Mark will provide an update to the WQGIT on a recent study led by Dr. Jim Glancey focused on comparing estimation methods of modern poultry production manure and nutrient generation to inform estimations of current nitrogen and phosphorus generation within the Bay watershed. Dr. Glancey is chairing the Poultry Litter Subcommittee convened by the Agriculture Workgroup to evaluate how the Chesapeake Bay Program modeling tools simulate the nutrient content of poultry manure throughout the watershed.
- 3:30 Adjourn

Next WQGIT Conference Call: Tuesday, October 9th, 2012, 1:30 P.M. – 3:30 P.M